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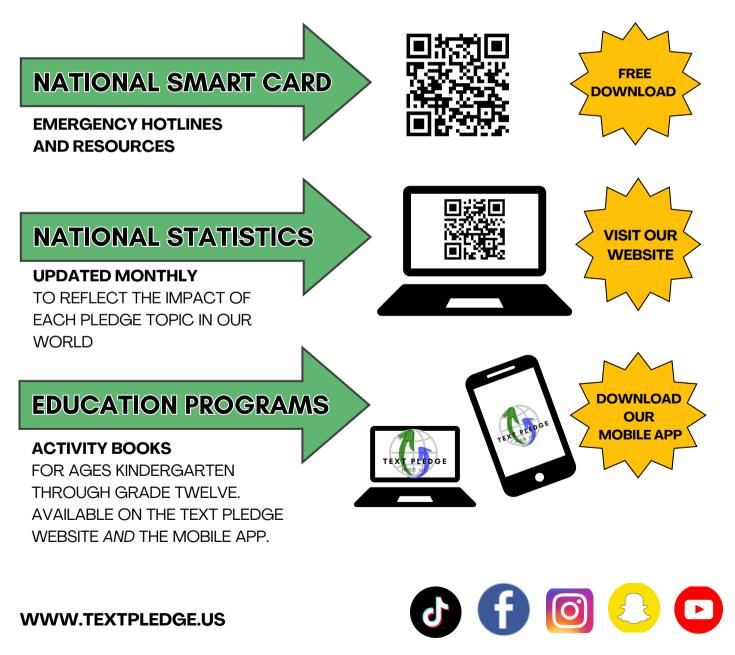
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ABOUT TEXT PLEDGE



Text Pledge is a nonprofit in Greater Grand Rapids, MI, that seeks to change the world one pledge at a time. Our pledges focus on ending some of the worst social issues affecting our communities, from distracted driving to acts of violence. Each pledge challenges members to practice compassion, and speak up when they witness injustice. We encourage you to help others in times of crisis. Together, we can make the world a kinder place.

Our pledge program Includes the following elements available on our website *www.textpledge.us* and the Text Pledge App available on iOS/Google Play.





A Message From Our Founder

Greetings friends,

We are here to raise awareness for distracted driving. Distracted driving is not safe. Are you paying attention to traffic and the drivers behind the wheel? Passengers play an important role that help keep drivers and everyone safe. In this lesson we will identify things that might distract drivers. Remember, if you see a driver using their phone, remind them to put it away. Let's all work together to keep the roads, drivers, and passengers as safe as possible.

Crisis lines are always available at TextPledge.us As well as on the Text Pledge App.

Happy Learning!



