



Pre Lesson

## **Bicycle Safety Vocabulary**

**Level:** k-1-2-3-4-5-6

**Subject(s):** Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening

**Objective:** Students learn new vocabulary words that will be used in the upcoming bicycle lesson (**Bicycle Safety: Responsible, Visible, Predictable**) held by the Bicycle Coalition of Greater Philadelphia.

**Time:** One 20- 40 minute lesson

### **Materials:**

The words (Transportation, Responsible, Visible, and Predictable) and their definitions plus enough blank pieces of paper to go around for each word and for each student (four pieces of paper total per student).

### DEFINITIONS TO USE:

Transportation: the act of moving something or someone from one location to another.

Responsible: being aware of how your actions affect other people and yourself; having the capacity for moral/rational decisions based on your personal actions.

Visible: obvious to the eye; something that can be seen.

Predictable: to allow others to know what your next actions will be.

### **Suggested Activities:**

How to play the game:

1. The teacher starts with one of the words (transportation, responsible, visible and predictable) and presents it to the class.
2. Each student (or group of students if teacher chooses to play in teams) will write a made-up definition for the word in question and the teacher will write the real definition. All of the definitions must be written on identical pieces of paper so that the paper doesn't become the clue.
3. All definitions are turned into the teacher and read by him/her. Teacher then instructs each student to vote for a definition while the teacher reads the definitions aloud the second time. Only after the votes have been collected/tallied can the instructor reveal real definition.
4. Points are scored in two ways:
  - a. someone votes for your definition as the real one (one point per vote).
  - b. you vote for the correct definition.
5. Repeat game until all words have been used (Transportation, Responsible, Visible, Predictable).
6. The winner is the student with the most points.