

SZALAI NÓRI BEMUTATJA:

LEVEL 3 UNIT 6

Traffic signs and warnings
forgalmi jelzőtáblák és figyelmeztetések

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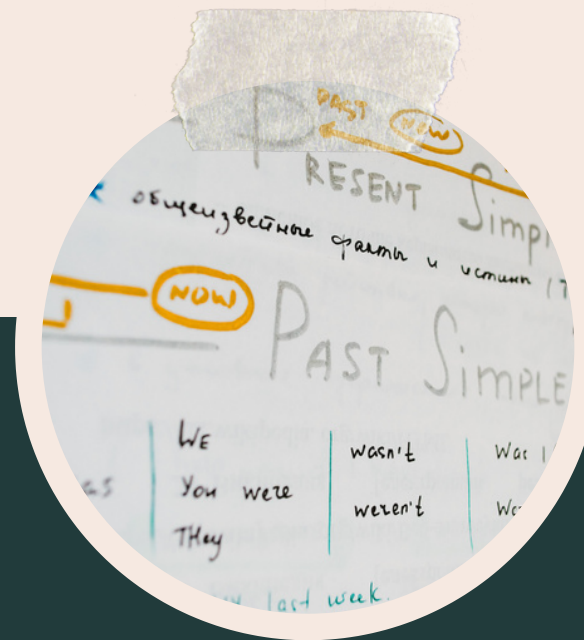


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Traffic signs and warnings

Traffic may **consist of pedestrians, vehicles**, even animals on roads. There are many **regulations** concerning traffic to **ensure** everyone's safety.

Traffic laws are the rules that everyone must follow while using public roads.

There is a large **network** of roads across modern countries including narrow **country lanes**, wider roads and **motorways** with fast traffic.

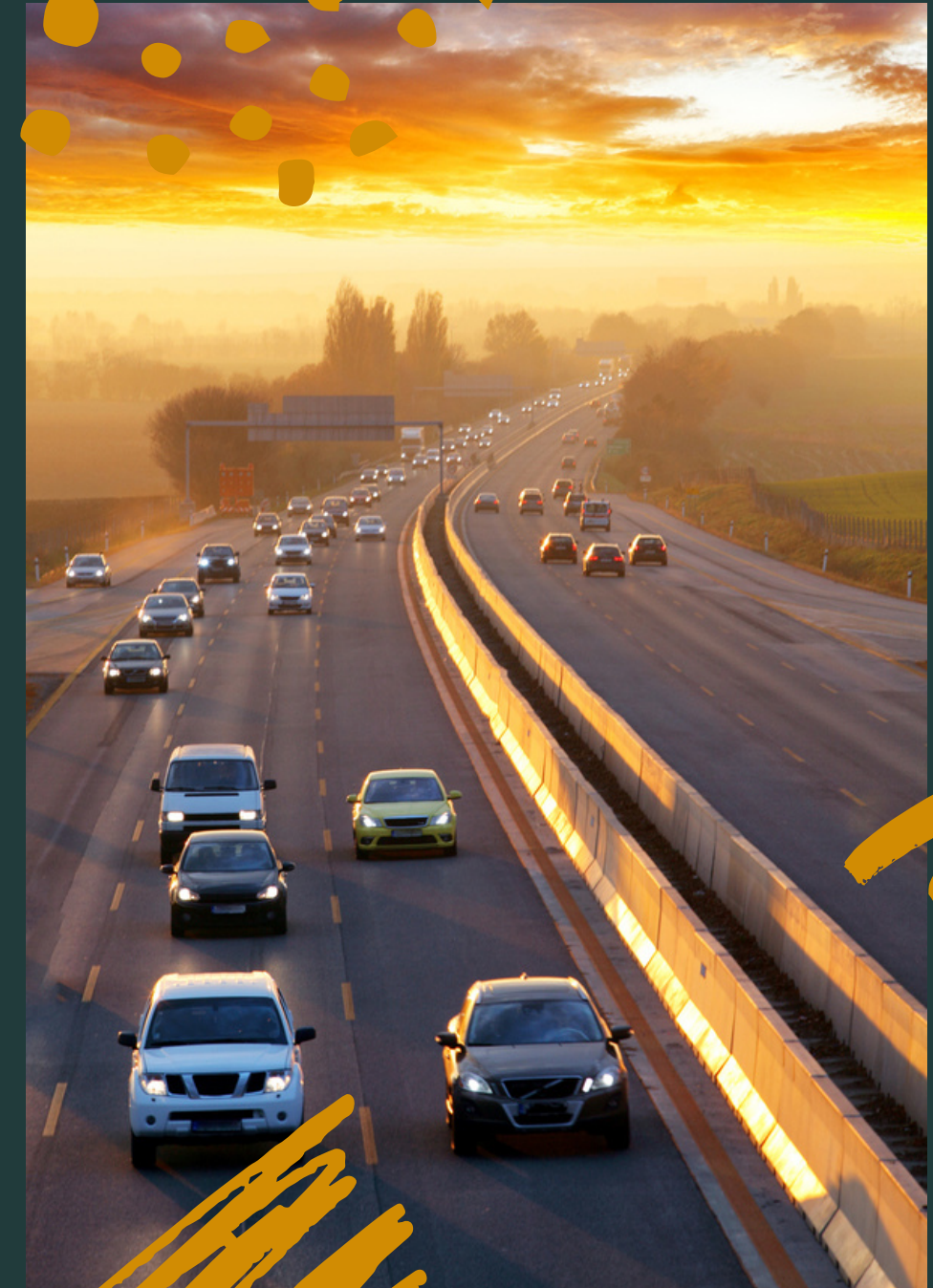
Left-hand driving is **mandatory** in Hungary and most European countries, except the UK and Ireland. Right-hand traffic means that all traffic is generally required to **keep right** and in **roundabouts** all participants go **counterclockwise**.

