

# 08 Sharing the Road With Others

Content Area: **Health and Physical Education**  
Course(s):  
Time Period: **Marking Period 1**  
Length: **1 Week**  
Status: **Published**

## Brief Summary of Unit

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This unit will emphasize the driver's responsibility to share the roads with other drivers, large trucks and vehicles, animals, pedestrians, and many others.

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## Standards

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HE.9-12.2.1.12.EH.3	Describe strategies to appropriately respond to stressors in a variety of situations (e.g., academics, relationships, shootings, death, car accidents, illness).
HE.9-12.2.3.12.PS.1	Apply a thoughtful decision-making process to evaluate situations and influences that could lead to healthy or unhealthy consequences (e.g., peers, media).
HE.9-12.2.3.12.PS.3	Summarize New Jersey motor vehicle laws and regulations, Safe Stops, and determine their impact on health and safety (e.g., organ/tissue donation, traffic safety, avoid driving distractors, seatbelt use, the use of hand-held devices).
HE.9-12.2.3.12.PS.4	Investigate the relationship between alcohol, drug use, and motor vehicle crashes and analyze the short- and long-term consequences of these actions.
HE.9-12.2.3.12.DSDT.4	Utilize peer support and societal norms to formulate a health-enhancing message to remain drug free.

## Essential Questions

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What special consideration must we give to sharing the road with vehicles other than cars in order to ensure safety for all?

How does defensive driving apply in areas of high vehicle, animal, or pedestrian traffic?

## Students Will Know/ Students Will Be Skilled At

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The conditions in which drivers must yield to pedestrians as mandated by law

Safety tips for driving in close proximity to trucks and other large vehicles

Laws for yielding in all necessary situations on the roadway

key terms: No-Zone, pedestrian, crosswalk, yielding, low speed vehicles, motorized scooters, moped, mature driver

## **Learning Plan**

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Preview the essential questions and connect to learning throughout the unit.

Review the Google Slides presentation

Connect prior knowledge of defensive driving with the need to be proactive in terms of safety while sharing the road with others

Discuss techniques for sharing the road with pedestrians and other motor vehicles.

Explain the potential dangers within the No-Zone Principle

## **Evidence/ Performance Tasks**

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Completed guided notes packet

Practice quiz

Unit 8 written quiz

## **Materials**

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Laptops

Projector

Sharing the road with others videos

New Jersey Drivers manuals

## **Suggested Strategies for Modification**

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one-to-one instruction and assistance

cooperative learning groups

study partners

additional time on task

assessment based on individual development in the area of study

images and visual aids

handouts of notes, procedures, processes, diagrams, etc.

preferential seating

reading material modified to student level

testing materials appropriate to student level

PowerPoint Presentations

Lectures

Group work

Presentation/ Skits

Class Discussions

Assorted media (video, DVD)

Research through technology

Extended time on quizzes

