

# Speakers' Corner

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## Objective

To get students engaged and talking about important road safety issues regarding ATVs and motorcycles, giving them the opportunity to speak their minds.

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## Materials Needed

- "Speakers' Corner" sign or banner
- Video camera
- TV

Optional participant prizes (i.e. snacks or key chains donated by a Road Safety organization or local police service)

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## How the Activity Works

- Prepare some questions for prompts such as:
- "What do you see as the common cause for young people involved in ATV or motorcycle collisions and how would you suggest as preventative measures?"
- Set up an area at the school to serve as the "Speakers' Corner", using signs, banners or lights to draw people's attention.
- Have a video camera set up and hooked up to the TV.
- Limit speaking time to 30–45 seconds.
- As students "speak their minds", the video can be edited by a media or communication technology class to be aired on morning announcements or broadcasted via school televisions during lunch hour.