Be Smart
Share the Road with
Pedestrians

Madison County Sheriff’s Office
Dedicated to improving the quality of life for the citizens of Madison County.

138 North Court St.
P.O. Box 16
Wampsville, NY 13163
Phone: 315.366.2318
www.madisoncountysheriff.us

Provided by the Madison County Sheriff’s Office – Funded by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration with a grant from the New York State Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee.

For more “BE SMART—SHARE THE ROAD” tips, visit:
www.safeny.gov

www.safeny.gov

www.nhtsa.gov

www.madisoncountysheriff.us
Tips for Drivers:

- Stop for pedestrians in all crosswalks, whether at an intersection with a signal or mid-block.
- Slow down in school zones.
- Watch for pedestrians before turning right on red.
- Look for pedestrians when backing out of driveways into the roadway.
- Obey the speed limit.

Tips for Pedestrians:

- Always cross at a crosswalk or corner.
- Look behind you for vehicles turning the corner before you cross.
- Always walk on the sidewalk. If there is no sidewalk, always walk on the side of the road facing traffic, as far to the left as possible.
- Be seen. Wear light-colored or reflective clothing.
- Obey all traffic signs and signals.
- If there aren't any crosswalks, signs or signals, the pedestrian must yield the right-of-way to all vehicles.
- Pedestrians are banned from roads such as expressways and interstate highways.