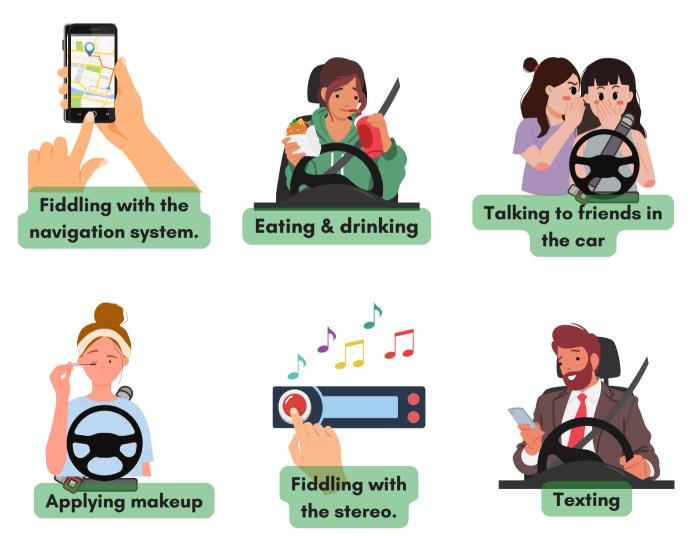
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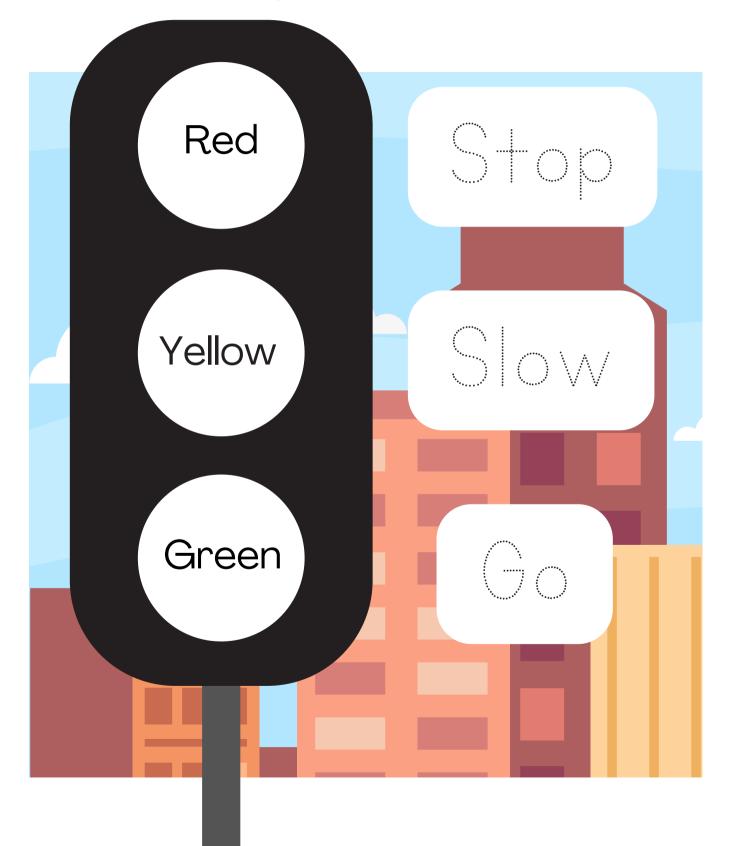
Distracted driving is **anything that takes your attention away from the task of safe driving**. See below for examples of distracted driving.



See more at National Highway Traffic Safety Administration <u>www.https://www.nhtsa.gov/risky-driving/distracted-driving</u>

