





GUJARAT TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME

S. N. Patel Institute of Technology and Research Centre, Umrakh

<u>A Report on Traffic Rules & Road Safety of S. N. Patel</u> Institute of Technology and Research Centre, Umrakh

<u>NSS Unit Name/College Names</u>: S N. Patel Institute of Technology and Research Centre, Umrakh

Event NAME: Traffic Rules & Road Safety

Date And Location: 28/10/2021, SNPIT&RC, Auditorium Hall

Time: 11.00 am onwards

Faculty Name: Dr. Arif Varsi, Dr. Mayuri Parjapati, Prof. Hitesh A. Tailor (NSS .P.O)

Participation: 450 students

Delegates of seminar:

1. Mrs. Deepika Dabhi, Director and Founder of Lakshya Academy and Hiren Foundation

2. Mr. Brijesh Verma, President, District Traffic Education and Welfare Society

3. Mr. C. G. Dalwadi, Inspector of Motor Vehicle, Bardoli

4. Mr. P. S. Rathva, Assistant Motor Vehicle Inspector, Bardoli

Brief Description of the Event

Introduction:

India ranks high when it comes to number of accidents on the road. However, in the recent years, improvement has been seen in this area. With the rapid increase in the number of vehicles on the road, the traffic conditions are under a lot of pressure. Therefore, road safety is one of the most serious public health issues in our country. It has an impact on everyone, whether one drives a vehicle, walks or rides a cycle.

Understanding Road Safety:

Road safety refers to the measures which must be adopted by everyone while using roads. These safety methods are meant for reducing the risk of accidents and injuries or causalities on the road. These rules must be followed by all users of roads including pedestrians, cyclists, motorists, and bus and truck drivers. Safety methods also relate to the construction, layout of roads as well as traffic regulation systems. So, we can summarise that road safety involves:

- The Design of Roads and Highways;
- Laws Pertaining to Traffic and Vehicles;
- Systems of Traffic Safety and Control;
- Driver Education;
- School Students' Education;
- Mass Education;
- Traffic Regulation and Road Safety Signs;
- Vehicle Design; and
- Motor Vehicle Safety Inspection and Maintenance.

Keeping our roads safe is not that difficult a task. Imagine if everyone follows simple safety measures and traffic rules, there will be no accident! In this Unit, you will understand the various types of road safety measures to be adopted, and the importance of safety rules, road signs, traffic signals and rules, driving rules, registration and licensing adopted in our country.

Session 1: Importance of Road Safety

Road Safety

Some of the major causes of road accidents are as follows.

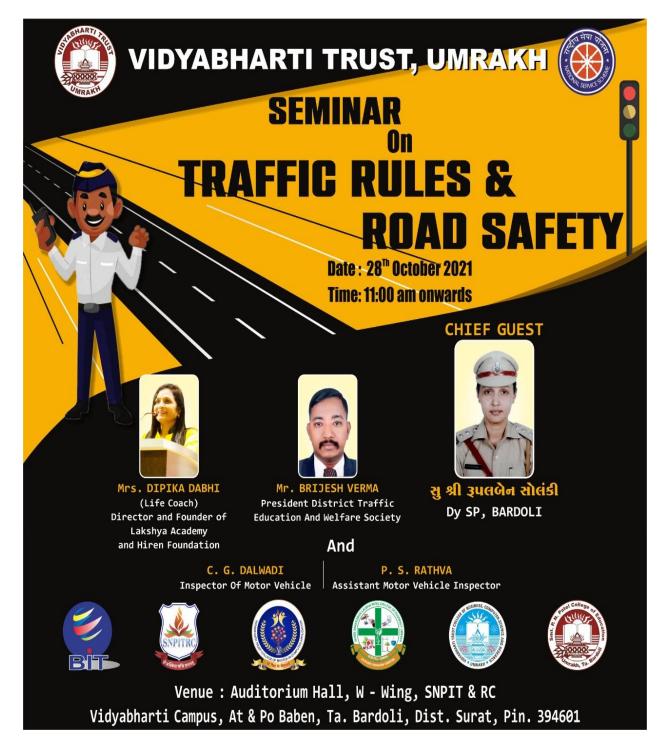
- Lack of highway safety
- Drunken driving
- Driving in an exhausted state for long hours
- Using cell phone while driving
- Over speeding or rash driving
- Driving in wrong lanes
- Turning without giving signal
- Overtaking from wrong side

Session 2: Safe and responsible driving

- Getting Ready to Drive before Driving. Ensure that you are comfortable with your mental and physical condition.
- Inspect your vehicle and observe the driving conditions. While driving, you should carry your driving licence, registration certificate, insurance certificate and pollution control certificate. Transport and commercial vehicle drivers should carry the permits and vehicle fitness certificates also. A combination of knowledge, skill and attitude is required to be a safe driver.
- Knowledge of traffic rules and driving practices that help traffic move safely.
- Skill to care about the safety of others on the road. We all are responsible for avoiding accidents.
- Attitude to cooperate with other drivers to keep traffic moving safely. We must be courteous.

Photographs of Event

Banner of the event





Delegates on the dias



Lamp lighting ceremony



Floral welcome to the delegates by the principal



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Feedback of the participants





Felicitation of the Dignitaries

