

Road Safety Education Limited is the leading provider of road safety education for youth in New Zealand. The flagship **RYDA Programme** is typically delivered to approximately 45,000 senior high school students from more than 650 participating schools across Australia and New Zealand each year.

High teen crash risk is due to a number of factors, including a fundamental lack of driving skill. However, contrary to what one might think, the evidence suggests that poor vehicle control skills account for only 10% of novice driver crashes; the remaining 90% is accounted for by factors such as inexperience, immaturity, inaccurate risk perception, overestimation of driving skills, and risk taking (Edwards, 2001)

Picking up from where RYDA leaves off, Good2Go is a unique opportunity for young drivers to work closely with specially trained instructors to hone their critical thinking, hazard perception, scanning, risk assessment and decision making skills behind the wheel in a real traffic environment.

This is essential learning that bridges the gap between vehicle control skills and the ability to make smart choices to stay safe on the road.

## GOOD2GO IS DELIVERED IN PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN SCHOOLS AND ROAD SAFETY EDUCATION LTD

To discuss opportunities to partner with RSE and make this program available to your students, please email maria@rse.org.nz.











## Good 2Go Sessions

Students take part an interactive workshop and three in-car modules.

- MODULE ONE A short classroom session explaining the 5 most common crash types and causes. Students also look at crash testing, safety ratings and complete a short risk-awareness activity.
- MODULE TWO Creating low risk driving habits, focusing on the importance of a safe following distance, minimum vision, and properly checking and monitoring blind
- MODULE THREE Participants learn how to identify potential hazards and respond appropriately. Defining what a hazard is, and setting out usable methods of responding in a way that lowers drivers' exposure to harm.
- MODULE FOUR Considers how our decisions affect other road users, practicing gathering information early and making good decisions on the spot. Wraps up with a demonstration 'commentary drive'.

## **Prerequisites to Good2Go**



- NZ Learner or Restricted
- Can safely operate a motor
- Can drive in moderate traffic on multi-lane roads
- · Have some experience in complex traffic environments
- Have attended RYDA (preferable, not required)

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WE MUST BALANCE THIS WITH THE SKILL OF CRITICAL THINKING AND AN APPRECIATION FOR SAFETY ON THE ROAD



