



MEDIA RELEASE

October 16, 2014 – Barrie, ON: The Simcoe County Student Transportation Consortium is reminding everyone that **School Bus Safety Week is October 20 – 24, 2014.**

School Bus Safety Week in Ontario takes place October 20 to 24, 2014. The Simcoe County Student Transportation Consortium (SCSTC) reminds all drivers to be extra cautious in the vicinity of school buses and in school bus loading and un-loading zones.

During School Bus Safety Week the Simcoe County Student Transportation Consortium, in partnership with our School Bus Operators, will be offering **School Bus Evacuation Training** to all elementary and secondary students transported to and from school.

This training educates students on how to safely evacuate a school bus in an emergency situation.

At this time last year, **over 25,000 students** in Simcoe County participated in this training.

Visit the SCSTC web site at www.simcoecountyschoolbus.ca and click on the Home button for details.

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The Simcoe County Student Transportation Consortium (SCSTC) provides student transportation services within Simcoe County for the Simcoe County District School Board (SCDSB) and the Simcoe Muskoka Catholic District School Board (SMCDSB). The role of the SCSTC includes contracting bus and vehicle operators on behalf of the SCDSB and SMCDSB.