

Module 2: Overview

CROSSING THE ROAD SAFELY

Topic: Pedestrian Safety **Level:** JK, SK, 1 & 2 **Lesson Duration:** 30 minutes



LESSON OBJECTIVES

- Students will review where and how to cross the road safely (5 steps)
- Students will learn about traffic lights and pedestrian lights and what they mean for them as pedestrians
- Students will learn how they can also hear traffic and identify things they need to pay attention to for their safety
- Students will practise crossing safely in a simulated situation using digital traffic lights and traffic noise soundtrack

MATERIALS

- ☐ Lesson plan, discussion and scripts
- ☐ Module 2 - Crossing the Road Safely Video
- ☐ Digital Traffic & Pedestrian Light
- ☐ Traffic Noises Soundtrack
- ☐ Practise Crosswalk

SUMMARY OF TASKS/ACTIONS

1	Set up a space approximately 6 feet by twelve (the size of a standard crosswalk). You can use tape to create the lines of the crosswalk on the ground and indicate where the curb is.	
2	Discussion 1 Review of Where and How to Cross Safely	
3	Discussion 2 Using your Ears	
4	Watch Video 2 Crossing the Road Safely	
5	Discussion 3 Traffic Lights & Pedestrian Lights	
6	Activity Practise Crossing the Street	

CURRICULUM LINKS

JK/SK Ontario Ministry of Education Curriculum Links:

- Play – based Learning
- Adapting to distractions and assessing consequences of actions
- Exploring the world through natural curiosity – engaging the mind, the senses and the body.

Grade 1 & 2 Ontario Ministry of Education Curriculum Links:

Health and Physical Education

- Grade 1: Active Living – A1.3, A2.2, A3.1, A3.2; Movement Competence – B1.2; Healthy Living – C1.2, C2.4, C3.1
- Grade 2: Active Living – A1.3, A3.1, A3.2; Healthy Living – C1.1

Curriculum Links: Language

- Grade 1 & 2: Oral – 1.4, 2.6; Reading – 1.4, 2.6