

Fatal factors on the road

Seatbelts quiz

1. Research suggests wearing a correctly fitted seat belt reduces the risk of fatal or serious injury by around:
2. Name one benefit the seat belt offers when a driver or passenger is involved in a crash?
3. Describe three ways to ensure seat belts are being used correctly.
4. In what year did Western Australia make wearing of seat belts compulsory?
5. When should you replace your seat belt?
6. TRUE or FALSE: It is legal to ride in the tray of a utility vehicle with a make-shift seat belt
7. Western Australia has child car restraint laws. Describe what this means.
8. Why do you think children seven years and under need to have a suitable child restraint?
9. What is one action you could do ensure that everyone in the vehicle is using their seat belts correctly?

Extension

if you have access to an internet connection, head to the Road Safety Commission's webpage about the penalties involving seat belts.

Link: [wa.gov.au/organisation/road-safety-commission/more-road-rules-and-penalties](https://www.wa.gov.au/organisation/road-safety-commission/more-road-rules-and-penalties)

What do you notice about the fines and demerit points?

