



# Study Guide

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Dear Student:

Congratulations on completing the Classroom portion of Driver's Education.

We have compiled this document with a few quick facts you need to know to obtain your permit from the DMV as well as both written and sign practice tests.

Your Driver's Education certificate should be taken to an administrator at your school to obtain the Driving Eligibility Certificate (DEC). If you are a homeschooler, you may request a DEC from the Division of Non-Public Education's website.

It has been a pleasure having you as a student. If you have any questions, please call us.

# Quick Facts

Check the DMV website <http://www.ncdot.gov/dmv>  
for the most up-to-date requirements

## Limited Learner Permit (Level 1)

- Must have completed an approved driver education course (at least 30 hours of classroom instruction and 6 hours behind-the-wheel)
- Must be 15 to 17 years old and live in NC
- Pass written, sign, and vision tests
- Drive with supervision from 5 a.m. to 9 p.m. After 6 months, drive anytime with supervision
- Maintain a Driving Log
  - Details hours driven, minimum of 60 hours
  - Daytime: sunrise to sunset and as long as daylight exists
  - Nighttime: after sunset and within the hours that daylight does not exist
- Have permit for 12 months before applying for a Limited Provisional License (Level 2)
- Supervising Driver must be someone who has had a license for 5 years, and must be in the front passenger seat
- No cell phone use while operating vehicle (review exception in the Driver Handbook)

## Limited Provisional License (Level 2)

- Must be 16 to 17 years old
- Drive without supervision from 5 a.m. to 9 p.m., and at any time when driving directly to/from work or any volunteer fire, rescue, or emergency medical service
- Drive with supervision from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- Maintain a Driving Log
  - Details hours driven, minimum of 12 hours
  - Daytime: At least 6 hours between sunrise and sunset
  - Nighttime: At least 6 hours after sunset and before sunrise
  - Must be signed by supervising driver and submitted to DMV
- Limits to number of passengers
  - One passenger under the age of 21, OR
  - Members of driver's immediate family or household (under 21 does not apply)
  - Restrictions do not apply if supervising driver is in the vehicle
- Have a Limited Provisional License for at least 6 months before applying for a Full Provisional License
- No cell phone use while operating vehicle (review exception in the Driver Handbook)

## Full Provisional License (Level 3)

- Must pass road test
- No restriction for time of day, supervision, and passenger limitation
- If under 18, no cell phone use while operating vehicle (review exception in the Driver Handbook)

## Required Documents

- Proof of full name and date of birth (usually a birth certificate or US passport)
- Proof of NC residence (for minors this is usually a bank statement or some form of mail with the driver's name on it)
- Proof of Social Security Number (usually a Social Security card or a W-2 form) or documentation indicating legal presence in US
- Proof of vehicle liability insurance
- Driving Eligibility Certificate (DEC)\* (issued by public school system or the Division of Non-Public Education for private and homeschoolers), proof of graduation from high school, or submit a GED
- Driving Logs
- Driver's Education Certificate or proof of completion of a driver education course (with at least 30 hours of classroom instruction and 6 hours behind-the-wheel instruction)

Note: visit DMV's website or see the Driver Handbook for a list of what NC DMV considers documentation

\*The DEC form should be obtained no more than 30 days before the date the student applies for a NC license or permit.

## Fees (check the DMV website for the most up-to-date information)

See NC DMV's Website for current fees.

## Tests

- To receive Level 1 license
  - Written / Knowledge
  - Sign
  - Vision
- To receive Level 2 license
  - Road/Driving

Note from DMV website: an appointment is required for ALL services that need to be completed in a driver license office. Most appointments can be scheduled online.

## **Knowledge Test**

- Covers traffic laws and safe-driving practice
- Consists of 25 multiple-choice questions (must answer at least 20 correctly to pass)
- Offered in different languages or oral (when requested)

## **Sign Test**

- Covers regulatory and warning signs
- Identify by color and shape and provide an explanation of each
- Consists of 12 oral questions (must answer at least 9 correctly to pass)

## **Vision Test**

- Must meet NC vision standards
- License will indicate if corrective lenses are required
- Corrective lenses must be worn at all times while driving

Note: penalty for driving without proper corrective lenses is the same as driving without a license

## **Road/Driving Test**

- Stopping, starting, and parking
- Approaching intersections, stop signs, and traffic signals
- Turn signals and using the horn
- Turning
- Use of lanes
- Backing
- Quick stops
- Following another vehicle
- Passing and being passed
- Three-point turnabouts
- Yielding right of way to pedestrians and vehicles

