

## Approaching multi-lane roundabouts?



Drivers going more than halfway around the roundabout must approach in the right-hand lane(s) specified for that purpose (by lane use arrows) .

Drivers going halfway around the roundabout must use any lanes marked for that purpose.

Drivers going less than halfway around the roundabout must approach in the left-hand lane(s).

### Signalling at roundabouts

When approaching a roundabout drivers MUST indicate:

- 1) Left, if intending to exit by the first left;
- 2) Right, if going more than halfway around; and
- 3) If going straight ahead, don't indicate on entry.

Drivers must give way to traffic that will cross their path from their right when entering the roundabout.

Drivers then need to signal left as they pass the exit before the one they intend taking.

## GENERAL INTERSECTION RULES

Always indicate a minimum 3 seconds prior to turning. Always obey the traffic lights, signs and arrows marked on the road.

If turning, give way to all traffic not turning and give way to all traffic crossing or approaching from your right.

Be patient and don't misjudge the distance of oncoming traffic. Cars can be closer and going faster than they appear at first glance.

For more information on the Road Rules, visit [www.landtransport.govt.nz](http://www.landtransport.govt.nz) or call 0800 699 000.

*These road safety reminders have been brought to you by Papakura District Council Road Safety.*



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# DON'T TURN INTO AN ACCIDENT

## WATCH OUT AT INTERSECTIONS

# IT'S AS EASY AS ONE, TWO, THREE

Papakura District ranks among the worst areas for intersection crashes in New Zealand.

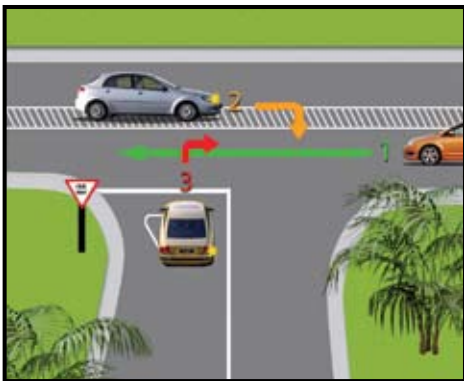
When approaching an intersection, move into the appropriate lane and start indicating which way you are going to turn to let other drivers, cyclists and pedestrians know what you're doing.

Slow down and think. Take a look around. Behind you, in front of you and to the left and right of your car. Know the Give Way road rules. Do not go until there is a gap in the traffic safe enough to enter.

These diagrams set out the safe way to proceed at intersections and roundabouts. In each diagram, the car marked 1 proceeds first, then car 2 and finally car 3.

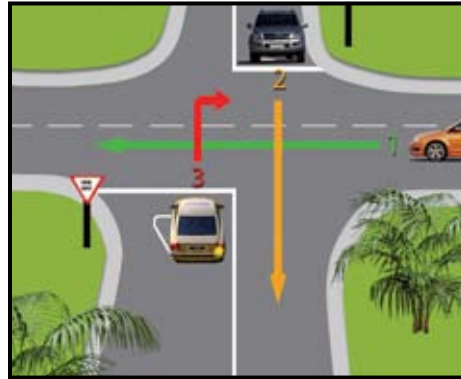
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### Turning right across traffic?



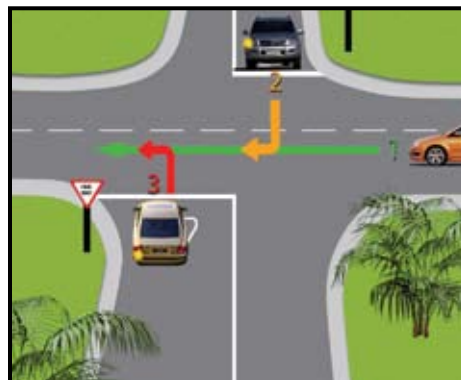
GIVEWAY rules apply. Make sure there is a large gap between vehicles coming straight through. Be patient.

### Turning right at a give way intersection?



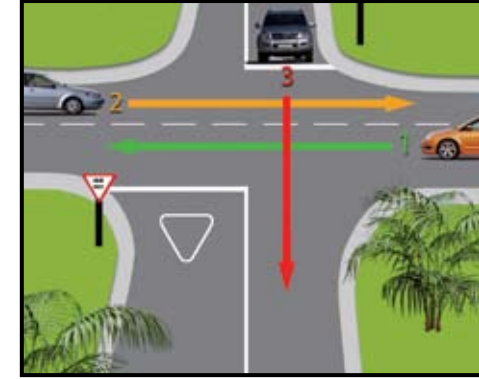
When turning right at a give way intersection, you must give way to ALL vehicles coming straight through from your left, ALL vehicles coming straight through from your right, ALL vehicles coming straight towards you, and ALL right turning vehicles coming from your right.

### Turning left at a give way intersection?



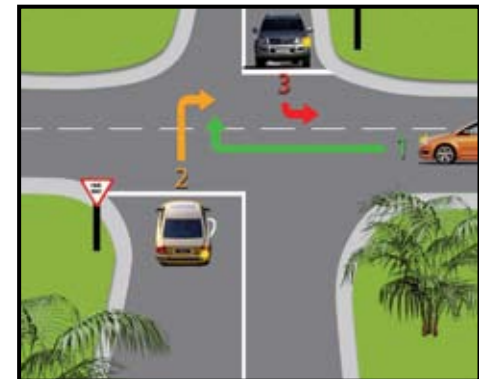
When turning left at a give way intersection, you must give way to ALL vehicles coming straight through from your right, and ALL vehicles coming towards you and turning right.

### Going straight through a give way intersection?



When going straight through a give way intersection, you must give way to ALL VEHICLES COMING STRAIGHT THROUGH FROM YOUR RIGHT AND LEFT.

### Three vehicles turning at a give way intersection?



When three vehicles are turning at a give way intersection, the vehicle with no give way or stop sign turns first. The vehicle turning left must give way to ALL vehicles coming straight through from their right and ALL vehicles coming towards them and turning right.