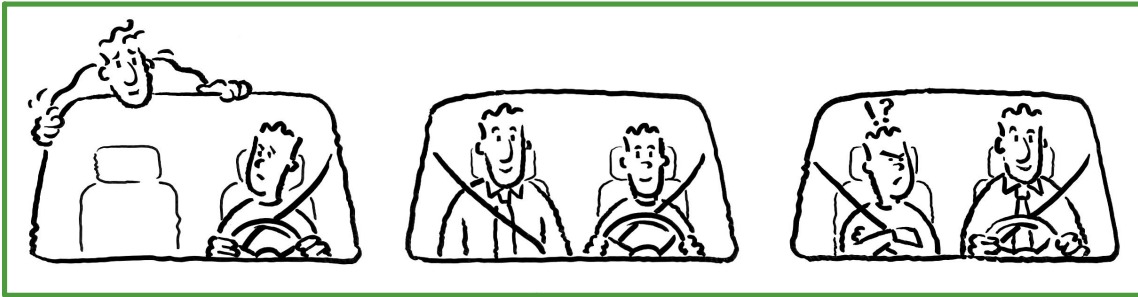


WHO'S IN THE DRIVER'S SEAT?

When it comes to getting involved in your children's career planning, you may wonder who's in the driver's seat - or who **should** be? At different times in your child's life, you will likely find yourself switching positions as shown in this illustration.



I'm along for the ride

I'm in the passenger seat

I'm driving the car

Think about:

- what role your parents played in *your* career planning
- what role you would have liked your parents to have played
- what role you play in your children's career planning
- what role you would prefer to have
- what role your children would prefer you had

Were there any surprises for you? Would you like to learn how to play a more productive role with your children? Register for a **Parents as Career Coaches** program [here](#) or with your local high school.