

My decisions, my destination

Activity 5

Josh and Emily leave the party after their friends and are on their way home. Josh receives a video message from a friend and offers to show it to Emily.

Passenger behaviour can have a significant impact on driver attention and safety. Thinking about how you could be a safe passenger and driver in the future, answer the questions below.

1. Describe the atmosphere in the car with Josh and Emily. Why is this different to the car that their friends are travelling in?

2. What is Emily's response when Josh tries to show her the funny video he has received on his phone?

3. As a passenger, how could Josh change his behaviour to ensure that they get home safely?

4. Emily and Josh pull over when they see Andrew's car, crashed into a tree. Reflecting on what you know about the situation, what are the possible consequences of the crash for Andrew, Claire and James?

Taking action - Thinking about what you have learned from the videos and activities, write an alternative scenario where Andrew, Claire and James get home safely. Consider the behaviour of all the characters and make changes that will help to reduce the risks.

Take it further - Josh and Emily arrive at the crash that involves their friends on a quiet and unlit country road, and they must call 000 for help. In situations like these, where emergency services could be far away or the victims are severely injured, the RAC Rescue Helicopter may be dispatched to provide critical medical care to those trapped or injured. Using the links below, research the [RAC Rescue Helicopters online](#), focusing on understanding the types of incidents they attend, the services they provide to the community and some facts and statistics about their missions.

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