



Child safety on rural properties

Children living on rural properties can be at risk when around working farm machinery and vehicles, and riding motorcycles and quad bikes or ATVs.



Complete the checklist to see how well you are managing the risks on your property.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Do you follow manufacturer's recommendations and prevent children under 16 from riding a quad bike or ATV? | <input type="checkbox"/> Do you prevent children from riding as passengers on tractors and other farm machinery? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Do you prevent passengers from riding on quad bikes or ATVs? | <input type="checkbox"/> Are keys kept out of reach of children when vehicles are not in use? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Do you train and supervise your child when they are learning to ride a motorbike or quad bike? | <input type="checkbox"/> Is there a safe and fenced play area which is separated from farm machinery and vehicles? |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Do you insist that your child always wears a correctly fitted motorcycle helmet, long pants, and sturdy footwear when riding farm motorbikes or quad bikes? | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Have you designated an area where your child is permitted to ride? | |

Adapted from Farmsafe Australia Inc flyer *Child safety on rural properties*.



Thank you for playing a vital role in your child's road safety education.