

# Joining Dual carriageway

(Slip road)

Cancel your indicator to avoid confusing traffic.  
Allow time to adjust to traffic condition and Keep up with the speed limit. Keep to the left unless you need to overtake.  
Avoid sitting in other vehicles' blind spots.

Watch for traffic changing their lane to the left.

**Look** for Safe Gap by checking around and quick sideways glance on your right.

**ACCESS** the available gap, speed of approaching traffic (The national speed limit varies depending on the type of the vehicle) Match your speed with the traffic on the dual carriageway. You may need to reduce your speed to join in some occasions.

**Decide** if it is safe to join or you need to reduce your speed to find a safe gap.

**Act:** join the traffic and stay at the left lane.

Check the speed limit on the road, choose correct gear and use slip road to build up your speed.

Check your centre and right mirrors to check how fast vehicles approaching from behind.

Signal right in good time to inform traffic on dual carriageway you are joining.

(Sometimes, vehicles clear left lane for joining traffic from slip road, therefore indicate early and give them enough time to react.

