

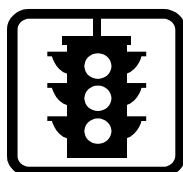
STAYING SAFE WITH SCOTT & WHITE

Did you know –

Every year 90,000 people are injured because they are hit by cars while crossing the street?

Every year 6,000 people die because they are hit by cars while crossing the street?

Be Safe -- Don't be one of those numbers:



- **CROSS** at the corner - it's best if there is a traffic light
- Always **STOP** at the curb or the edge of a parked car
- Look **LEFT-RIGHT-LEFT** for moving cars
- When clear, cross and **keep on looking**
- **Never run or dash** into the street
- Look for signs that a car is **about to move**
 - Look for lights or wheels turning
 - Listen for the motor running
- Be **alert** and **cross safely**

TRY THIS TEST

- T F 1. A green light always means it is safe to cross the street.
- T F 2. You are always safe in a crosswalk. It's like magic.
- T F 3. If you see a driver, the driver sees you.
- T F 4. The driver will stop if you are in a crosswalk.
- T F 5. If you wear white at night, the driver can always see you.

HOW SAFE ARE YOU ?



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1. FALSE – A green light means you have permission to stop and look for cars. Look LEFT-RIGHT-LEFT again. If safe, cross and keep looking for cars.
 2. FALSE – You are safer in a crosswalk, but you must look out for cars. They may not see you.
 3. FALSE – The driver may not see you. Make certain the driver sees you and stops before you cross.
 4. FALSE – The driver may not see you. His view may be blocked. He may not be looking.
 5. FALSE – Even if you wear white clothing, it is hard to see you at night. Carry a flashlight and put reflective strips on your clothes and shoes.
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