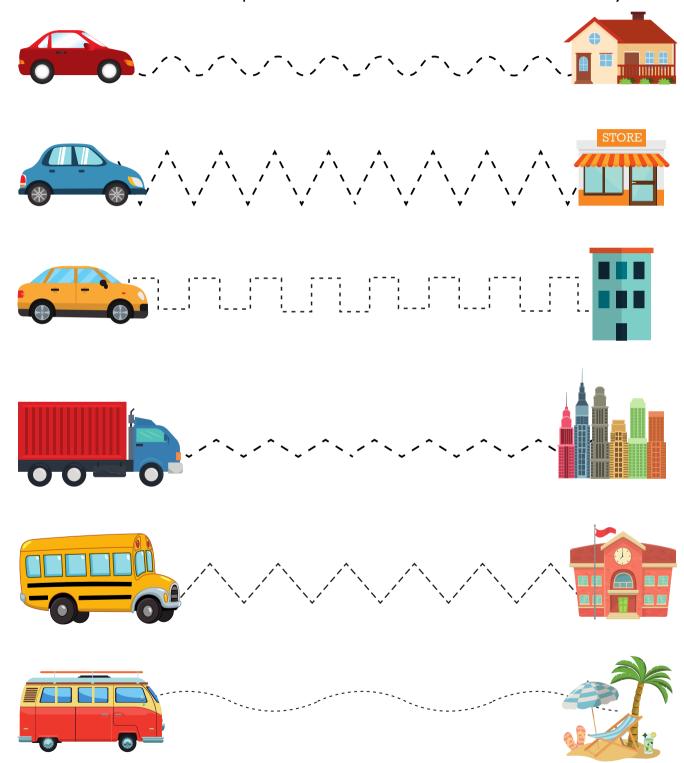
TRAFFIC LIGHTS

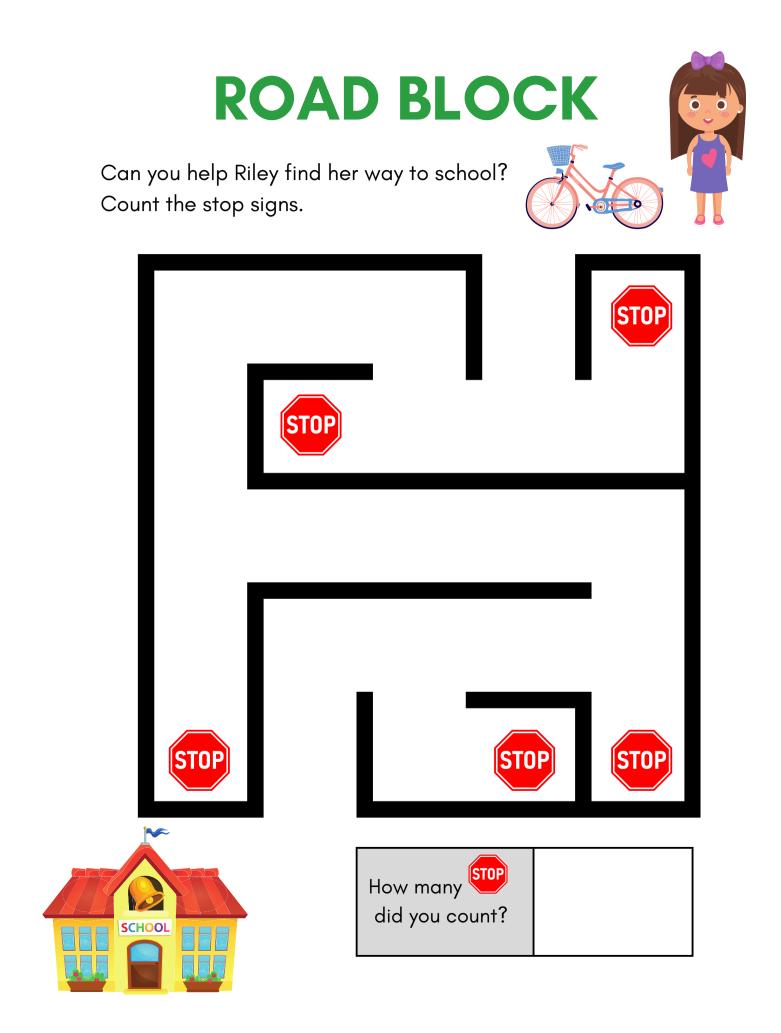
What should you do at a traffic light? Color the traffic light and trace the action words below.



ON THE GO

Trace the lines to help the cars reach their destination safely.

