

Safety Signs and Symbols Picture Cards

SECTION 1 · THE PICTURE CARDS

CUT APART **Safety Sign Cards — Color**

SAFETY SIGNS

						
wheelchair symbol	railway track	no pedestrians	no smoking	construction	stop sign	safety vest
						
police car light	no entry	warning	vertical traffic light	helmet	fire extinguisher	

CUTTING THESE APART
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9 PICTURES A CHILD MAY NAME ANOTHER WAY
vertical traffic light (stoplight), no entry (do not enter), construction (barrier), railway track (train tracks), police car light (siren), warning (caution sign), no pedestrians (no walking), wheelchair symbol (wheelchair), safety vest (vest). Decide once, in your own scoring rule, how each of these answers is marked, and mark it the same way every session.

WHAT THIS DECK DOES NOT SORT BY
Thirteen signs and symbols, sorted into a road-sign group and a warning-and-rescue group — not by color, not by shape, and not by which signs a specific school or building actually posts. Those are the adult's own call, not a rule this file makes.

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ANSWER KEY

Mat 2: Road Signs or Warning and Rescue

SAFETY SIGNS

Put every card in its group.

Warning and Rescue

NO FAINT PICTURE ON THIS MAT
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CUT, SORT, GLUE

13 cards, 6 Road Signs and 7 Warning and Rescue. Three sort mats go from a picture guide to writing.

SCORED THE SAME WAY

Every quick form (page 14) and the full-deck form (page 15) prints each picture's group beside it.

PICTURES, NOT A SCRIPT

The pictures replace the word list a child cannot yet read; your scoring rule stays your call.

Start Here — Three Steps

Ninety seconds of reading. The cards themselves need no setup.



1

Print and cut the cards

Print the color card page (page 6) or the ink-saver page (page 7) on cardstock and cut on the dashed lines. The 13 cards touch, so most cuts are one straight line.

Read the note on the card page once: 9 pictures have a second name a child may say, and how you mark that is decided before the first probe.



2

Sort onto a mat

Pick the mat for the child. Mat 1 (page 9, ●) has a faint picture guide for six of the cards; Mat 2 (page 10, ■) has both full groups with no guide; Mat 3 (page 11, ▲) is for writing the words.

Check a finished mat against the answer key (page 12).



3

Probe, log and graph it

Mark a quick form (page 14) or the full-deck form (page 15) as the child sorts.

Copy the correct-out-of-total onto the data log (page 16) the same day, plot the percent on the graph (page 17), and update the caseload page (page 18) on whatever schedule your team reviews data.

Send the family page (page 20) home the same week — it uses the same pictures.

WHAT THIS FILE IS

A fillable PDF with drawn picture cards built in. It works offline, with no account or subscription, and looks the same on every machine that opens it. Print the student mats; type into the teacher pages.

WHAT THIS FILE IS NOT

It is not an editable online slideshow or word-processor document, and it is not a norm-referenced or standardized test. It carries no instruction script about when or how safety signs are taught; it covers two groups of pictures and how to mark and total the sort.

THE RULE EVERY PAGE IN THIS FILE FOLLOWS

This file does not decide what counts as a correct answer, a criterion, or a typical rate for naming safety signs. Every one of those is a blank you fill in from your own scoring rule and your team's judgment.

IF SOMETHING DOES NOT WORK

A field will not hold my typing. Open the file in Adobe Acrobat Reader (free) or Preview, not a browser tab.

I need a sign this deck does not have. Use the **Ask a Question** tab on the product page; a new picture is a free update where the art honestly shows the thing.

CONFIDENTIALITY, AND WHERE THIS FILE LIVES IN A CASELOAD FOLDER

A filled-in probe form, log or caseload page is a student record: initials only on anything that leaves your hands, first name only on the family page. Print the picture cards once and keep the set in an envelope with this file; the log, graph and caseload page stay in the student's data folder so the trend is the first thing anyone finds.

