

## Chapter 8 Notes

### **Motorcycles**

What is the major cause of injury or death when a motorcyclist is involved in an accident?  
The exposed position of the rider and/or lack of safety gear (helmet)

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What makes it difficult for vehicle drivers to judge a motorcycle's speed and distance?  
The size of the motorcycle

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An oncoming motorcyclist is signaling for a left turn. You should wait to make your left turn until the motorcyclist has done what?  
Started his/her left turn

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Why are motorcycles hard to see when they are behind you?  
May get lost in your blind spot because of their size

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What should you do to protect a motorcyclist that is tailgating another vehicle?  
Increase your following distance

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What special precautions should a motorcyclist take when crossing railroad tracks?  
Cross the tracks at a right angle

### **Mopeds**

What are some restrictions that a moped may have?  
Can't drive on high-speed roadways and may not be able to keep up with traffic

### **Pedestrians**

Which group of pedestrians is the most at-risk?  
Younger and older people

### **School Bus**

When do you need to stop for a school bus that has its arm extended?  
Always UNLESS the bus is going the other direction on a road that has a median

### **Emergency Vehicles**

What actions should you take if an emergency vehicle is approaching?  
Pull to the right and stop or move in the direction of the other drivers

### **Trucks**

When can the driver of a truck see you?  
When you can see them in their mirror  
What road would you take to drive from the south to the north side of Fort Wayne (starting on the south side on us 27 and going through town)?  
Lafayette, Clinton, and/or Coldwater