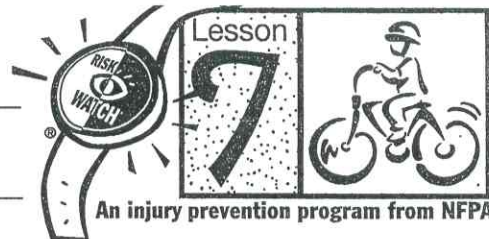


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Broken Rules

The story below features a situation in which bike and pedestrian safety rules were not obeyed.

Read the story, and write down all the rules that were broken. Then, on a separate sheet of paper, write your own ending to the story.

It was Friday, and Mike was eager to get home because his cousin was coming to spend the weekend. After school, Mike quickly ran out and jumped on his bike. He decided not to wait for his friends and quickly took off for home. Mike was in such a hurry that he didn't even fasten his helmet. Leaning against the light pole at the corner of the intersection, Mike thought about crossing the street. The pedestrian signal flashed "DON'T WALK," but there was no traffic. Mike wisely decided to wait. However, as soon as the signal started to flash "WALK," Mike pedaled his bike into the street, not paying attention to his surroundings. At that very instant, a car turned into the intersection, struck the bicycle. Mike was badly injured.

Rules that were broken:
