KAUNAS COUNTY
POLICE HEADQUARTERS

TO DEFEND. TO PROTECT. TO HELP.
Pedestrians

- Pedestrians must cross the carriageway only at pedestrian crossings (including underground or overhead crossings) and if there are no pedestrian crossings they must cross the carriageway at intersections along the line of pavements or shoulders.
- Pedestrians must walk along the pavements or along footpaths and along the shoulder if there are no pavements or footpaths keeping to the right-hand side of the road.
- Pedestrians who walk along the shoulder during the hours of darkness or when visibility is poor must carry a **flashlight or wear a bright-colored vest with reflecting stripes** or have **reflective accessories fixed to the clothes** in the place clearly visible to other road users.
Cyclists, Safe Riding Tips

- A bicycle driven on the road must have white front and red rear lights lit or the cyclist must wear a reflective vest.
- Before using your bicycle, make sure it is ready to ride. You should always inspect your bike to make sure all parts are secure and working properly.
Lithuanian Road Rules

- Driving in Lithuania is on the right hand side of the road.
- Dipped headlights must be used at all times during daylight hours.
- Lithuanian law states that vehicles drivers and passengers must belt up.
- The use of a mobile phone while driving is prohibited, with the exception of a hands-free system.
- Drivers are to carry at all times while driving, a valid driver's license, vehicle registration and mandatory technical inspection certificates, insurance documents.
- If the traffic lights at the intersection have a metal plate with a green arrow attached next to the red light, vehicles may turn right when the red light is on, provided that they give way and not endanger vehicles in the traffic stream they are joining and pedestrians crossing the road.
You should know that:

- Vehicles with studded tires must not be used from April 10 to October 31. From November 10 to March 31 vehicles with a permissible maximum mass up to 3.5 tones must not be used with summer tires;
- City, village not more than 50 km/h speed;
- At parking place not more than 20 km/h speed;
- Out of city or village the maximum speed limit for cars, motorcycles and tricycles on motorways is 130 km/h from April 1 to October 31 and 110 km/h from November 1 to March 31, 120 km/h on highways from April 1 to October 31 and 110 km/h from November 1 to March 31, 90 km/h on roads with asphalt or concrete paving, and 70 km/h on other roads.
Can I take small beer before driving car?

- Motorcycle drivers, taxi drivers, four-wheeler drivers, commercial vehicles, truck (over 3,5 ton) drivers and young drivers (experience less than 2 years) have no right to use alcohol while they are driving. It must be 0 promile of alcohol in blood.
- Other drivers can have 0.4 promile of alcohol in blood.
DID YOU KNOW? Intoxication...drugs, medical drugs... tiredness

- Alcohol has a very significant effect on the functions of the body which are vital to driving and being able to function. Alcohol is a depressant, which mainly affects the function of the brain.
- In all actuality alcohol weakens a variety of skills that are necessary to perform everyday tasks.
- One of the main effects of alcohol is severely impairing a person's ability to shift attention from one thing to another.
Lithuanian Driver’s License

- Permanent residents of Lithuania are required to obtain a local driving license. A person is permanently residing in the Republic of Lithuania if he/she normally lives in the Republic of Lithuania at least 185 days in every calendar year. A student (a foreign national or person without citizenship) who has been studying in Lithuania for at least 6 months is also considered to be a person permanently residing in the Republic of Lithuania.
- Examination services are available only for persons permanently residing in the Republic of Lithuania.