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Tips for Exiting a Bus Stop Safely

1. Check the front of the bus AND the rear corner to ensure both will clear parked cars at either end.
2. Check the right side of the bus again for any last minute stragglers running up the side of the bus or coming at you attempting to board.
3. Activate your left turn signal and when clear, begin moving into the lane of travel. **Only** begin moving when you are sure that the opening in traffic is large enough for you to enter.
4. Check again for passengers that may be running up to the side of the bus. Someone surprising you could result in you running them over or hitting a parked car in front of you as you are distracted by the approaching pedestrian.
5. As you exit, make sure you remember the pivot point didn't change. You must continue to move straight out until you reach the pivot point then turn the bus back to the lane of travel.

