

# Tips How to Drive Safely

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Do you know vehicle crashes are a leading cause of death in the United States? We have collected some tips that will help people become a safe driver.

There are many causes for crashes. One of the causes is bad weather. Bad weather is really dangerous and people who drive need to be careful on the road. For example, when people are driving in the rain they should avoid driving through the flooded areas because if water gets stuck into the air intake valve and the engine, the car will probably shut off. An additional good tip is to make sure to put your fog lights on when driving in fog. The fog lights will help cut through the fog which will help the driver see clearly. Another way to become a safe driver is to drive the speed limit while driving in the rain. If the driver goes over the speed, he or she could spin off the road.

Another way people get hurt on the road is drunk driving. Drunk driving is the crime of driving a vehicle with excess of alcohol in the driver's blood. One statistics that we found is that every 48 seconds a drunk driver makes a person handicapped. There are some tips that we have collected that may help prevent a crash on the road. For example, if you are some what intoxicated, please make sure to call a taxi or choose a designated driver. Another tip to keep safe is if you are throwing a party that will involve alcohol, make sure that anyone that drinks have arranged alternate transportation. Last but not least, make sure that you are being responsible.

Furthermore, texting while driving is also common around the world. We even see people that are all ages texting and driving when we are in our cars on the road. Do you know, that text messages are 23 times worse than driving while distracted? If you are the type of person that can't stay off your phone, these tips will probably help you. One tip is to set your phone into silent mode while you are driving. Another tip is to completely turn off your phone so that you will not be able to text or get distracted while driving. If these tips do not work, you may want to try an application called " Safe Drive- No Texting While Driving." This

application is 99 cents but we still think it is worthy because it may save someone's life or yours.

If you are caught doing any of these type of things like texting while driving and drunk driving, you might have these disastrous consequences. In our research, we found that if you are caught texting while driving, you may get suspension or revocation of driving privileges. In addition, you must also take mandatory road safety classes to take off points on one's driving record. If you are caught drunk driving or not following driving laws, you might get a DUI/DWI, jail time, court costs, attorney fees, increased insurance rates, car impound and towing fees. The worst consequence is killing someone as well as injuring someone or yourself. Before doing any of these dangerous actions consider the consequences of putting yourself or anyone at risk.