

Pick a Word

Use the words in the box below to complete each statement.

advisory speed limit	lane signal	roadway markings
basic speed law	minimum speed limit	school zone
flashing signal	pedestrian signal	shared left-turn
guide sign	regulatory sign	traffic signals
international signs	right-turn-on-red	warning sign

- guide sign 1. Information on routes, service areas, and points of interest are provided on a _____.
- regulatory sign 2. A _____ tells you about the laws that you must obey.
- minimum speed limit 3. To keep traffic moving, a _____ is set on some primary highways and expressways.
- warning sign 4. A yellow, diamond-shaped sign that alerts you to possible hazards is called a _____.
- school zone 5. Two signs used in a _____ alert drivers to children who might dart out into the street without looking.
- basic speed law 6. Obey the _____ when traffic, roadway, or weather conditions are bad.
- shared left-turn 7. To help drivers make safe left turns in the middle of the block, a _____ lane is used in many cities.
- advisory speed limit 8. Special conditions such as a sharp curve are often posted with an _____ sign.
- flashing signal 9. At some intersections, a _____ alerts drivers to dangerous conditions.
- roadway markings 10. Painted solid lines, broken lines, arrows, or words are called _____.
- lane signal 11. Changes in travel direction during rush-hour traffic is indicated by a _____ light hanging overhead.
- right-turn-on-red 12. When a traffic signal is red, the _____ law allows a driver to turn right.
- international signs 13. Drivers who travel from country to country can understand the meaning of _____ because they use symbols rather than words.
- pedestrian signal 14. At heavily traveled intersections, a _____ is mounted near traffic lights.
- traffic signals 15. All _____ have specific colors to help traffic flow smoothly.

Match the Color

Use the colors in the box below to identify the highway signs. Write in the blank the color that matches the sign.

red	green	orange	blue	yellow
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- orange 1. Construction or detour
- red 2. Stop, yield, or prohibited
- blue 3. Motorist service
- green 4. Information on routes and distances
- yellow 5. Warning, danger ahead

Name _____

Date _____

Chapter 2 Skills and Applications

Check Your Knowledge

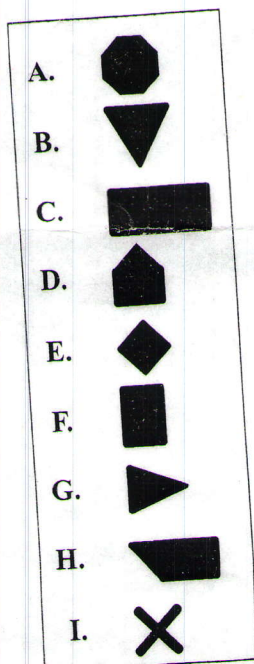
Check true or false for each of the situations below.

	True	False
1.	✓	
2.		✓
3.	✓	
4.	✓	
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6.	✓	
7.		✓
8.	✓	
9.		✓
10.	✓	

- When two drivers stop at the same time at an intersection, the driver on the right should go first. *True*
- The posted maximum speed limit is safe for any driving conditions. *False*
- A diamond-shaped sign warns drivers of conditions such as a divided highway or deer crossing. *True*
- The sign with a black "X" and two "Rs" warns drivers of a railroad crossing ahead. *True*
- At intersections where a stop line and pedestrian crosswalk are marked, you must stop at the pedestrian crosswalk. *False*
- Drivers must come to a full stop at a flashing red light. *True*
- The flashing pedestrian signal alerts drivers to pedestrians in the crosswalk. *False*
- YIELD signs and STOP signs are examples of regulatory signs. *True*
- Interstate routes heading east or west are odd-numbered. *False*
- A yellow pennant-shaped sign and solid yellow line are used in no-passing zones. *True*

Pick the Sign Shape

Write the letter of the sign that matches the description.



- This black and white regulatory sign identifies the maximum speed limit. *F*
- These signs alert you to possible dangers ahead. *E*
- The railroad crossing location is marked with this sign. *I*
- This red and white sign means a driver must be ready to yield the right-of-way. *B*
- This black and white sign indicates traffic may only flow in one direction. *C*
- This sign is placed on the left side of the roadway at the start of a no-passing zone. *G*
- When this sign shows a crosswalk with children, it marks a school zone. *D*
- A full stop is required at this red and white sign. *A*
- This brown sign guides you to public recreation areas. *H*
- When this sign is orange it warns of a construction zone. *E*

Solutions for Activities 2-1 and 2-2

Searching for Signs

Chapter 2
Activity 2-1

Name _____ Date _____

Searching for Signs

While riding as a passenger, locate as many of the signs shown below as you can. When you find a sign, circle the number and write the color(s) of the sign on the blank.

1. WHITE	2. ORANGE	3. YELLOW	4. WHITE	5. YELLOW	
6. ORANGE	7. YELLOW	8. WHITE	9. YELLOW	10. YELLOW	
11. RED/WHITE	12. BLUE	13. RED/WHITE	14. YELLOW	15. YELLOW	
16. YELLOW	17. BLUE	18. YELLOW/GREEN	19. YELLOW	20. WHITE	
21. YELLOW	22. RED/WHITE	23. YELLOW	24. BLUE	25. RED/WHITE	
26. YELLOW	27. WHITE	28. WHITE	29. YELLOW	30. RED/WHITE	

Match the Sign and Message

Chapter 2
Activity 2-2

Name _____ Date _____

Match the Sign and Message

The messages at the bottom of the page are found on one of the signs below. Write the letter of the correct sign in the blank to the left of each message.

Yellow/Green A	Red B	Yellow C	Orange E	Red F	Red/White/Blue L
Blue G	Orange H	White J	Red K	Red K	Red K

J 1. 35 MPH	C 13. 100 FT AHEAD	C 23. DEAD END	E 26. DETOUR 1000 FT
C 2. DEER CROSSING	H 14. DETOUR	E 27. DO NOT ENTER	C 28. HILL
C 3. DIVIDED HIGHWAY ENDS	I 15. DO NOT ENTER	C 29. LEFT-TURN	J 30. NO RIGHT TURN ON RED
E 4. END CONSTRUCTION	E 16. FLAGGER 500 FT	J 31. PLAYGROUND	C 32. SLOPPY WHEN WET
G 5. HOSPITAL	L 17. INTERSTATE HIGHWAY	B 33. STOP	J 34. STOP HERE ON RED
J 6. NO PARKING ANY TIME	D 18. NO PASSING ZONE	C 35. TWO-WAY TRAFFIC	F 36. YIELD
J 7. NO U-TURN	J 19. PASS WITH CARE		
C 8. ROAD NARROWS	A 20. SCHOOL ZONE		
C 9. SOFT SHOULDER	J 21. SPEED LIMIT 35		
C 10. STOP AHEAD	J 22. STOP FOR SCHOOL BUS		
G 11. TELEPHONE	J 23. TRUCK ROUTE		
E 12. WORKERS AHEAD	K 24. WRONG WAY		