

Objective

By the end of this lesson, the student will be able to identify various road signs and understand their meanings. The student will also learn about the importance of traffic rules and how they contribute to road safety.

Materials and Prep

- Paper and colored pencils or markers
- A blank map of a simple town layout (can be drawn by the student)
- A list of common road signs and their meanings (to be provided by the teacher)
- Time to discuss and reflect on the importance of traffic safety

Activities

• Road Sign Art

The student will create their own road signs using paper and colored pencils. They can choose which signs to create and illustrate them with colors and pictures. This will help reinforce their understanding of each sign's meaning.

• Map Creation

The student will draw a simple map of a town, including roads, intersections, and their own road signs. They will then place their created signs in appropriate locations on the map, explaining why they chose those spots.

• Traffic Safety Discussion

The student will participate in a discussion about traffic safety. They will share their thoughts on why it's important to follow traffic rules and how they can contribute to safer roads.

Talking Points

- "Can you name some road signs you see every day? What do you think they mean?"
- "Why do you think it's important for drivers to follow these signs?"
- "How do road signs help keep us safe on the road?"
- "If you were to create a new road sign, what would it say and why?"
- "What is the most interesting road sign you've seen? What made it interesting?"
- "How can understanding road signs help you as a pedestrian or cyclist?"
- "Do you think road signs are universal? Why or why not?"
- "What role do you think technology plays in traffic safety today?"
- "How can we educate others about the importance of traffic rules?"
- "What are some ways we can stay safe while walking or biking near traffic?"
- "How do you think road signs have changed over time?"
- "What would happen if we didn't have road signs?"
- "Can you think of any movies or shows that feature traffic safety themes?"