Left-hand traffic keeps left and in roundabouts you need to drive **clockwise**. Usually there are different **speed limits in force** on different types of roads.

The **road charges** in the UK are paid by collecting a road tax that drivers must pay every 6-12 months. It allows the driver to use their car legally on any road in the country.

In Hungary, motorways can be used only by paying a fee. Roads for which a fee is paid for passage are called **toll roads**.

If you would like to drive a car, a motorbike, a **truck** or a bus, first you need to get a **driver's license**. To get the license you have to **pass** a driving **test**, and in some countries a **first-aid** test too. There are different categories of license for different types of motor vehicles. The minimum driving age for cars and motorcycles in the UK and in Hungary is 17. In the UK there is a written test, called 'theory', and an actual driving test, called 'practical'. The Hungarian system is the same, although **applicants** need to pass a first-aid test too.



The Highway Code in the United Kingdom is a set of information, advice and rules for all road users. A part of the code is about **traffic signs** that everyone has to know. You can see traffic signs or road signs at the side of the outer **lane** or above roads. Traffic signs provide information or instructions to road users, drivers and pedestrians.

Many countries use **pictorial** signs and other simple standard signs so that everyone can understand them easily. The picture signs use symbols instead of words and they usually follow international **protocols**. Standardised traffic regulations and signs in European countries make travel and using roads safer. There are still some **country-specific exceptions**, so it is important to be aware what road signs we can meet while travelling in a foreign country.

to consist of	állni valamiből
pedestrian	gyalogos
vehicle	jármű
regulation	szabályozás
to ensure	biztosítani
network	hálózat
country lane	kis vidéki út
motorway	autópálya
mandatory	kötelező
to keep right	jobbra tartani
roundabout	körforgalom
counterclockwise	óramutató járásával ellentétesen

clockwise	óramutató járásával egyezően
speed limit	sebességkorlátozás
in force	érvényben, hatályban
road charge	útdíj
fee	díj
toll road	fizetős út
truck	teherautó
driver's license	vezetői engedély
to pass a test	letenni egy vizsgát
first-aid	elsősegély
theory	elmélet
practical	gyakorlati
applicant	jelölt
traffic sign	forgalmi jelzés
lane	sáv
pictorial	képes
protocol	protokoll, előírás
country-specific	országra jellemző
exception	kivétel



Focus on idioms and expressions

dead-end situation

kilátástalan helyzet

in the driving seat

vezető pozícióban

Step on it!

