**Traffic education 1st lesson**

To prepare:

1, papers for students for making notes

2, posters with signs and advice/rules

3, pens, cards and blue tack

4, certificates + sweets

**(1)** **Write on the board:** **Road safety = protection + prevention**

**(2)**

We are going to have Traffic education course and English lesson at the same time

We are …. and …. from 4.B/3.B class

We are going to learn together about Road Safety = how to protect ourselves and prevent accidents and injuries. We will learn road safety measures = about traffic lights signals, traffic signs, some basic rules about driving and cycling, and at the end we will learn about statistics of car accidents and impact of transportation on our environment.

**Give students papers for writing notes**

**(3) Video**

First something very easy = we are going to have a warm up activity

We are going to watch a video = 3:28 for young learners/kids

**While watching, try to remember what traffic signs we use. Then we will ask you questions about it**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_NeEF1fwT4k&ab_channel=learningjunction>

**(4) Revision** After watching this first video, let´s revise together traffic warning and forbidden signs

Possible questions: Is this a warning or forbidden sign? What does this traffic sign mean?

After summarizing: Use 3+3 = posters and then stick the posters on the wall

**(5)** **Video 2**

Now we will watch another video, a film “Expect the unexpected”, where the TV presenter, Sam Homewood, encourages children to be ‘road ready’ and be safe on the road

**Try to remember 4 main rules that we have to obey – we will ask about it**

<https://www.think.gov.uk/resource/expect-the-unexpected/> = 5:23 for 7-12 learners

**(6) Revision** Let´s revise:

Do you remember? What was the first rule?

If they don´t know show “don´t posters”, read the rule/ask them to read and ask: Why do we have to follow that rule?

a) **never run across the road**

What do we have to do first? We Stop, Look, Listen and Think

In SK Look to the left, to the right and to the left again

In the UK Look to the right, to the left and to the right again

What was the second rule?...

b) **never cross the road in front of the bus**

c) **never cross the road while you are staring at your mobile phone**

d) **never play with a ball at the edge of the road**

**(7)** **Video 3**

Next video is about driving

It gives advice for new young drivers and outlines the 3 main causes of accidents on the roads today, tips on how to avoid them, remain safe on the road and maintain a good driving record.

**Remember 3 main causes of accidents on the roads and tips how to avoid them**

watch the video 3:53:

 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UlCG-iH73TA&ab_channel=RBCInsurance>

**(8)** **Revision** Let´s talk about it together: What are 3 main causes of accidents on the roads?

- driving distracted = 8 in 10 reported car accidents

- driving while drowsy = sleepy

- driving aggressively

(show 3 don´t posters and stick them on the wall)

And what are tips how to avoid them? They can use some ideas that they remember: you help them:

Use your phone only when you park

Avoid heavy food before driving

Be careful about what medication you take before driving

Keep the temperature cool

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**3 main important tips for safe driving = read them and stick on the wall**

**Stay aware + stay awake + keep yourself cool**

**(9) Warning video**

At the end we will watch a statistics video: play just first 1:30 section (full video = 9:33)

**Try to remember statistics – we will play a game after the video**

<https://www.itf-oecd.org/road-safety>

After watching 1:30 section of the video:

Stick questions on the board and place all possible choices of answers on the table

Ask them/somebody to match questions and numbers and then place/stick correct answers on the board:

* How many people are killed in road traffic every year? 1 300 000 people
* For whom is traffic the number one cause of death worldwide? Young people from 5 – 29
* How many people will die over the next ten years because of traffic? 15 million
* Where do occur 9 of 10 road deaths? In developing (low and middle income) countries

**Give them and yourself a BREAK .........**