

# Merrillville Police Department

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## CHILD SAFETY SEAT GUIDELINES\*

**Rear facing infant seat:**

Until 1 year of age and 20 pounds

**Rear facing/forward facing convertible seat:**

Until 1 year of age and 20 pounds rear;  
1 year of age or older and 20-40 pounds forward

**Forward facing seat:**

1 year of age and 20-40 pounds

**Booster seat:**

Over 40 pounds and up to 8-12 years old

**Correct fit of lap/shoulder belt only:\***

Approximately 4'05" tall and 80 pounds

Information provided by the Governor's Council on Impaired and Dangerous Driving  
317-232-1295 or Automotive Safety Program  
1-800-KID-N-CAR.