Taposs bele!

to be given the green light

zöld utat kapni

to be on the road

úton lenni

to drive at something

célozni valamire

to drive somebody mad/crazy

valakit az őrületbe kergetni

to hit the road

útra kelni

to put the brake on

visszafogni valamit

to take a backseat

háttérbe vonulni

to turn the corner

túllépni a nehézségeken



TRAFFIC SIGNS AND MARKINGS

No U turn

Megfordulni tilos

No parking

Várakozni tilos

One-way traffic

Egyirányú utca

Give priority to vehicles from opposite direction

A szembejövő forgalom elsőbbsége

Roundabout

Körforgalom

Stop and give way!

Állj! Elsőbbségadás kötelező!

Traffic lights

Forgalomirányító fényjelző készülék

Tunnel

Alagút

Pedestrian crossing

Gyalogos átkelőhely

Bend to right

Veszélyes útkanyarulat jobbra

Slippery road

Csúszós úttest!

pedestrian crossing

gyalogos átkelőhely

emergency phone

segélyhívó telefon

disabled parking

mozgáskorlátozott parkolóhely

Speed limit

Megengedett maximális sebesség

Ahead only

Kötelező haladási irány

Crossroads

Útkereszteződés alárendelt úttal

No entry

Behajtani tilos

Give way!