# Practice Written Test

- At 55 mph, a vehicle travels the length of a football field in:
  - 2.5 seconds.
  - 3.7 seconds.
  - 4.2 seconds.
  - 5.3 seconds.
- What should you do if stopped by a law enforcement officer?
  - Pull your vehicle over to the right when safe to do so.
  - If no safe place to stop, put on 4-way flashers and reduce your speed until you reach the nearest safe area to stop.
  - Both A and B.
  - Neither A nor B.
- If you think you will be hit in the rear of your vehicle and there are no vehicles in front of you, which of the following should you do?
  - Brace yourself between the steering wheel and the seat.
  - Press the accelerator and move away as quickly as possible.
  - Both A and B.
  - Neither A nor B.
- The driver of a truck going downhill with a curve should do the following:
  - Use a lower gear.
  - Pump the brakes when reaching the curve.
  - Brake firmly and steadily going.
  - Speed up slightly on the curve to maintain control of the truck.
- If you come to an unmarked intersection where it is hard to see in all directions because of trees or buildings, you should:
  - Drive at the posted speed limit.
  - Stop near the center of the intersection and continue if it is safe.
  - Slow down and sound your horn to warn drivers who cannot see you.
  - Stop at the intersection and move forward slowly.
- When taking a long trip on an interstate highway, you should plan on doing which of the following?
  - Stopping every 100 miles at a rest area.
  - Scheduling some hours of night driving to avoid heavy traffic.
  - Both A and B.
  - Neither A nor B.
- To signal a left turn with hand signals,
  - Hold the right arm and hand out the window and point the first finger.
  - Hold the left arm and hand straight out and point the first finger.
  - Hold the right arm straight out and the forearm and hand straight up, palm facing forward.
  - Hold the left arm straight out and the forearm and hand straight up, palm facing forward.
- When trying to pull away from a slippery surface in a car with a manual transmission, you should do which of the following:
  - Start in second or higher gear.
  - Accelerate rapidly.
  - Both A and B.
  - Neither A nor B.

9. If you are involved in an accident, which of the following should you do?
  - A. Make an immediate report to the nearest law enforcement agency.
  - B. Stop the vehicle immediately.
  - C. Both A and B. .
  - D. Neither A nor B.
  
10. Which of the following statements about bicycle riders is correct?
  - A. They must ride their bicycles facing traffic.
  - B. They must stop for stop signs and red lights.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
  
11. The maximum speed limit for a full-size public school bus in North Carolina is:
  - A. 55mph
  - B. 45mph
  - C. 35mph
  - D. 25mph
  
12. If a law enforcement officer swears that you have refused a legal chemical test, the Division of Motor Vehicles must:
  - A. Place you on probation.
  - B. Wait for a court decision before taking action.
  - C. Assign you to the Driver Improvement Clinic.
  - D. Revoke your license for at least 12 months.
  
13. To get a revoked driver license restored, a person must do which of the following?
  - A. Go to a driver license office, take required tests and pay for a new license issuance.
  - B. Go to a driver license office, pay a restoration fee, and reapply for a license.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
  
14. Who needs to wear a seat belt in your vehicle? (excluding exceptions)
  - A. Just the driver.
  - B. The driver and front passenger.
  - C. The driver and children.
  - D. All passengers.
  
15. On a highway with at least two lanes of traffic in the same direction you are traveling, what must you do for stopped emergency vehicles?
  - A. Move your vehicle into a lane that is not the lane nearest the parked emergency vehicle.
  - B. Speed up to get around the emergency vehicle quickly.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
  
16. In which of these situations is it okay to park a vehicle?
  - A. Within 15 feet of a fire hydrant.
  - B. On the right side of the road.
  - C. On a bridge.
  - D. In front of a driveway.
  
17. When rounding a sharp curve, you should do which of the following?
  - A. Stay as far to the left of your lane as possible.
  - B. Brake in the sharpest part of the curve.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.

18. Three vehicles approach an uncontrolled intersection. Car A wants to make a left turn and is across the intersection from Car B. Car B is ahead of Car C and both are in the same lane traveling in the same direction and want to proceed straight through the intersection. The law gives the right-of-way:
- A. To Car A Only.
  - B. To Car A and Then Car B.
  - C. To Car B and then Car A.
  - D. To Car B.
19. You are driving on an interstate highway when a breakdown forces you to the shoulder. You should:
- A. Sit in the car until help arrives.
  - B. Tie a handkerchief to the left door handle and stand beside the left front fender.
  - C. Raise the hood and tie a white handkerchief to the left door handle.
  - D. Raise the hood and stand behind the car so drivers of oncoming cars can see you.
20. Roads are likely to be especially slick:
- A. Just after they have been paved.
  - B. Just after it has begun to rain or drizzle.
  - C. After it has been raining for several hours.
  - D. In exceptionally cold, dry weather.
21. When approaching an intersection with a traffic light that has malfunctioned due to a power outage or other problem, what should you do?
- A. Proceed as though the intersection is controlled by a stop sign on all approaches to the intersection.
  - B. Follow the directions of a law enforcement officer or another authorized person directing traffic.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
22. A flashing red traffic signal at an intersection means which of the following?
- A. Slow down and proceed with caution.
  - B. Stop, only if it is necessary to yield the right-of-way.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
23. In North Carolina, which of the following is required on all cars?
- A. License plate lights.
  - B. Courtesy lights.
  - C. Fender lights.
  - D. Backup lights.
24. A car that pitches and tosses in normal driving and leans heavily to the side in turns is likely to have trouble in which of the following systems?
- A. Ignition.
  - B. Steering.
  - C. Brake.
  - D. Suspension.
25. What happens if a driver refuses to take a chemical test?
- A. The driver gets an immediate 30-day revocation.
  - B. The DMV adds an extra 12-months revocation.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.



