

## Using car parks

### General

- Watch out for pedestrians, especially children
- Drive slowly, less than 4 m.p.h.
- Follow direction arrows
- Use dipped headlights in multi-storey and underground car parks
- Display a valid ticket in pay-and-display car parks
- Lock your car and secure your valuable items in the boot

### Choosing a space

- Whenever possible, find a 'drive through' space
- Always park so that you can drive out forwards
- In busy car parks watch for people returning to their cars, they might free up a space
- For security, park near to exits when travelling alone

### Parking

- Signal to following drivers
- Maintain all around observation throughout the manoeuvre
- Position to get the best angle for reversing in (A)
- In narrow car parks reverse from a parallel position (B)
- Reversing to the right will normally give the best view
- Park in the centre of the space, allowing room for doors to open

The cars shown in this diagram are reversing to the right, the manoeuvres can also be done to the left

