



STAY SAFE THIS SUMMER

RAIL SAFETY

Our theme this week is designed to raise awareness of rail safety ahead of our summer outdoors.

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Prayer for safety and protection

May the three enfold you Father, Son and Holy Spirit and hold you safe and hold you strong. May the three encompass you Father, Son and Holy Spirit and encircle your life each day and night. May the three protect you Father, Son and Holy Spirit and guard your door and keep each gate. May the three watch over you Father, Son and Holy Spirit and still your heart and calm all fear. Amen.

St Joseph...pray for us

Safety on the railway

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[At the level crossing | Switched On scenarios | Switched On for every journey | Ages 7-11 - YouTube](#)



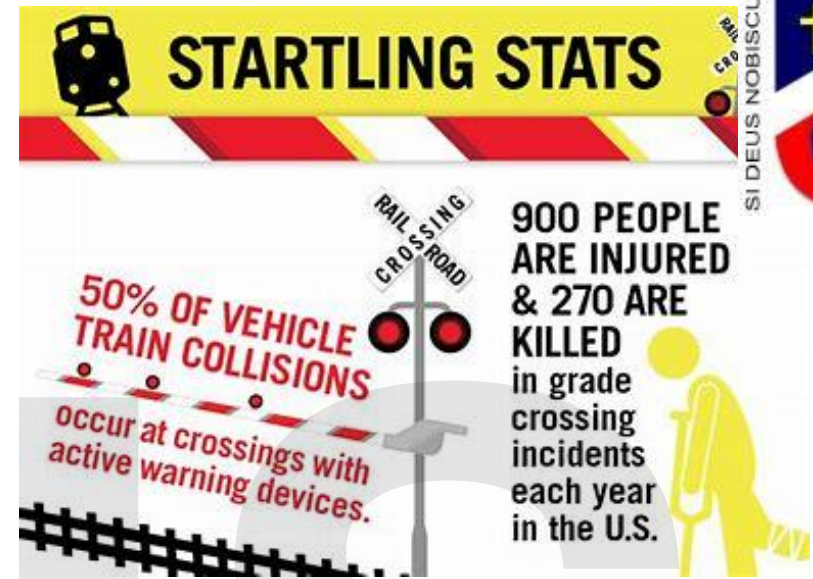
Crossing over

Video Time

National Rail video on level crossing incidents

REFLECTION

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There were 15 people who died in accidents while trespassing on the mainline in the year April 2021 to March 2022.

There were eight fatalities at level crossings which involved seven pedestrians and one motorcyclist.

You vs Train



Electricity lines are never turned off

If there's no visible sign of harm to someone who has been electrocuted, they're OK

An average train is equivalent to 80 elephants

Overhead wires are 50 times more powerful than electrical wires at home

The top speed of a train is 125 mph

REFLECTION

2 Minutes



Which statements are True? Which are False? Do any surprise you?
(See Teachers notes below for correct answers.)

British Transport Police



BRITISH
TRANSPORT
POLICE

BTP's role is to keep people safe on public transport. This includes:

- **Protection against sexual harassment**
- **Prosecuting anyone trespassing or vandalizing railways. Trespassing and vandalism are a criminal offence as you are breaking the Regulation of the Railways Act. You could face £1000 fine and prison time.**
- **Investigating possible terrorist activity**

Please click on the link below

[Paige's story of a near miss at Harlech level crossing - YouTube](#)





**Please call the emergency 24 hour helpline on
03457 11 41 41 if there's a safety threat to you or to others such as:**

- people, animals, trees or objects on or near the track
- damage or fault at a level crossing
- a vehicle has hit a bridge
- a broken fence or open gate allowing access to the track.

**IF YOU REQUIRE FURTHER INFORMATION
ABOUT STAYING RAIL SAFE
PLEASE CLICK ON THE WEBSITE**

<https://www.networkrail.co.uk/communities/safety-in-the-community/safety-education/>