Pedestrian Scramble Crosswalk

Scramble crosswalks are a type of traffic signal phasing that stops all vehicle traffic to allow pedestrians to cross the intersection in every direction - including diagonally.



Crossing

- 1. Please push the button once
- 2. Wait for the pedestrian symbols to come up on the pedestrian signal indicators at all corners of the intersection
- 3. When the pedestrian symbols are lit up, you may cross in any direction

How Scramble Crosswalks Work

- East/West traffic have green lights. Pedestrians wait.
- North/South traffic have green lights **Pedestrians wait.**
- All traffic have red lights. Pedestrians may cross the intersection in any direction.

Advantages

- Vehicles and pedestrians do no cross simultaneously, lessening the chance for conflicts
- Pedestrians crossing diagonally have a shorter wait time
- Vehicles do not have to wait for pedestrians to cross before turning



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