

# Police Officers

Police officers work hard to help keep everyone safe. Police officers patrol roads to make sure drivers obey traffic laws because traffic laws are there for safety. Speeding is driving faster than the highest speed listed on speed limit signs for a road. Speeding is dangerous for other cars and drivers and so is driving through a red traffic light.

Police officers make sure the road is safe. If a driver is not being safe, the officer can give them a traffic ticket. This means they have to pay money because they did not follow the law.

Police officers who are driving in patrol cars or walking on the street to keep people safe wear a police uniform. Their uniform has pants, a shirt, a belt, a badge, a radio and sometimes a hat.

There are many kinds of police officers. Some police officers work for the city or town government through a police department. Some police officers work in a bigger area and have more responsibility. Some police officers are also called state troopers and work for that state.



1. What do police officers do?
2. What is speeding?
3. Is speeding safe?
4. What does a police officer wear?
5. Is there only one type of police officer?
6. Is a police officer a good or bad person? Why?