## Crossing the road where vehicles are parked



- Avoid crossing between parked cars.

But if there is nowhere else to cross:

- Choose a place where there is enough space between two cars
- Make sure no car is about to move out of the parking - look for drivers in the cars, lights and listen for engines.
- Ensure that you can easily get to the other side of the road.
- Walk to the outside edge of the cars and stop.
- Look on both sides for traffic.



## Crossing road with a median

Some roads have an island or a median in the middle.

- Treat each half of the road as a separate crossing.
- Wait on the island or median, observe and then cross.

## Crossing at a zebra crossing

If there is a zebra crossing, always use it.

- Wait on the pavement near the edge and wait for all the traffic to stop before you start to cross.
- After traffic has completely stopped from both sides, walk across on the black and white stripes.

Keep looking all round and listening because a driver might not have seen you.

**If it is wet, cars take more time to stop.**

## Crossing where there is an island in the road

Mostly traffic flows in one direction on these roads.

- Treat each half of the crossing as separate crossing.
- Watch out for overtaking vehicles.
- Do not assume that vehicles will stop.
- Check that the vehicles have stopped before crossing.




## School traffic managed by police or traffic marshalls

- When school crossing is managed by police officers or traffic wardens, wait until they signal to you to cross the road.
- Always cross in front of them and obey their instructions.

## Crossing one-way roads

- Check the direction in which the traffic is going.
- Traffic will be flowing in more than one lane; do not cross until it is safe to cross the whole road.

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