CUT APART

Safety Sign Cards — Color



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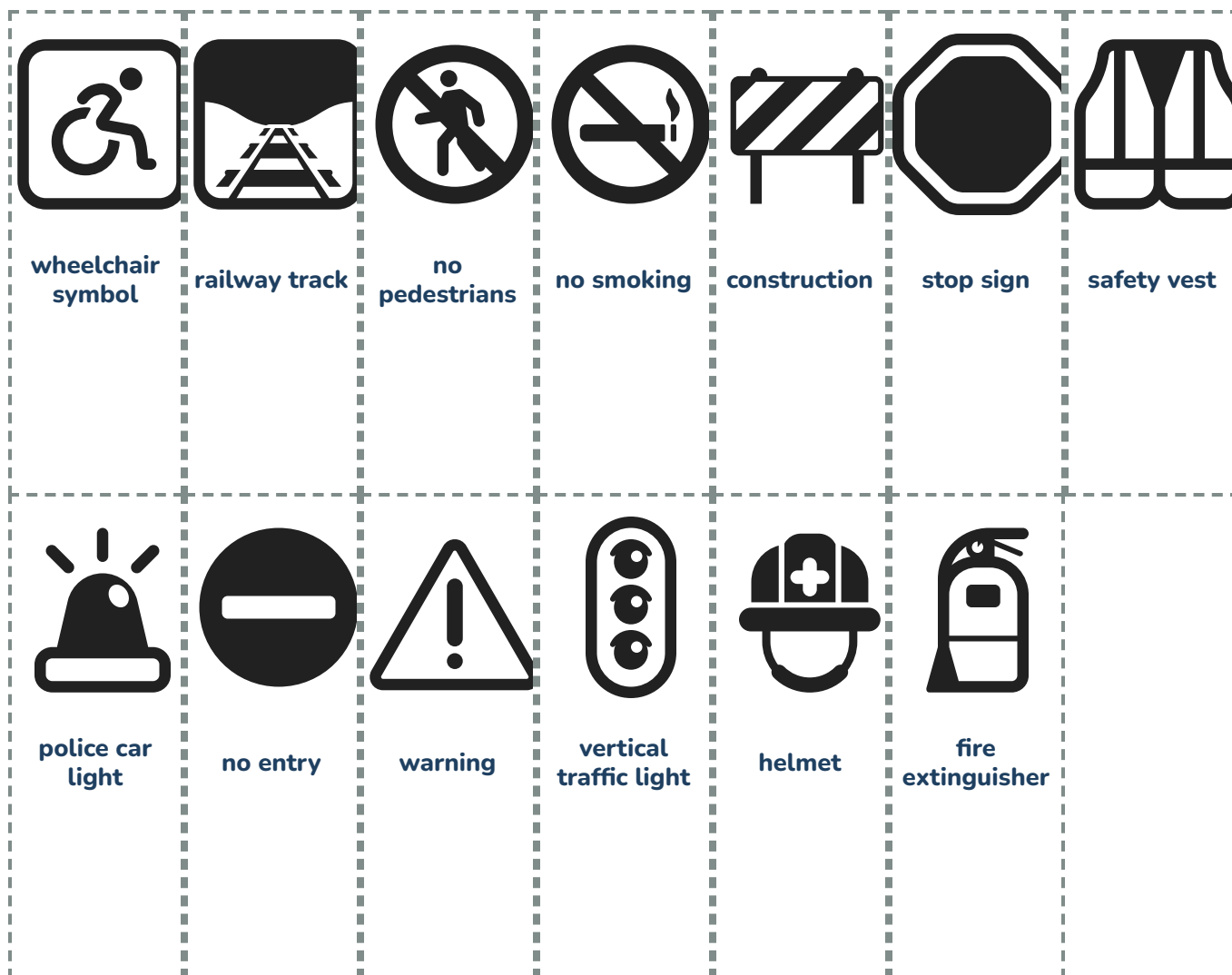
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CUT APART

Safety Sign Cards — Ink-Saver



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Print on cardstock and cut on the dashed lines: six cuts across, straight lines only. Both groups are mixed on the page on purpose, so the page itself gives nothing away. Pure black outlines, so a photocopier spends the least ink it can. The same 13 cards in the full-color set are on page 6.

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SORT MAT

Sort Mat 2: Road Signs or Warning and Rescue

MY NAME _____

**Put every card in its group.**■
building

 Road Signs		

 Warning and Rescue		

CHECK YOUR WORK

Every one of the 13 cards goes in one of these two boxes, none left over. When every slot is full, check the finished mat against the answer key (page 12) before gluing anything down.

NO FAINT PICTURE ON THIS MAT

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CHECKLIST

Quick Probe Forms A and B

Form A is the 6 Road Signs pictures; Form B is the 7 Warning and Rescue pictures. Together they are all 13 cards, no picture on both. Every picture is scored on the full-deck form, page 15.

STUDENT

DATE

FORM GIVEN (A OR B)

HOW TO MARK EACH PICTURE

Show the child each picture in the form and ask what it means or where they would see it. Mark + for the response your scoring rule counts as right and – for anything else, including no response. What counts as which is this adult's call, written once and reused every session.

Form A — Road Signs 6 pictures · untimed



stop sign

☐ ☐
+ -


vertical traffic light

☐ ☐
+ -


no entry

☐ ☐
+ -


construction

☐ ☐
+ -


railway track

☐ ☐
+ -


police car light

☐ ☐
+ -

SCORE (CORRECT OUT OF 6)

PICTURE MISSED, WHEN IT WAS WRONG

Form B — Warning and Rescue 7 pictures · untimed



warning

☐ ☐
+ -


no pedestrians

☐ ☐
+ -


fire extinguisher

☐ ☐
+ -


wheelchair symbol

☐ ☐
+ -


no smoking

☐ ☐
+ -


safety vest

☐ ☐
+ -


helmet

☐ ☐
+ -

SCORE (CORRECT OUT OF 7)

PICTURE MISSED, WHEN IT WAS WRONG

TWO FORMS, NOT FOUR

Road Signs and Warning and Rescue are uneven groups (6 and 7 pictures), so this deck uses one quick form per group instead of splitting each group across several short forms. Rotate A and B across sessions the same way the data log (page 16) asks for.

