

**Answer Sheet**  
*(answers in bold)*

**“Cars, Motorcycles and a Common Road”**  
**Activity Worksheet**

1. When you think of a motorcyclist, what is the first impression that comes to your mind?  
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2. Why is it important to treat motorcyclists with respect and give them room on the road?
  - a. A motorcyclist is much more vulnerable to injury or death in a collision
  - b. Motorcyclists have the same rights on the highway as motorists
  - c. The motorcyclist could be your next door neighbor
  - d. All of the above**
3. What is the most common collision between cars and motorcycles?
  - a. When a car backs out of a driveway into the motorcyclists path
  - b. When a car changes lanes and broadsides the motorcyclist
  - c. When the motorcyclist is rear-ended by a car
  - d. When a car turns left in front of an oncoming motorcycle**
4. Motorcycles are smaller than cars. This makes them:
  - a. faster
  - b. more difficult to see**
  - c. harder to control
  - d. less stable
5. How many times should you check for motorcycles or other traffic before proceeding through an intersection?
  - a. 1
  - b. 2
  - c. 3**
  - d. 4 or more
6. What portion of a lane will a motorcyclist ride in most of the time?
  - a. left side of the lane
  - b. right side of the lane
  - c. center of the lane
  - d. depends on the traffic situation**
7. Why do motorcyclists change lane positions?
  - a. to get a better view of oncoming traffic
  - b. to attract attention
  - c. to avoid an obstacle on the road
  - d. all of the above**
8. What should you do when being passed by a motorcycle?
  - a. maintain speed and lane position until the motorcyclist has passed**
  - b. speed up so that the motorcyclist can pull in behind you
  - c. change lanes in order to give the motorcyclist more room
  - d. none of the above
9. You see a motorcyclist with its turn signal flashing. You should:
  - a. assume the motorcyclist will be making a turn
  - b. proceed so that the motorcyclist can make his or her move
  - c. wait until the motorcyclists intention is clear before proceeding**
  - d. all of the above
10. When following a motorcyclist, what is the minimum distance that should be between you and the motorcycle?
  - a. 20 feet
  - b. 2 seconds**
  - c. 2 car lengths
  - d. 2 yards