Preparing students for uncontrolled crossings – Part 1: Background and Basics

STUDY SHEET

This worksheet will help you keep notes from the webinar – we're happy to check your accuracy if you send your completed notes to dona@sauerburger.org

Strategies for assuring time to cross at uncontrolled crossings

One of these strategies is NEVER reliable for uncontrolled crossings, the others are reliable under certain conditions:

- **cross with a parallel vehicle from the stop sign**
  - Is this ever reliable for uncontrolled crossings? If so, under what conditions?
- **cross after you've verified that vehicles have stopped**
  - Is this ever reliable for uncontrolled crossings? If so, under what conditions?
- **cross during a crossable gap in traffic**
  - Is this ever reliable for uncontrolled crossings? If so, under what conditions?
- **cross when it's quiet or, if using vision, when it's all clear.**
  - Is this ever reliable for uncontrolled crossings? If so, under what conditions?

Strategy: Cross when quiet / clear

- ***Factor that <u>determines</u> whether "cross when quiet" will be reliable for assuring time to cross:***
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- ***Factors that can <u>affect</u> whether "cross when quiet" will be reliable for assuring time to cross:***
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Situations of Uncertainty / Situation of Confidence

- ***What are Situations of Uncertainty/Confidence?***
- ***Criteria for being confident you'll have time to cross when it's quiet / clear using only 2-3 samples of warning times for vehicles approaching in each direction?***
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You're in a Situation of Uncertainty – what's the next step?

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ASSESSING RISK: What are some considerations?