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Five die in Kogi road accident



Three children were among the five persons who died in an accident on Lokoja-Ajaokuta Road in Kogi State on Tuesday.

Seven others sustained injuries.

The Lokoja office of the **Federal Roads Safety Corps (FRSC)** said the accident involved vehicles, a Toyota Avensis car with registration Kogi BJK172LG, belonging to Omala Local Government in Kogi State and a Sino truck belonging to Dangote Cement Plc with registration number REG:BBR719SA collided.

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It said those injured were taken to Ekpe Hospital, Ganaja, and ASCO Hospital, Ajaokuta, for treatment while the bodies of the victims were deposited at the morgue of the state Specialist Hospital, Lokoja.

FRSC attributed the cause of the accident to wrongful overtaking. It advised motorists to avoid speeding and be cautious.

The Corps said four hand held phones recovered at the scene were in their custody while the vehicles and other luggage were handed over to policemen from Ajaokuta Division.

