

To schedule an appointment, call the LIRR Corporate Safety Department at (718) 558-3028 or email: [tracks@lirr.org](mailto:tracks@lirr.org).

Our Community Relations Specialist will arrange a program tailored to your organization and answer any questions you may have.

Virtual classes may be scheduled as well.

Find **T.R.A.C.K.S.** online: <https://new.mta.info/lirr-tracks>



Did you know, it is **DANGEROUS** and **ILLEGAL** to:

- Trespass on the tracks
- Cross when the gates are down
- Cross against flashing lights or audible warnings



### A Community Outreach Program

At the Long Island Rail Road, safety is our number one priority. We are dedicated to ensuring the safety of our customers, our employees, and the communities we serve.

**T.R.A.C.K.S.** (Together Railroads And Communities Keeping Safe) is a joint venture between LIRR Corporate Safety and the MTA Police Department to reach out to schools, camps, day care and community groups.



The **T.R.A.C.K.S.** program is a **FREE** program open to all schools, day care centers, professional driver groups, civic and senior organizations, and special needs groups. Each year thousands of people attend our safety education programs.

### Our Commitment

- We're committed to working closely with school districts, police and fire departments, community groups and all levels of government.
- The program is customizable for any age group, from Pre-K to adult, including special needs groups. Programs are supplemented with videos and handouts. The length of the program varies from 30 to 45 minutes.
- The program can be delivered in a small setting, like a classroom, or in a large auditorium, depending on your group's needs.

### The Objective

- The objective of our school-age **T.R.A.C.K.S.** program is to teach and reinforce basic train safety concepts, like staying off the tracks, the dangers of the third rail, platform safety, and railroad crossings.
- The **T.R.A.C.K.S.** program also covers general train information, grade crossing safety, and the relevant rules and regulations of New York State traffic laws for driver education classes, professional drivers, and civic groups.

### REMEMBER:

**RAIL TRANSIT CAN REACH SPEEDS OVER 80 MPH.**

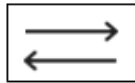
**TRAINS CAN RUN ON ANY TRACK, AT ANY TIME, FROM ANY DIRECTION.**

### MAKE SAFE CHOICES:



#### STAND BACK:

Observe the pavement markings – stand behind the painted or raised markings. Never run or ride unauthorized vehicles on the platform.



#### WAIT, LOOK BOTH WAYS:

ALWAYS expect a train. Trains are closer and faster than they appear. Multiple tracks mean multiple trains.



#### STAY OFF THE TRACKS:

If you drop an item on the tracks, don't try to get it yourself. Tell an LIRR employee.



#### CROSS LEGALLY AND SAFELY:

Cross only at designated crossings. Observe signs, signals, and pavement markings. ALWAYS look for a train.

Along with the presentation, our representative will hand out materials like coloring books, pens, pencils, etc. at each event.

Representatives can set up a booth to play videos and answer questions about railroad safety.

### Safety Sam, LIRR's new superhero!

