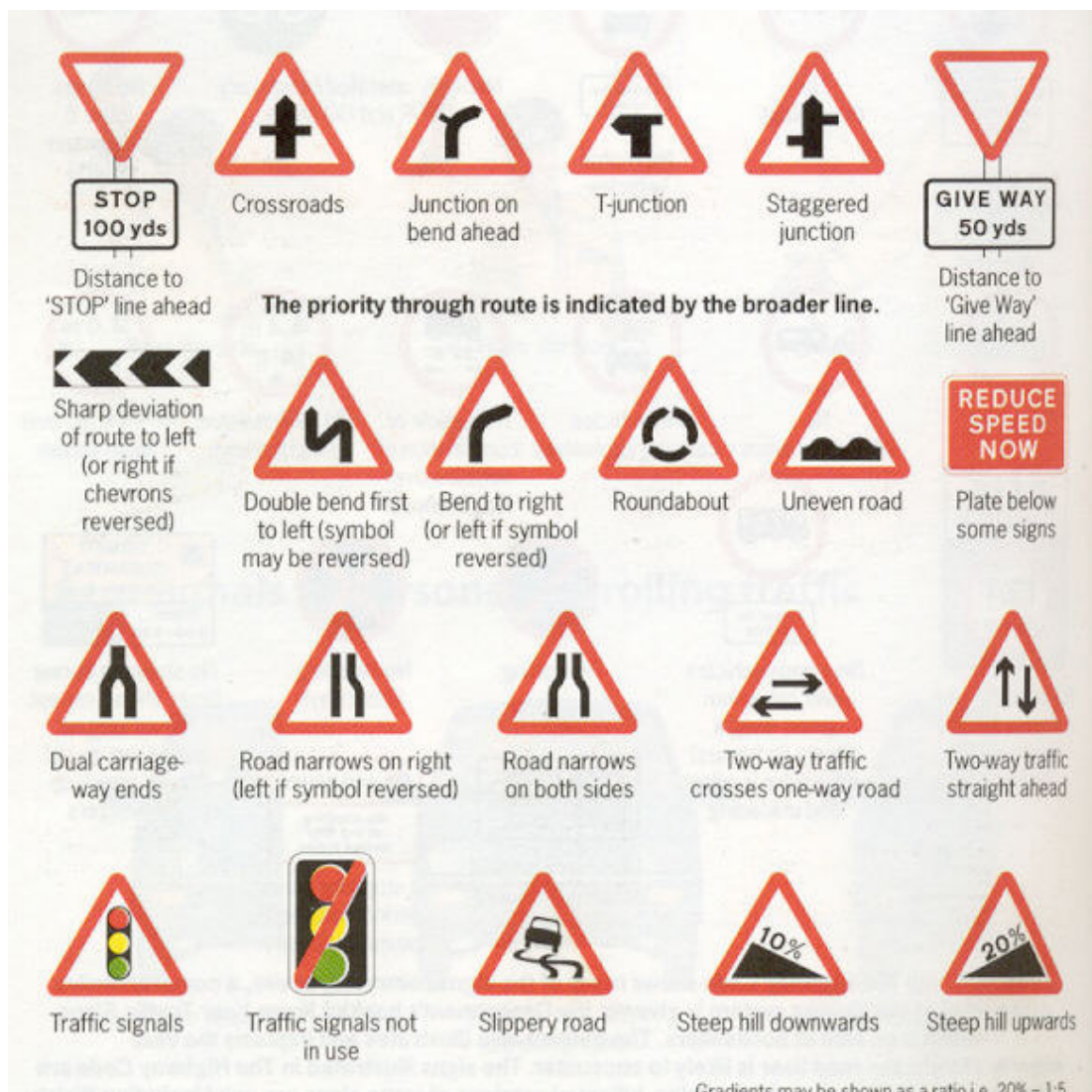


7. Signs and signals

DANGER WARNING SIGNS



Warning signs – continued



PROHIBITORY or RESTRICTIVE SIGNS



