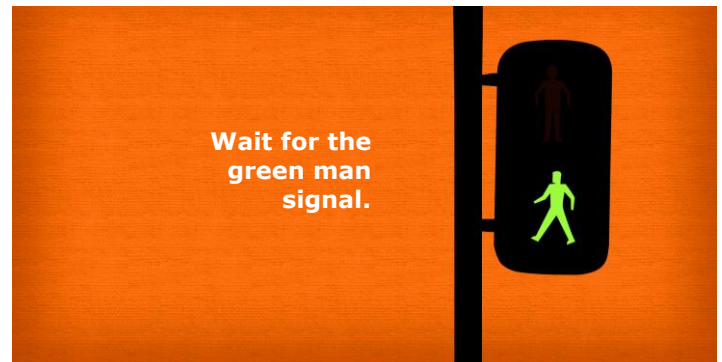


## Pedestrian crossings with traffic lights

Pedestrians must always obey the signals when crossing at traffic lights. Here are some tips for crossing safely at traffic lights:

- Always wait for the green man signal before crossing.
- Make sure all traffic is stopping before starting to cross.
- Stay alert - look and listen for traffic while crossing.
- If the flashing red man signal starts while crossing, don't worry. There is still time to finish crossing. Continue walking across with care.
- Do not start to cross on the red man signal, even if it is flashing.

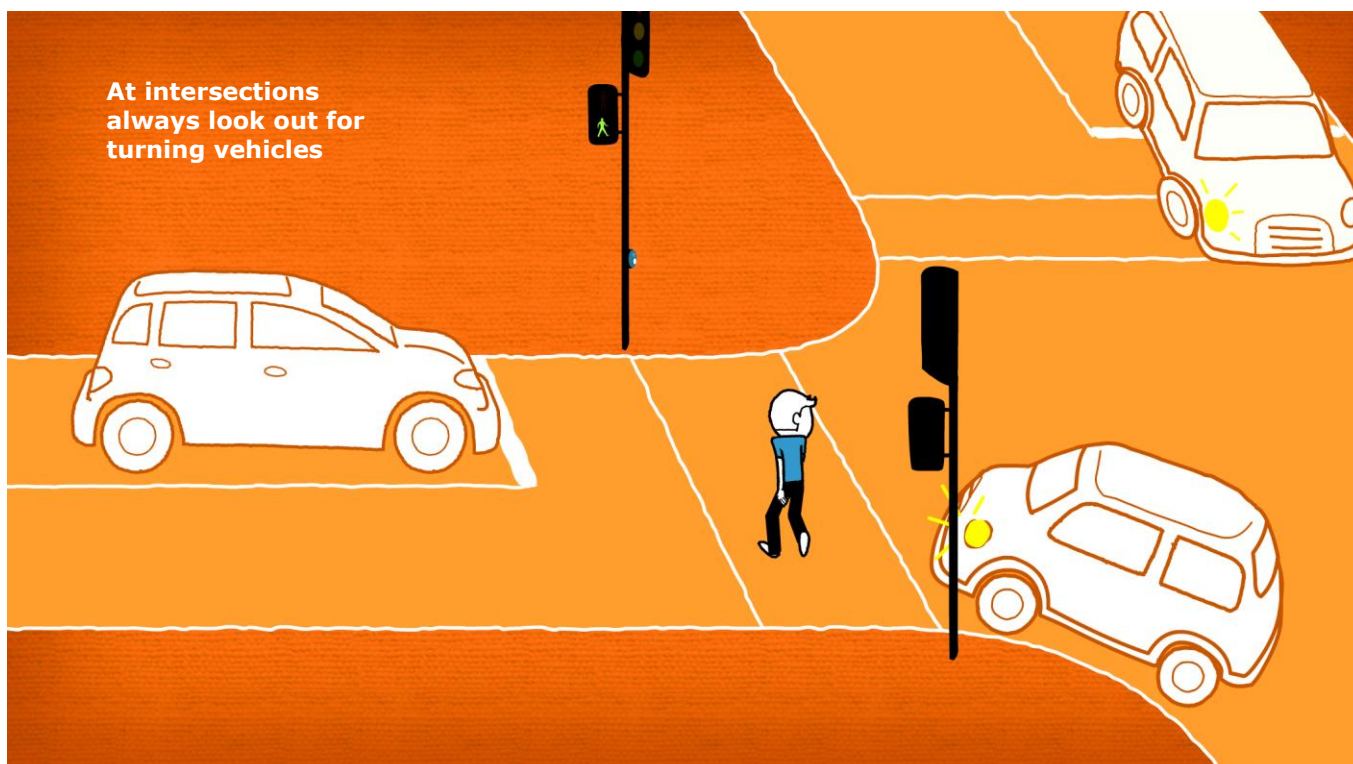
**Always obey the pedestrian crossing signals.**



- ▶ At intersections, even with traffic lights, it is important to always look out for turning vehicles. Drivers must give way to pedestrians, but sometimes they may not see them.
- ▶ At intersections always look out for turning vehicles. Check for vehicles turning right and left into the road being crossed.

#### Drivers and riders at traffic lights:

- ▶ Must stop when lights are red.
- ▶ Must not block the pedestrian crossing.
- ▶ When turning at an intersection must give way to pedestrians crossing the road they are turning into – even if a pedestrian is crossing against a red pedestrian signal.
- ▶ Have a duty of care, as do all road users, to act safely to avoid a collision.



**Look out for drivers and riders that may not have seen you.**

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