

Preventing Motor Vehicle Accidents

- Stay **one car length (12')** per **10 MPH** of distance between you and traffic ahead (at 70 MPH that would be 84')
- **Double** the distance during inclement weather (rain, snow, low visibility)
- **Be aware**; do not box yourself in while driving; always have an escape plan
- Understand who has the **right of way**
- **Pay attention** in a yield and that the car in front has completed through the intersection/roundabout
- **Lead by example**, even when no one is watching
- Back into parking spaces
- Keep signage for good driving practices at entry/exit locations

