

## DRIVER SAFETY TIP COURTEOUS DRIVING

Courteous driving is essential to being a good driver. Accidents don't "just happen." They are very often the results of the driver's attitude. Aggressiveness, intolerance, and recklessness can be as deadly as any other reason for a motor vehicle accident... but improper attitude is inexcusable because it can be controlled.

Make the roads safer for yourself, your family, and everyone. Find out if you are a courteous driver by rating your driving techniques.

### Courteous-Driving Techniques

Always

Usually

Occasionally

Do you signal your intention to pull out of a parking place into traffic?

At an intersection controlled by a yield sign, do you slow down and yield the right of way?

When driving at night, do you dim your bright beams for oncoming cars?

When cars behind you want to pass, do you allow them to do so?

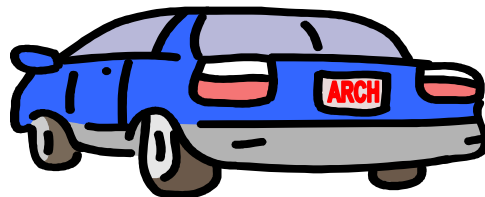
When a traffic signal changes to green, do you wait patiently for cars in front to move – without blowing your horn?

When another driver does something wrong, do you keep your temper under control?

As you pull into traffic, do you match your speed with oncoming vehicles?

Do you keep your vehicle in safe mechanical condition?

**Did you identify areas where you could improve? Start now to be a courteous driver and help make the roadways safer for you and others.**



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