

# WALKING TO GULYANGARRI PUBLIC SCHOOL



## PLAN YOUR WALKING ROUTE TO GULYANGARRI PUBLIC SCHOOL

The following pages suggest walking routes from neighbouring precincts within the Gulyangarri enrolment catchment. The suggested routes are located on public roads and may have multiple road crossings.

These suggested walking routes will not be supervised by a member of Gulyangarri PS. It is parents' and guardians' responsibility to ensure that children walk to and from school safely.

It is recommended that parents and guardians walk with their child until they are able to safely navigate the route and any potential road crossings.

Timing points are suggested so that groups of students can meet and walk together along the suggested route.



## WALKING SAFELY TO SCHOOL

Safe, active travel is encouraged by the Department of Education to help develop positive attitudes towards health and safety. Walking to and from school helps ease traffic congestion, promotes physical activity and provides a great opportunity to talk about being a safe road user.

As parking around schools is becoming harder schools can encourage parents and carers to walk with their child/ren to and from school or park further from the school and walk the rest of the way.

Every school's surrounding traffic environment is different. Every school's entry and exit rules for students are different and are therefore managed differently.

Parents and carers are responsible for their child's safety when travelling to and from school. Parents and carers are encouraged to:

- Give their child lots of supervised practice in the traffic environment.
- Teach their child about being alert in a road environment.
- Always hold their child's hand up to the age of at least 8 years old, when on the footpath, crossing the road or in a carpark
- Explain why the place they've chosen is the safest place to cross the road.
- Point out dangers, such as vehicles coming out of driveways.
- Use pedestrian crossings and traffic lights correctly.
- Teach their child to keep turning their head in both directions to look and listen for traffic as they cross the road.
- Explain why they should look and listen before crossing a driveway, road or carpark.
- Reinforce Stop! Look! Listen! Think! every time you cross the road together  
**STOP!** one step back from the kerb.

**LOOK!** continuously look both ways.

**LISTEN!** for the sounds of approaching traffic.

**THINK!** whether it is safe to cross.

- Observe if older children are ready to cross the road independently.



