

Student sheet 5.4b.1

What should a driver do?

Sarah is at a party with a friend who has been smoking cannabis. He has asked her to drive him home. He stinks of cannabis and is obviously stoned. Sarah hasn't drunk alcohol or used drugs, however, she did smoke last weekend. What should she do?

Ryan and his mates went clubbing on the weekend and tried ecstasy for the first time. Ryan took one pill on Saturday night and spent all day Sunday recovering, even though he found it pretty hard to sleep. He still felt pretty tired but had to get to school early on Monday morning, so decided to drive to school. What are the risks? Could Ryan's driving be affected by the pill he took on Saturday? What are the safety and legal risks?

Naseer smoked some ice on Friday night with an old friend from another school and had all day Saturday to recover. He didn't drink when he went out on Saturday night because he wanted to make sure that he was okay to play football early on Sunday morning. His mates that did drink have asked him if he can pick them up and drive them to the game. What should Naseer say?

