

NEW APPROACH

WEEK/TERM: **THIRD TERM / WEEK 8**

CLASS: Grade 3

DATE: 26th June, 2020

SUBJECT: National Values

TOPIC: Traffic Regulations

Reference:

Brief explanation

Notes for the Pupils

Traffic on roads consists of road users for example pedestrians, riding vehicles, buses and beast of burden that use the public roads for movement or travel purposes. However, traffic means all the vehicles that are moving along the road in a particular area. Or traffic is the movement of vehicles, ships, persons etc. in an area, along a street, through an air space or water route.

Traffic regulation can be defined as the rules and regulations which guide the behaviour or actions of road users to prevent

accidents. These are official rules established by the government and enforced by the road safety agency of Nigeria.

Who are the road users? They are vehicle drivers, passengers, pedestrians, animals and motorcycle operators etc.

These are Traffic Rules and Regulation Guiding Road Users

1. Obey traffic officials and signs.
2. Avoid over speeding.
3. Obstructing any section of the road with vehicles may affect the free flow of traffic.
4. Driving without learner's permit is an offence.
5. Loading a vehicle above the weight or numbers of passengers is an offence.
6. Using G.S.M phones while driving is an offence.
7. Driving without fire extinguisher is an offence that is punishable by law.

Who is a traffic warden: He or she is a security officer that is responsible for making sure that traffic laws are followed. They assist the police in looking out for stolen cars, monitoring the cars parking spaces, checking proper loading and unloading of goods on the road.

Roads have traffic signs. Traffic signs are classified into different groups:

1. Regulatory control – To give you very specific instructions to drive in a certain way or warning against the road ahead.
2. Guidance – To give you information about the route you are travelling on.
3. Temporary warning – To give instruction when a portion of a road is under construction or if there's an accident scene ahead.

Examples of Road Signs



**NO
RIGHT
TURN**

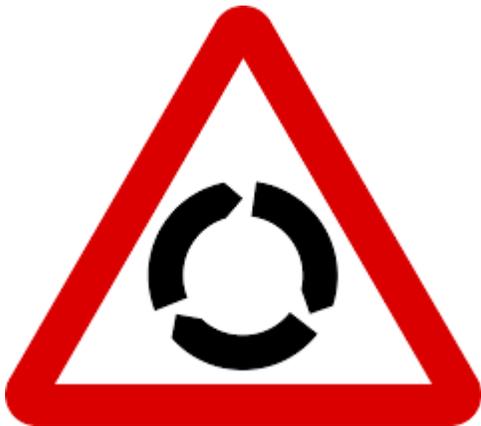




No Pedestrian



No Parking



Round About

There are many more. You may check the web for these.

Exercises/Assignment

Give the meaning of the following road signs