Elsőbbségadás kötelező

Cycle prohibited

Kerékpárral behajtani tilos

Level crossing with barrier

Sorompóval biztosított vasúti átjáró

Level crossing without barrier

Sorompó nélküli vasúti átjáró

No left turn

Balra kanyarodni tilos

No overtaking

Előzni tilos

No right turn

Jobbra kanyarodni tilos

No stopping

Megállni tilos

No through road/Dead end

Zsákutca

traffic jam

forgalmi dugó

parking metre

parkolóóra

traffic lights

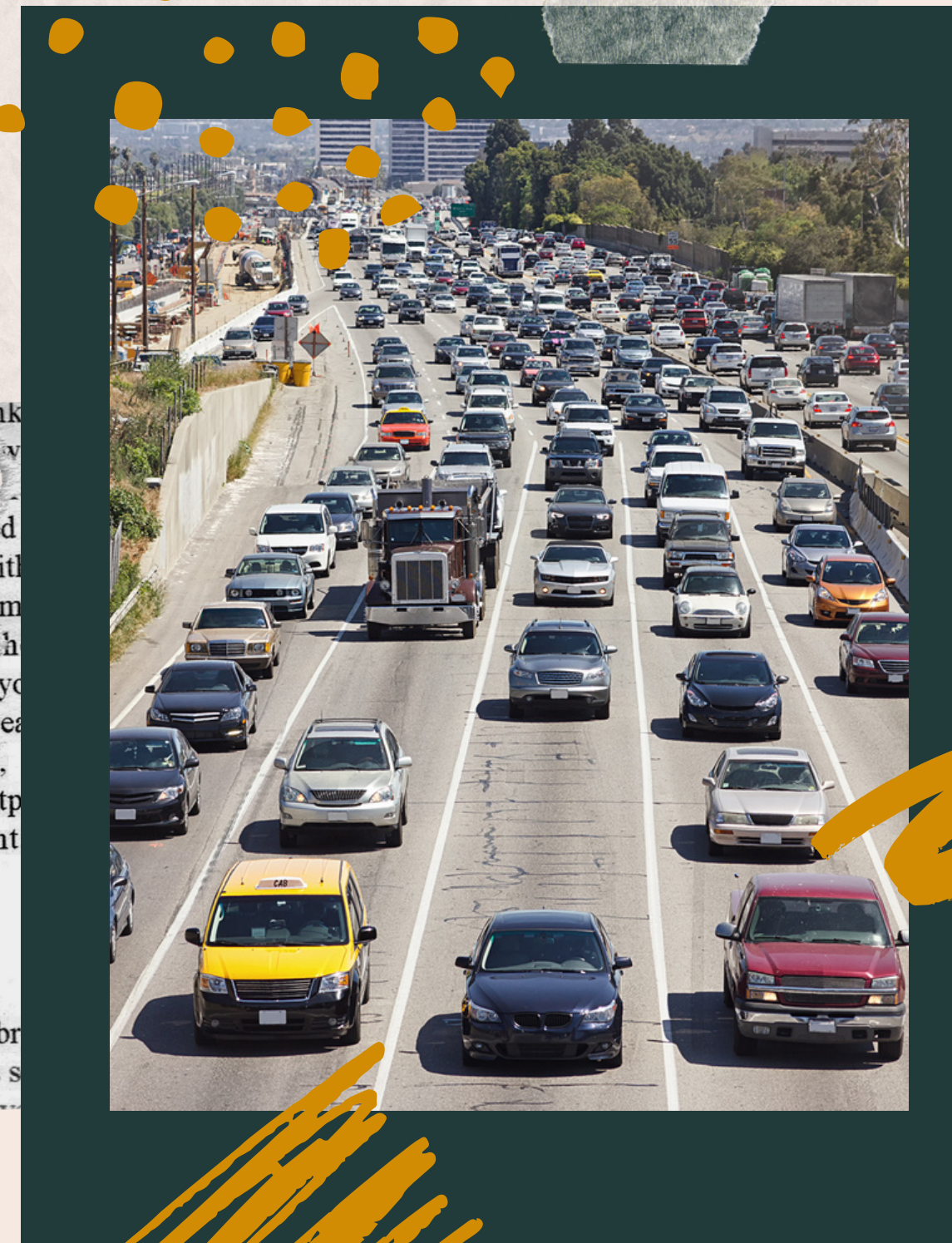
közlekedési lámpa



Types of Road

- a) one of the two or three parallel areas on a road which are divided by painted lines to keep traffic apart
- b) a wide road in a town or city, often with trees along the sides
- c) a specially prepared hard surface for cars, buses, bicycles etc. to travel on
- d) a public road in a city or town that has houses, shops etc. on one or both sides
- e) a road which is closed at one end, so that there is only one way in and out
- f) a track that has been made deliberately or made by many people walking over the same ground
- g) a very wide road for travelling fast over long distances, especially between cities
- h) a road, path, direction etc. that you take in order to get to a particular place
- i) a raised circular area where three or more roads join together and which cars must drive around
- j) a way from one place to another
- k) a road or broad path between two rows of trees, especially one leading to a big house

1) avenue	7) road	avenue	sugárút
2) boulevard	8) route	road	út(test)
3) cul-de-sac	9) street	boulevard	körút, sugárút
4) dirt road	10) way	route	útvonal
5) motorway (Br)/highway (US)	11) path	cul-de-sac	zsákutca
6) lane	12) roundabout	street	utca
		dirt road	földút
		way	út (fogalom)
		motorway/highway	autópálya
		path	ösvény
		lane	sáv
		roundabout	körforgalom



USEFUL DIALOGUE - SPEEDING

- Policeman: Good afternoon, Madame! Can I see your driving license and registration please?
- Woman: Of course. Here they are. Is there a problem?
- Policeman: Do you know how fast you were driving?
- Woman: No, I'm sorry. Was it above the speed limit?
- Policeman: Yes, you broke the speed limit. Have you been drinking today?
- Woman: No, of course not. I'm sorry, I didn't realize that this is a built-up area.
- Policeman: I can see that. The speed limit is 30 mph here and you were driving 5 mph over it.
- Woman: The rain is so heavy that I couldn't see the road sign.
- Policeman: I can understand that, although weather conditions should make you more responsible.
- Woman: Am I going to have to pay a fine?
- Policeman: No, this time I'll let you go with a warning. Be very careful. I can also see that your license is going to expire in a few weeks. Don't forget to renew it in time.
- Woman: I won't. Thank you, Officer!



Important phrases and words

Can I see your ...?

Here they are.

Is there a problem?

I'm sorry, I didn't realise that...

Have you been drinking today?

I can understand that, although...

This time I'll let you go with a warning.

Don't forget to...

driving licence

registration

speed limit

to break the speed limit

heavy rain

weather conditions

responsible

fine

warning

to expire

to renew

Láthatnám a ...-t?

Tessék, itt vannak.

Van valami probléma?

Elnézést, nem vettem észre, hogy...

Ivott a mai nap folyamán?

Megértem, ugyanakkor...

Ez alkalommal elengedem egy figyelmeztetéssel

Ne felejtse el...

vezetői engedély, jogosítvány

forgalmi engedély

sebességhatár

sebességkorlát fölött menni

zuhogó eső

időjárási körülmények

körültekintő, felelős

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figyelmeztetés

lejár

megújítani