MANDATORY SIGNS

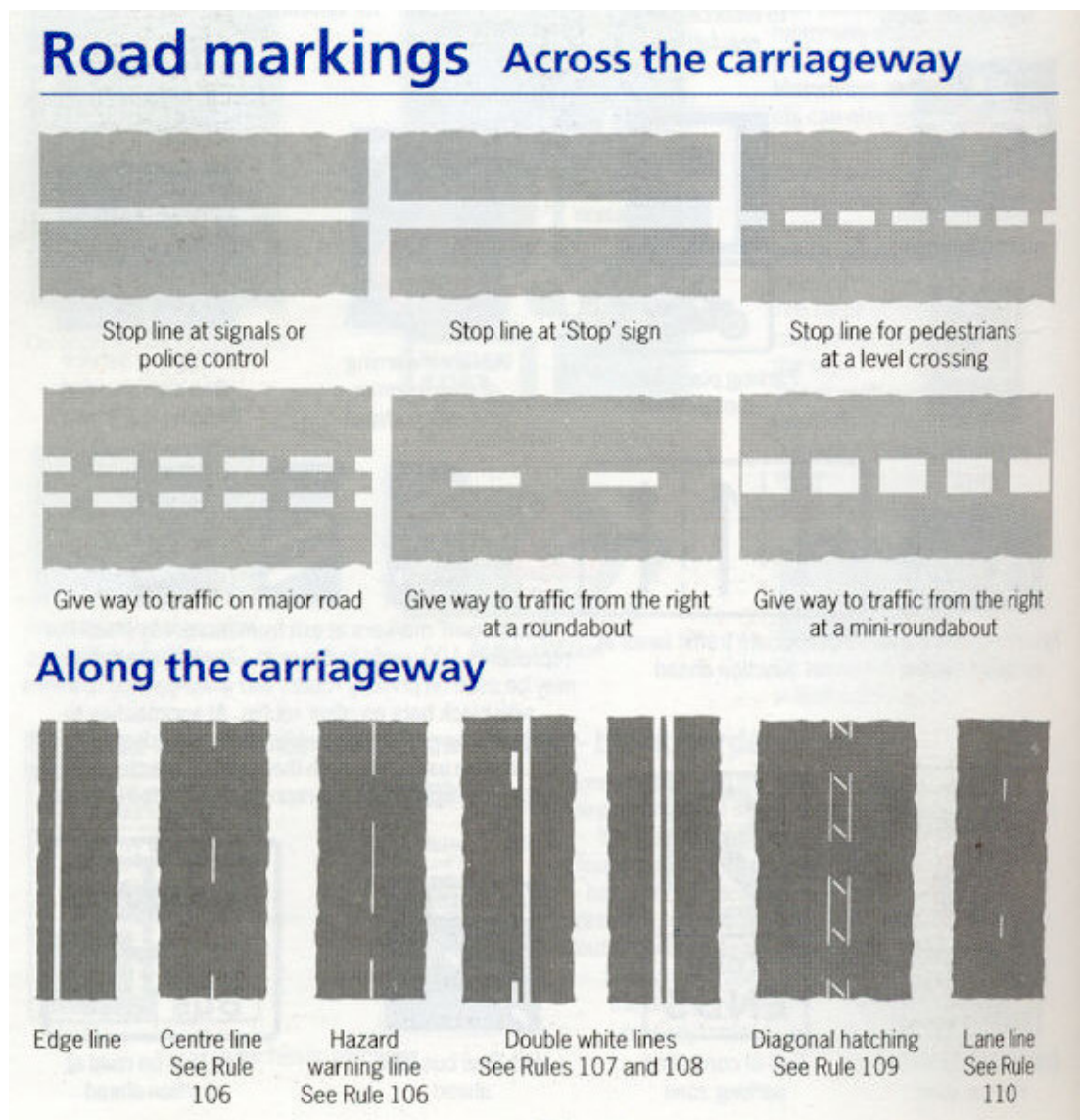


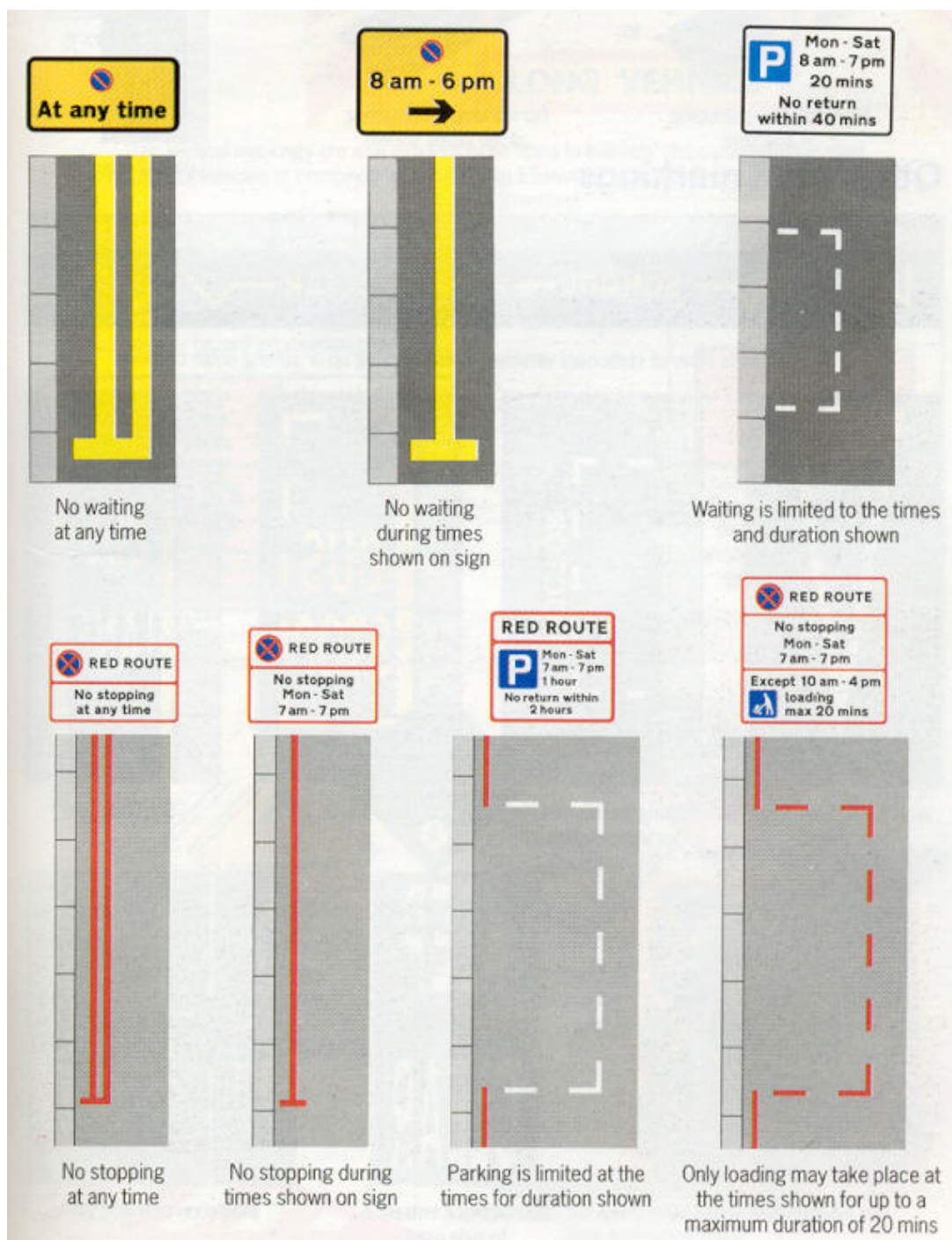
INFORMATIVE SIGNS

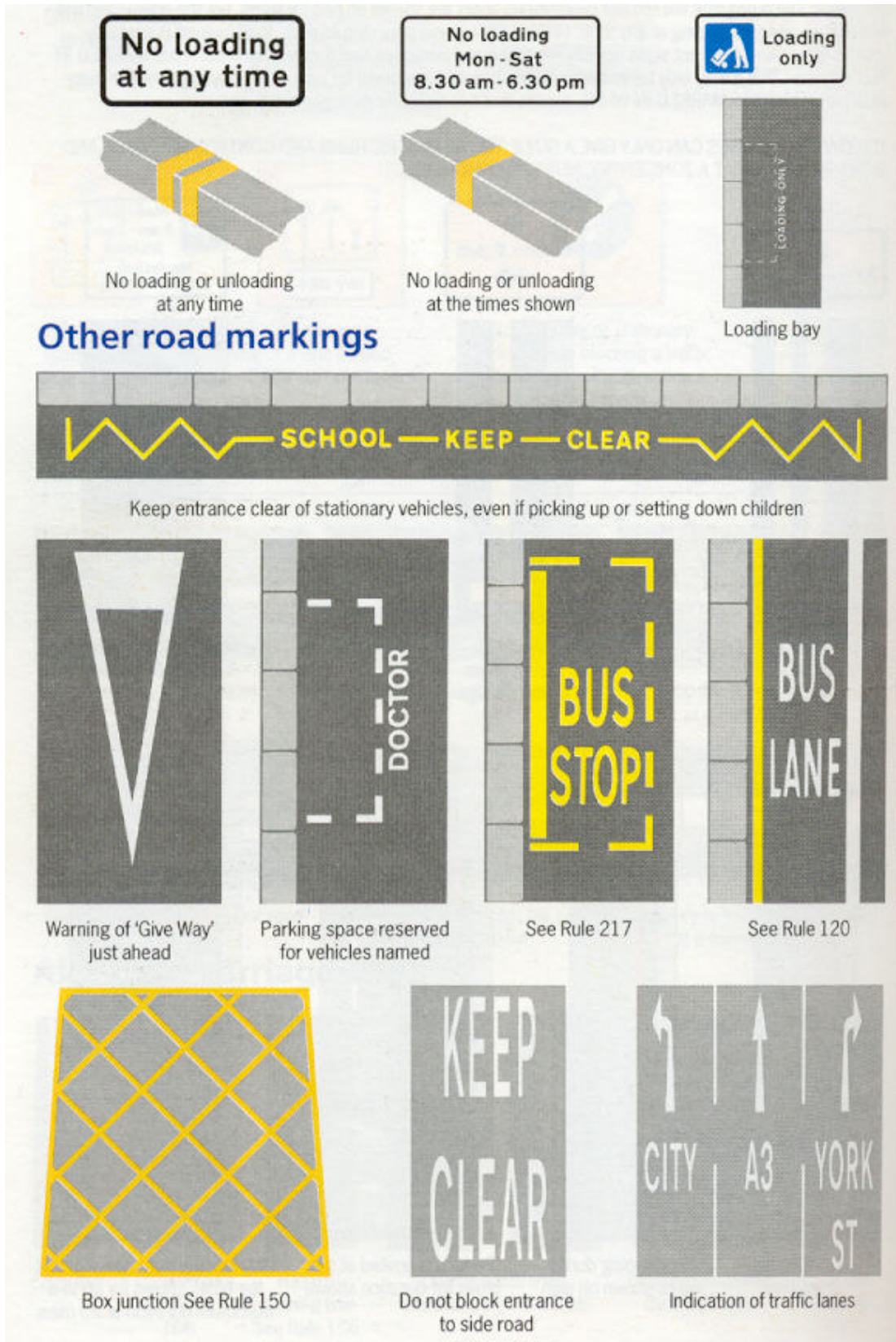
Information signs All rectangular

				
Start of motorway and point from which motorway regulations apply	Area in which cameras are used to enforce traffic regulations	Traffic has priority over oncoming vehicles	No through road for vehicles	Hospital ahead with Accident and Emergency facilities
				
