

# Unit Practical Applications of Driving

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## Unit 01 Practical Applications of Driving

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In the Practical Applications of Driving unit, students will be able to demonstrate an understanding of the cognitive driving skills associated with operating a motor vehicle.

## Standards

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HPE.2.1.12.D.1	Determine the causes and outcomes of intentional and unintentional injuries in adolescents and young adults and propose prevention strategies.
HPE.2.1.12.D.3	Analyze the relationship between alcohol and drug use and the incidence of motor vehicle crashes.
HPE.2.1.12.D.4	Develop a rationale to persuade peers to comply with traffic safety laws and avoid driving distractors.
HPE.2.1.12.D.5	Summarize New Jersey motor vehicle laws and regulations and determine their impact on health and safety (e.g., organ/tissue donation, seatbelt use, and the use of hand-held devices).
HPE.2.1.12.D.CS1	Evaluating the potential for injury prior to engaging in unhealthy/risky behaviors impacts choices.
HPE.2.1.12.D.CS2	Applying first-aid procedures can minimize injury and save lives.
HPE.2.1.12.E.2	Analyze how new technologies (i.e. social media) may positively or negatively impact the incidence of conflict or crisis.
HPE.2.2.12.B.1	Predict the short- and long-term consequences of good and poor decision-making on oneself, friends, family, and others.

## Essential Questions

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How does an individual drive defensively?

How does an individual pass the NJ State written exam?

How does an individual pass the NJ State road test?

## Content / Skills

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**Content:**Drive Right Text Book

1. SIPDE (6-7, 61-86)
2. Natural Laws and Car Control (91-107)
3. Driving In Urban Traffic (174-193)
4. Planning Your Travel (376-391)
5. Maintaining Your Vehicle (354-375)

**Supplemental:**

Guest speakers (Community Members and Professionals)

Golf Carts (NJMVC Manual 44-53)

Current Events (Media)

Road Trip Project (DR 376-391, and Media)

Car Maintenance Project (DR 354-375)

SIPDE Safety pamphlet/cartoon (DR 6-7, 61-86)

Urban Safety Pamphlet (DR 174-193)

License Plate Project (NJMVC 143)