

Three Wise Kangaroos

Video – answer key

| traffic on motorways | When you're not in it, it is rather entertaining. However, nothing's worse than being stuck in traffic. You don't know how long you're going to be stuck in it for, you get out of the car and see nothing, When there's a police car on the motorway, everybody drives 70mph. |
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| farm traffic | Tractors should not be allowed on the road, they are designed for fields going at 5 mph. You have to sit behind a tractor and wait for your opportunity to overtake which requires going into the death lane. There will be one guy typically in a black BMW who will try to overtake from the back. If he succeeds, you feel stripped out of your masculinity. If he, however, misjudges the situation, and tries to go back in again, he won't be let back in. |
| calling a radio station to warn others about traffic | Nobody in their right mind thinks about calling a radio station when they are stuck in traffic. |
| hazard lights | There is something exciting about putting the hazard lights on. You use them to warn people behind you that you have broken down or on a motorway to warn other drivers that you have reduced your speed considerably. Hazard lights are also used to thank people. |
| letting people in | We usually let just one person in but expect some sort of 'thank you' gesture from them. |

Vocabulary – answer key

- 1. oncoming traffic traffic coming from the opposite direction
- 2. to swerve to change direction abruptly
- 3. traffic is chock-a-block traffic is bumper to bumper, heavy traffic,
- 4. hazard lights the flashing lights you put on when you break down in the car
- 5. to hit traffic to encounter congestion on the road