End of motorway	Parking place for solo motorcycles	Advance warning of restriction or prohibition ahead	Motorway service area sign showing the operator's name	
				
Tourist information point	Parking place for solo motorcycles	'Countdown' markers at exit from motorway (each bar represents 100 yards to the exit). Green-backed markers may be used on primary routes and white-backed markers with black bars on other routes. At approaches to concealed level crossings white-backed markers with red bars may be used. Although these will be erected at equal distances the bars do not represent 100 yard intervals.		
				
Recommended route for pedal cycles	Appropriate traffic lanes at junction ahead	With-flow bus lane ahead	Bus lane on road at junction ahead	
				
Entrance to controlled parking zone	End of controlled parking zone			

ROAD MARKINGS







OTHER SIGNS

Direction signs Mostly rectangular Signs on motorways – blue backgrounds



At a junction leading directly into a motorway (junction number may be shown on a black background)



On approaches to junctions (junction number on black background)



Route confirmatory sign after junction



Downward pointing arrows mean 'Get in lane'
The left-hand lane leads to a different destination from the other lanes.



The panel with the inclined arrow indicates the destinations which can be reached by leaving the motorway at the next junction

Signs on primary routes – green backgrounds



On approaches to junctions



On approaches to junctions



Route confirmatory sign after junction



At the junction

Blue panels indicate that the motorway starts at the junction ahead.
Motorways shown in brackets can also be reached along the route indicated.
White panels indicate local or non-primary routes leading from the junction ahead.
Brown panels show the route to tourist attractions.
The name of the junction may be shown at the top of the sign.
The aircraft symbol indicates the route to an airport.
A symbol may be included to warn of a hazard or restriction along that route.

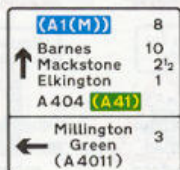


On approach to a junction in Wales (bilingual)

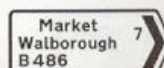
Signs on non-primary and local routes – black borders



On approaches to junctions



Green panels indicate that the primary route starts at the junction ahead.
Route numbers on a blue background show the direction to a motorway.
Route numbers on a green background show the direction to a primary route.

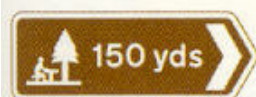


At the junction

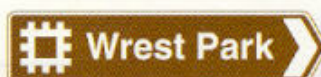


Direction to toilets with access for the disabled

Other direction signs



Picnic site



Ancient monument in the care of English Heritage



Direction to camping and caravan site



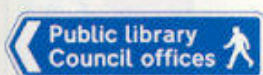
Advisory route for lorries



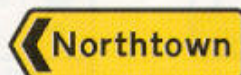
Tourist attraction



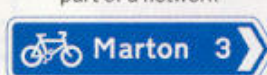
Route for pedal cycles forming part of a network



Route for pedestrians



Diversion route



Recommended route for pedal cycles to place shown



Symbols showing emergency diversion route for motorway and other main road traffic



Holiday route



Direction to a car park

Road works signs



Road works



Loose chippings



Road works 1 mile ahead



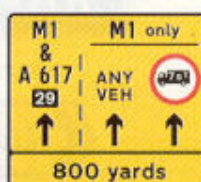
End of road works and any temporary restrictions



Temporary hazard at road works



Temporary lane closure (the number and position of arrows and red bars may be varied according to lanes open and closed)



Lane restrictions at road works ahead



One lane crossover at contraflow road works



Signs used on the back of slow-moving or stationary vehicles warning of a lane closed ahead by a works vehicle. There are no cones on the road.



450 yds



Slow-moving or stationary works vehicle blocking a traffic lane. Pass in the direction shown by the arrow.



Mandatory speed limit ahead