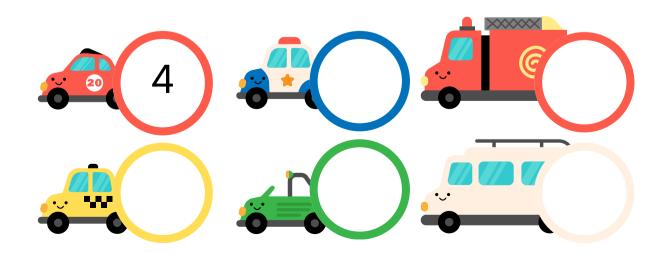




COUNTING CARS

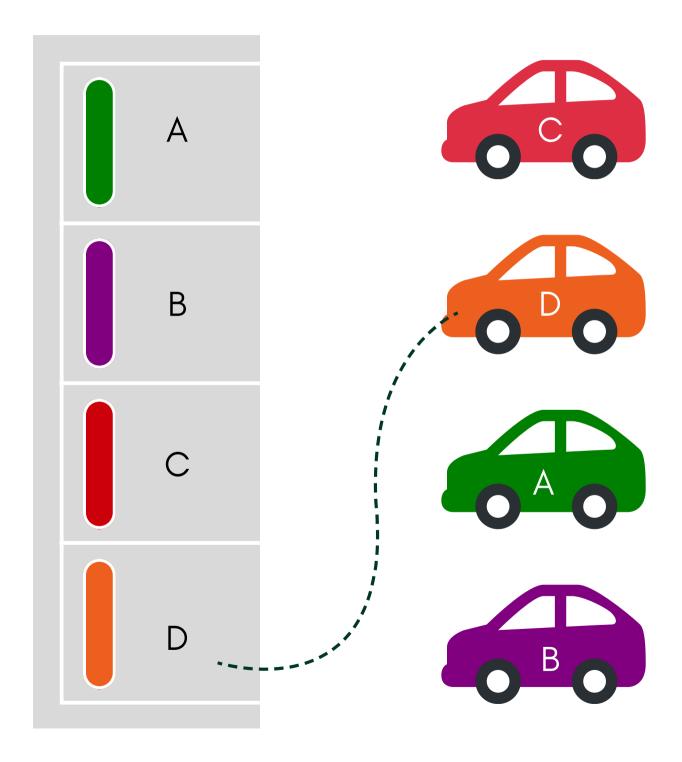
Some of these cars look the same. Some look different. **Count** each group of cars and write the number in the circles below.





CAR PARK

Draw a line to drive each car to the matching parking lot.



On the Road WORD SEARCH

Find and circle the words in the word bank below.

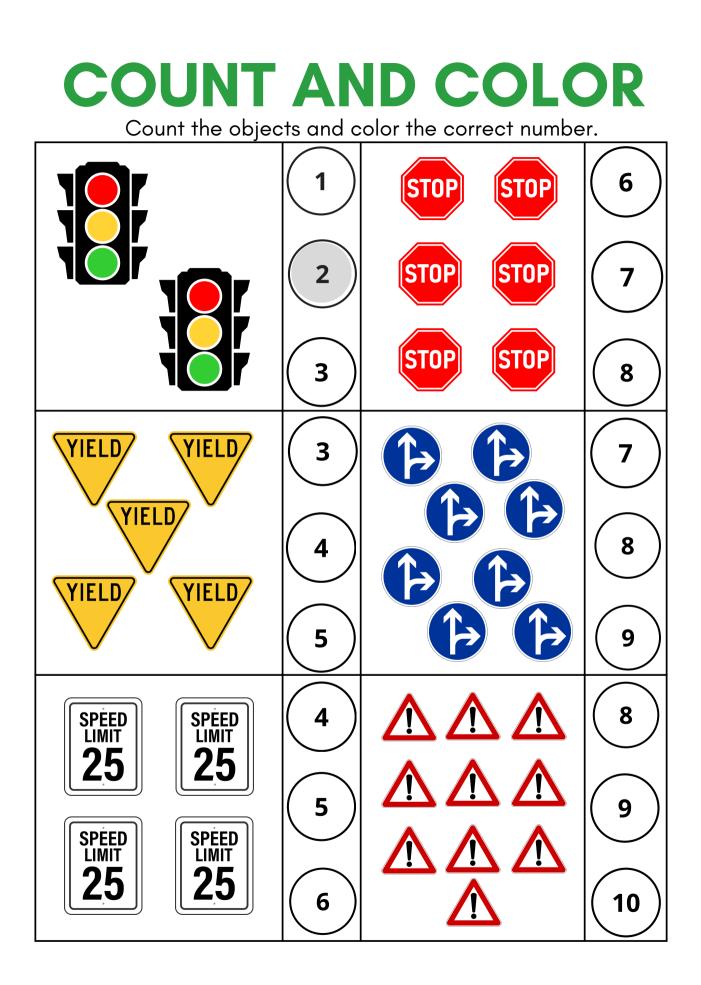
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- R A E N M D R U
- L S E E K I X C L T D B G O M K
- CAR STOP TRUCK SLOW

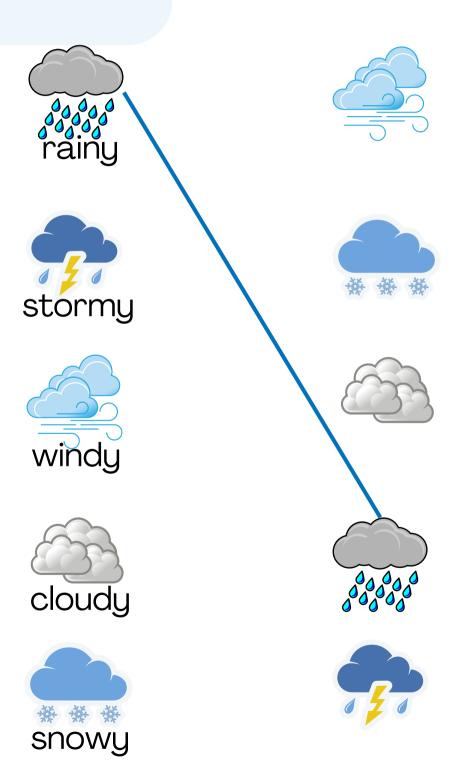
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WHAT'S THE WEATHER?

Weather can cause or enhance distractions on the road. Match the weather images by drawing a line to connect them.



IN OR OUT?

Distractions can be found inside the car <u>and</u> outside of the car. Each picture illustrates a distraction. Draw a line to identify if the distraction would be located *inside* the car or *outside*.



DISTRACTED DRIVER?

Distracted driving happens when drivers are not giving their full attention to the road. Can you spot the distracted drivers? Draw an "X" over each distracted driver to reveal the safest driver.

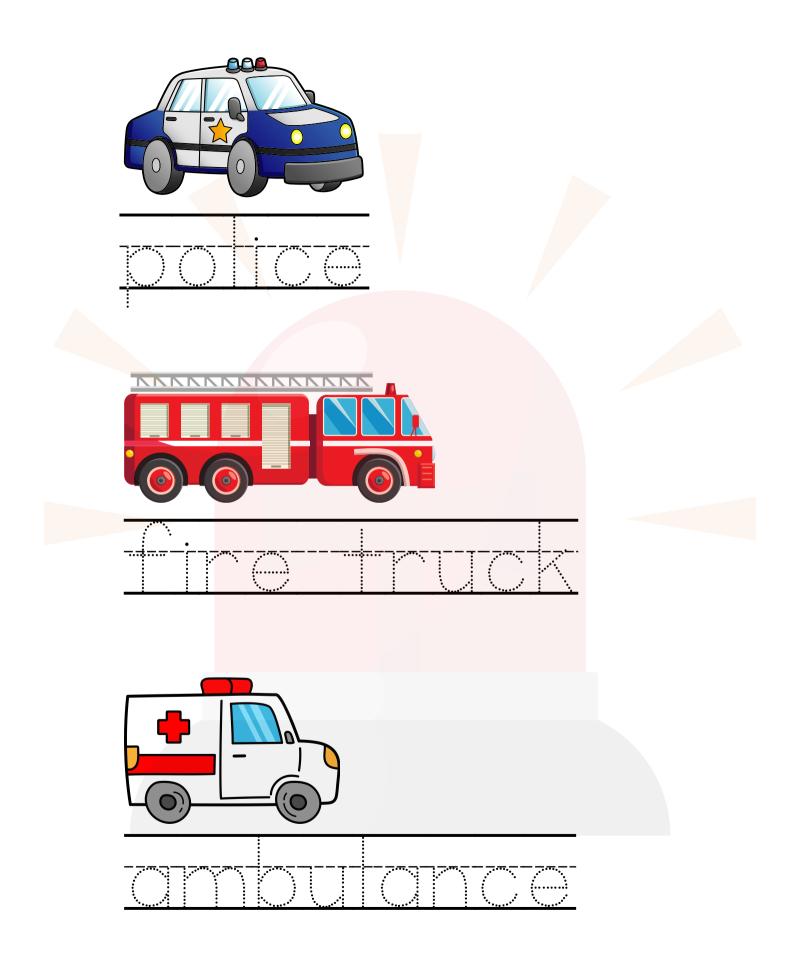




Emergency vehicles are always on the road. Do you recognize them?

Write the words for each vehicle by tracing the letters on the next page.





WHAT SHOULD I DO?

Call 9-1-1 in the event of an emergency, health crisis or car accident.

Trace the emergency 9-1-1 numbers below.





Looking for Answers?



Scan this code to view the answer key for this activity book



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