A FORM IS NOT A CRITERION

A quick form tells you how the child did today on one group of pictures. Whether that score is enough to move on, hold steady or change the plan is a decision this file leaves to the adult and the team's own criterion, not a rule printed here.



CHECKLIST

Full-Deck Probe — Where the Child Put Each Card

All 13 cards in deck order, one row each. Mark + or – as on the quick forms, then carry the total to the log (page 16) as correct out of 13. A row left blank was not shown today.

STUDENT

DATE

YOUR RULE FOR + AND –

#	PICTURE	BELONGS IN	RIGHT GROUP? + / –	GROUP THE CHILD CHOSE
1	 wheelchair symbol	Warning and Rescue	☐ ☐	
2	 railway track	Road Signs	☐ ☐	
3	 no pedestrians	Warning and Rescue	☐ ☐	
4	 no smoking	Warning and Rescue	☐ ☐	
5	 construction	Road Signs	☐ ☐	
6	 stop sign	Road Signs	☐ ☐	
7	 safety vest	Warning and Rescue	☐ ☐	
8	 police car light	Road Signs	☐ ☐	
9	 no entry	Road Signs	☐ ☐	
10	 warning	Warning and Rescue	☐ ☐	
11	 vertical traffic light	Road Signs	☐ ☐	
12	 helmet	Warning and Rescue	☐ ☐	
13	 fire extinguisher	Warning and Rescue	☐ ☐	

TOTAL CORRECT (OUT OF 13)

PICTURES SHOWN TODAY (IF FEWER THAN ALL)

ALL 13 CARDS ON ONE SHEET

Same one-mark scoring as the quick forms, in the same mixed deck order as the cut-apart cards (page 6).
Total the correct column and carry it to the log (page 16) as correct out of 13.

 **NOTES**

Signs We Know at Home

Send home the same week these pictures are new in session. No jargon, no percents — the data log already has those.

STUDENT

WEEK OF

FROM

THIS WEEK'S PICTURES (CIRCLE THE ONES WE SORTED)



stop sign



wheelchair symbol



fire extinguisher



no entry



helmet



warning

SOMETHING THAT WENT WELL

TWO MINUTES AT HOME: SPOT THE SIGNS

On a walk, in the car, or around the house, point out a safety sign or symbol together and say what it means. Write down which ones your child spotted.

WE PRACTICED (INITIAL THE DAY)

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN

SIGNS AND SYMBOLS WE NOTICED OUTSIDE OF PRACTICE

A sign at the store, in the car, or on a walk — anything your child pointed out and named.

ANYTHING TO FLAG BEFORE NEXT SESSION

QUESTIONS? BEST WAY TO REACH ME

SIGNATURE (FAMILY), IF YOUR SCHOOL ASKS FOR IT

EXAMPLE

Filled Example

SAMPLE · INVENTED STUDENT

Every number in the read-out is re-counted straight from the table above.

Theo is invented, and so is every mark on this page. Eight quick probes, Form A (Road Signs) and Form B (Warning and Rescue) rotating.

#	DATE	FORM	CORRECT	OUT OF	PERCENT	NOTES
1	9/9	A	3	6	50%	baseline
2	9/16	B	4	7	57%	baseline
3	9/23	A	4	6	67%	–
4	9/30	B	5	7	71%	wheelchair symbol card put in Road Signs instead of Warning and Rescue, marked –
5	10/7	A	5	6	83%	–
6	10/14	B	6	7	86%	6 of 7, the highest Form B score so far
7	10/21	A	6	6	100%	–
8	10/28	B	7	7	100%	7 of 7, every Warning and Rescue card correct

READING THE NUMBERS

Baseline is the first probe given, session 1 (Form A): 3 of 6, 50 percent. By session 8 (Form B), Theo named 7 of 7, 100 percent — a 50 percentage-point rise from baseline. Every percent above is that row's own correct count divided by its own out-of, times 100, rounded to the nearest whole number.

A LINE THIS LOG COULD WRITE

"On safety-sign probes (untimed), Theo named 3 of 6 Road Signs pictures at baseline in September and 7 of 7 Warning and Rescue pictures on the most recent probe in October."

WHERE THEO WOULD SIT ON THE CASELOAD PAGE

One row: baseline 50 percent, current 100 percent, trend up, decision "continue current plan" — the same numbers this table already shows, carried onto page 18 in one line instead of eight rows.

WHAT THIS EXAMPLE IS NOT

One invented child's eight sessions. It does not predict how quickly any real student will move, and it sets no typical rate for naming safety signs — it exists only to show how the log, the table and the graph read once numbers are actually on them.

THE SESSION-4 NOTE

On session 4 (Form B) the wheelchair symbol card went in the Road Signs group. It belongs in Warning and Rescue (answer key, page 12), so the row is marked –. It counts against that session's 5 of 7; the other missed picture that session is not named here.