

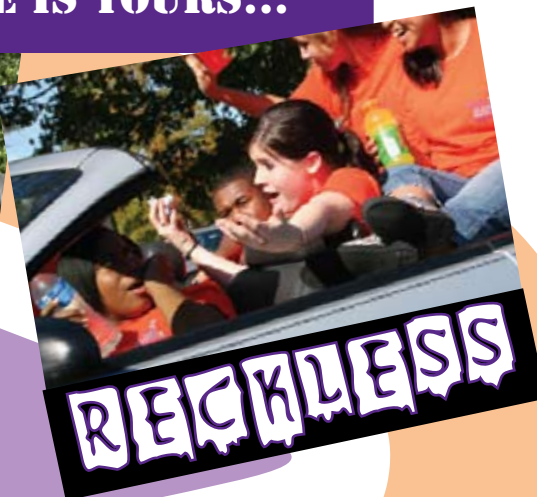
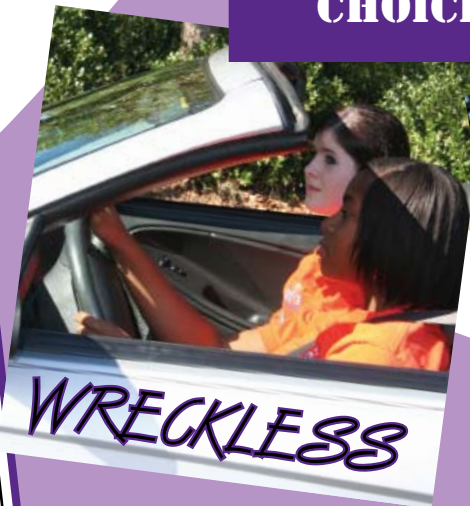
Students Against  
Violence Everywhere

# Safe Driving Will **SAVE** Your Life!

## Think Twice! Act Once

After an evening of hanging with friends, you jump in the car and rush home. You have a lot on your mind; you are slightly past curfew and you quickly send a text message to mom letting her know you are on your way. Unfortunately, in the process you run a stoplight and there is a crash. When the paramedics get there and load you into an ambulance, you overhear one of them say a little boy did not make it. In an instant, life as you know it is changed forever.

**MOST TEEN VEHICLE  
FATALITIES ARE  
PREVENTABLE... THE  
CHOICE IS YOURS...**



Teens CAN make a difference, for more information visit:

National Association of Students Against Violence Everywhere  
[www.nationalsave.org](http://www.nationalsave.org)

The Allstate Foundation  
[www.allstate.com/foundation/teen-safe-driving.aspx](http://www.allstate.com/foundation/teen-safe-driving.aspx)

Drive it Right  
[allstate.discoveryeducation.com](http://allstate.discoveryeducation.com)

Keep the Drive  
[www.keepthedrive.com](http://www.keepthedrive.com)

## Risky Business

When are teen drivers most at risk?

- Driving at night
- Driving to & from school
- Driving with teen passengers
- Driving while making basic driving errors
- Driving too fast
- All of the above

When you drive crazy...

- you are at risk
- friends are at risk
- family members are at risk
- strangers are at risk

The possible results...

- don't have a ride anymore
- outrageous hospital bills
- miss prom, homecoming, even graduation
- permanent disability
- lose friends and/or family members
- ruin strangers lives
- jail
- DEATH



## Did YOU Know?

About 2 out of every 3 teenagers killed in motor vehicle crashes in 2008 were males.<sup>1</sup>

Motor vehicle crashes are the #1 killer of teens in the US.<sup>1</sup>

A total of 4,054 teenagers ages 13-19 died in motor vehicle crashes in 2008. That's an average of 11 teens every day!<sup>1</sup>

Sixty-three percent of teenage passenger deaths in 2008 occurred in vehicles driven by another teenager.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> [http://www.iihs.org/research/fatality\\_facts\\_2008/teenagers.html](http://www.iihs.org/research/fatality_facts_2008/teenagers.html)

**You are four times  
it's hard to  
more likely to have  
concentrate on  
a car accident  
two things  
when you are on  
at the same time  
a cell phone**

## What YOU Can Do!

Host discussion sessions.

Make awareness posters

Create a paper chain of life with every student's name on a link and challenge students not to break the chain

Organize a mock crash with local rescue and law enforcement

Organize an assembly with guest speakers who have felt the impact of teen drivers

Chalk it on the sidewalk

Create dashboard stickers or cell phone charm reminders



Conduct a pledge drive

Host a tailgate party before the football game to raise awareness

Conduct a safety belt check handing out smarties to those wearing them and dum-dums to those that aren't.

Conduct activities in conjunction with Prom and Homecoming

**Youth Voices... Grown-up Choices!**

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