# DO YOU KNOW THE MOST DIRECT WALKING ROUTE TO GULYANGARRI PUBLIC SCHOOL?



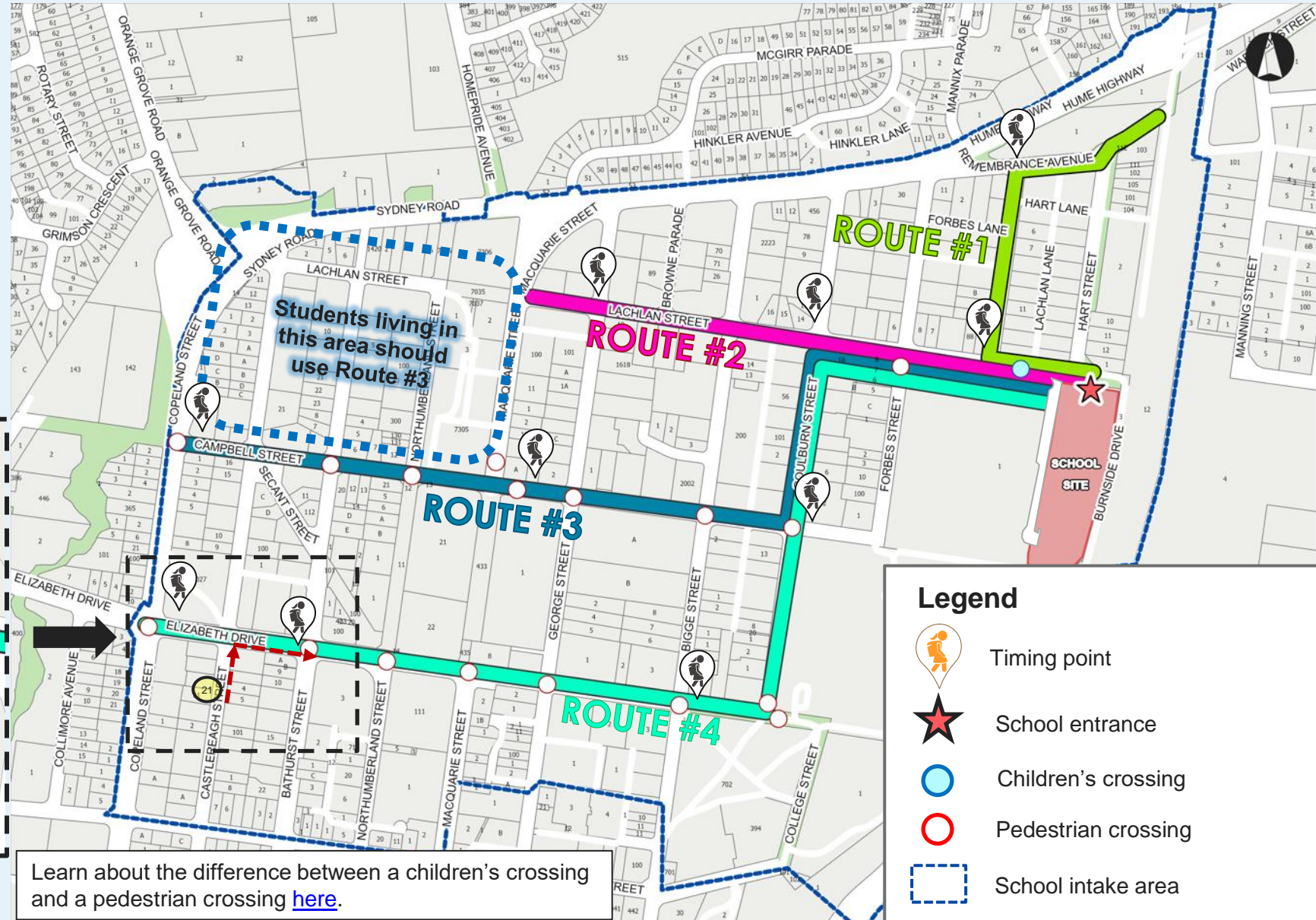
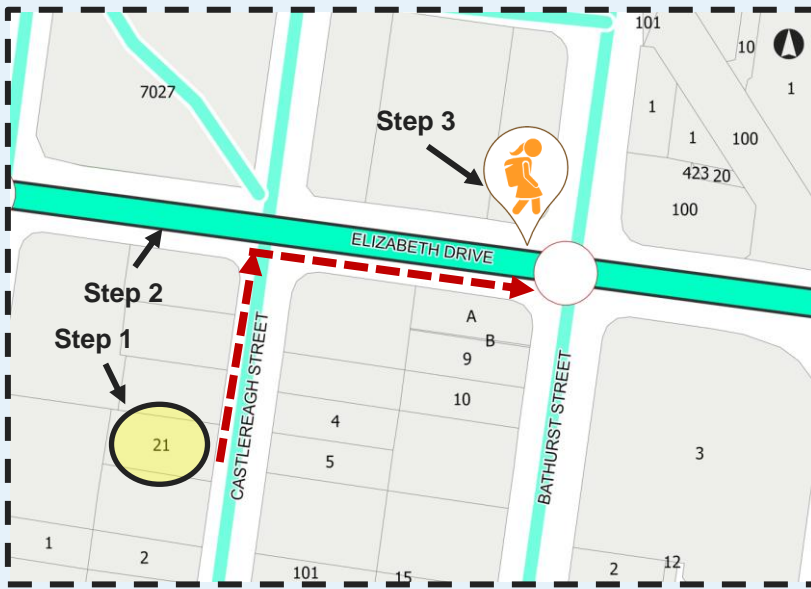
## PLAN YOUR WALKING ROUTE TO GULYANGARRI PUBLIC SCHOOL:

STEP 1: LOCATE YOUR HOME ON THE MAP

STEP 2: FIND YOUR NEAREST MAJOR WALKING ROUTE (#1 TO #4)

STEP 3: FIND YOUR NEAREST TIMING POINT

FOR EXAMPLE:



Students living in this area should use Route #3

Learn about the difference between a children's crossing and a pedestrian crossing [here](#).

- Legend**
- Timing point
  - School entrance
  - Children's crossing
  - Pedestrian crossing
  - School intake area

TURN OVER FOR THE CORRESPONDING DETAILED MAP FOR EACH SUGGESTED WALKING ROUTE



# SUGGESTED ROUTE 1 – DRUMMOND STREET







Starting time  
8:11am

Intersection of Hart  
Lane and Drummond  
Drive

Arrival time  
8:20am

**Legend**

-  Suggested walking route #1
-  Timing point
-  School entrance
-  Children's crossing


