

Module 6: Overview

PEDESTRIANS AND MOTORIST BEHAVIOURS

Topic: Pedestrian Safety **Level:** Grades 5 & 6 **Lesson Duration:** 90 Minutes – can be split up into 3 smaller 30 minute modules








LESSON OBJECTIVES

- Students will learn how to take responsibility for their safety and the safety of others while using the road.
- Students will observe and realize that not everyone follows the rules of the road and how they can stay safe despite this.
- Students will learn about average stopping distances.
- Students will learn how distraction affects average stopping distances and realize that a split second decision can cause accidents.

MATERIALS

- ☐ Lesson plan, discussion and scripts
- ☐ Module 6 – Motorist & Pedestrians Behaviours Video
- ☐ Module 6 Powerpoint
- ☐ 3 Handouts:
 - Pedestrian & Motorist Behaviours
 - Average Stopping Distance
 - Distracted Stopping Distance
- ☐ Clip Boards, pencils, calculators

SUMMARY OF TASKS/ACTIONS

1	Discussion 1 Road Safety is a Choice		4	Watch Video 6 Motorist & Pedestrian Behaviours	
2	Activity 1 Road Safety Behaviours Observation		5	Discussion 3 & Activity Average Stopping Distance	
3	Discussion 2 Reflecting on Observations		6	Discussion 4 & Activity Distracted Stopping Distances	
7 Reflection and Wrap-up 					

CURRICULUM LINKS

Grade 5 & 6 Ontario Ministry of Education Curriculum Links:

- Data management & probability, scientific inquiry, calculating mean, operational sense, measurement, writing, media literacy