

NO DISTRACTIONS!
Pedestrians should pay attention
to the way ahead

ADVICE FOR PEDESTRIANS

Pedestrians should always be attentive while walking, avoid using electronic devices such as mobile phones, tablet computers and handheld game consoles. Using such devices on road distracts you from observing the road conditions. You might trip over, bump into other people or even get injured by traffic if you step out of the pavement accidentally. Wearing earphones while walking may also prevent you from noticing any approaching vehicles and hearing car horns in dangerous situations.

SAFETY TIPS

Use pedestrian crossing facilities such as footbridges, subways, signal-controlled pedestrian crossings or zebra crossings as far as possible. If there are no such crossing facilities nearby, find a safe place with a clear view before crossing. Do not cross the road between gaps of stationary vehicles.

Before crossing the road, check the traffic conditions and listen carefully. Make sure there are no approaching vehicles before crossing.

Be attentive when crossing the road. Do not check mobile phone messages, play electronic games, listen to audio devices or carry out any other activities. Stay alert to approaching vehicles and do not linger on the road.

Observe the pedestrian traffic light signal when crossing. Do not cross the road when the "red man" light is on. Do not start to cross the road when the "green man" light is flashing.

Do not climb over road fences or planters to cross the road.

Do not chase around or run on the road.