# SUGGESTED ROUTE 2 – LACHLAN STREET



## Legend

 Suggested walking route #2

 Timing point

 School entrance

 Children's crossing

 Pedestrian crossing



# SUGGESTED ROUTE 3 – CAMPBELL STREET



Intersection of Copeland Street and Campbell Street

Starting time 7:58am

Intersection of Macquarie Street and Campbell Street

Meeting time 8:05am

Intersection of Goulburn Street and Lachlan Street

Meeting time 8:15am





Intersection of Goulburn Street and Campbell Street

Meeting time 8:10am

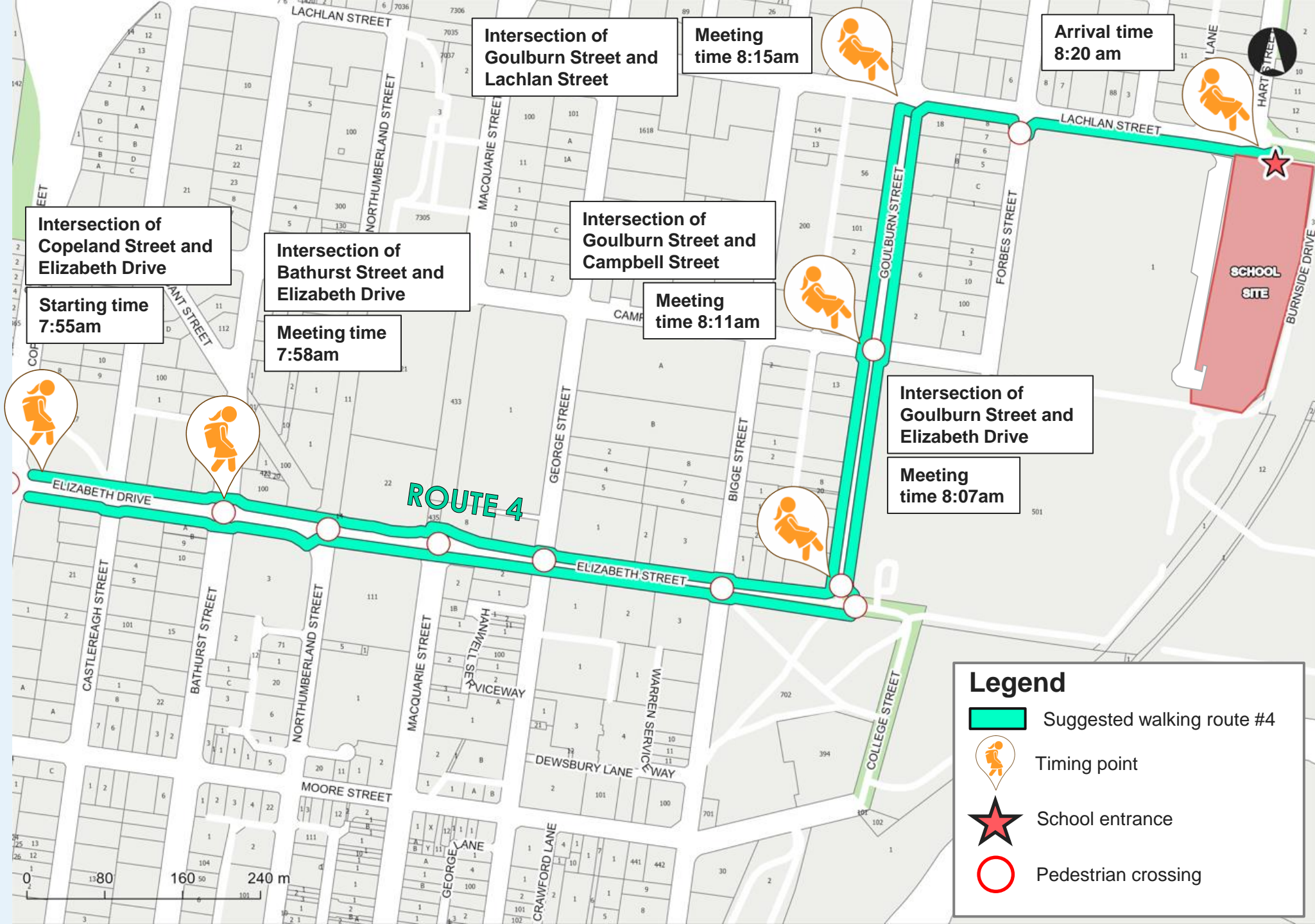
Arrival time 8:20 am

SCHOOL SITE

**Legend**

-  Suggested walking route #3
-  Timing point
-  School entrance
-  Pedestrian crossing

# SUGGESTED ROUTE 4 – ELIZABETH STREET



Intersection of Copeland Street and Elizabeth Drive

Starting time 7:55am

Intersection of Bathurst Street and Elizabeth Drive

Meeting time 7:58am

Intersection of Goulburn Street and Lachlan Street

Meeting time 8:15am

Intersection of Goulburn Street and Campbell Street





Meeting time 8:11am

Intersection of Goulburn Street and Elizabeth Drive

Meeting time 8:07am

Arrival time 8:20 am

**Legend**

-  Suggested walking route #4
-  Timing point
-  School entrance
-  Pedestrian crossing