

School Zones & Cell Phones

With schools back in session, here's a friendly reminder so you can avoid an unfriendly one from the police, and at the same time, make our school children, parents and crossing guards safer.

It is illegal in the state of Texas to operate a motor vehicle and talk on - or text from - a cell phone unless under hands-free operation.

All school zones in San Antonio should be posted with signs notifying you of the restriction, but even if you don't see one, it's a good practice to avoid using cell phones when you pass children on sidewalks.

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Reference:

Crystal Mazza, WOAI, "Cell phone ban signs headed to all SA school zones"

<http://www.woai.com/news/local/story/Cell-phone-ban-signs-headed-to-all-SA-school-zones/-XjDI3xyHUKBF8ou4PUuXw.csp>