26. A driver license is required for which of the following?  
A. Sitting in the driver's seat of a car while the engine is running.  
B. Steering a car while it is being pushed or towed by another vehicle.  
C. Both A and B.  
D. Neither A nor B.
27. When is it okay to use a cell phone in a vehicle?  
A. To send a quick email or text message.  
B. While driving a school bus.  
C. While watching a video.  
D. Calling 911 in an emergency.
28. When is it safe to pass a stopped school bus that is loading or unloading?  
A. On a two-lane roadway.  
B. On a two-lane roadway with a center turning lane.  
C. On a four-lane roadway without a median separation.  
D. On a divided highway of four lanes or more with a median separation.
29. Studies have shown which of the following to be a serious traffic hazard?  
A. Middle-aged drivers.  
B. Slow drivers.  
C. Both A and B.  
D. Neither A nor B.
30. Passing on the right is legal on which of the following?  
A. A 4-lane highway with 2-lanes going in each direction.  
B. On a one-way street.  
C. Both A and B.  
D. Neither A nor B.
31. Your car stalls on the tracks at a railroad crossing, and a collision with a train is imminent. After getting yourself and your passengers out of the car, you should:  
A. Get back into the vehicle.  
B. Cross the tracks.  
C. Signal the train to stop.  
D. Move away from your vehicle and the tracks.
32. A highway work zone is identified by what color sign?  
A. White  
B. Blue  
C. Orange  
D. Red
33. The best way to get good traction on hard-packed snow is to:  
A. Put chains on your tires.  
B. Maintain your speed.  
C. Have lower than usual air pressure in your tires.  
D. Carry heavy weights in your trunk.
34. Skids are likely to occur on which of the following roads?  
A. One on which snow has become packed.  
B. One that has just been paved.  
C. Both A and B.  
D. Neither A nor B.

35. When does the law give a blind pedestrian special consideration at intersections where there are no traffic signals?
- A. When using a red cane.
  - B. When using a white cane with a red tip or a guide dog.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
36. Research shows that the risk of being in a crash increases when the blood alcohol level is what percentage?
- A. 0.07 percent
  - B. 0.05 percent
  - C. 0.08 percent
  - D. 0.15 percent
37. You are convicted of arranging to race against another vehicle on a highway. How long will your license be suspended?
- A. 3 years.
  - B. 1 year.
  - C. 2 years.
  - D. Permanently.
38. When you have a total of 7 points, which of the following may happen?
- A. You can be required to file proof of financial responsibility.
  - B. You can have 3 points deducted if you satisfactorily complete a Driver Improvement Clinic.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
39. Who can safely ride in the front seat of a vehicle with air bags?
- A. Adults wearing a shoulder belt.
  - B. Infants in a child safety seat.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
40. Farm equipment can be found in all parts of NC. Which of the following statements is NOT true?
- A. You must obey the rules of the road.
  - B. It is legal to pass farm equipment in a no passing zone.
  - C. Most crashes with farm equipment occur on a clear day.
  - D. Be patient.
41. When are you allowed to park in a handicapped parking space?
- A. When you have been issued a handicap license plate or a disability parking placard.
  - B. When you are just running in somewhere for less than 5 minutes.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
42. When backing your car, you should do which of the following?
- A. Move at no more than 10 mph.
  - B. Keep both hands on the steering wheel.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
43. When driving in heavy traffic, you should do which of the following?
- A. Watch out for drivers who make quick stops.
  - B. Check your rear-view mirror often.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.

44. If the driver of an approaching car fails to dim their lights, you should do which of the following?
- A. Watch the road ahead to avoid looking at the lights of the other car.
  - B. Flick your headlight beams high and low once.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
45. How much fast-moving water can sweep a car off a highway?
- A. 4 inches.
  - B. 6 inches.
  - C. 8 inches.
  - D. 12 inches.
46. What should you do when you begin to skid?
- A. Turn the steering wheel in the direction in which the rear end of the car is skidding.
  - B. Reduce pressure on the gas pedal.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
47. Which of the following statements about horns and sirens is/are correct?
- A. Every licensed motor vehicle must have a horn.
  - B. Only law enforcement and emergency vehicles may have sirens.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
48. What should you do if a doctor prescribes you some medication but you must drive?
- A. Ask the doctor whether you can drive or not.
  - B. Check your reactions as you drive and be ready to stop if you feel affected.
  - C. Bring an antidote to cancel the effects of the drug.
  - D. Do not worry; prescribed drugs never affect driving.
49. Which of the following happens under the point system?
- A. You are sent a warning letter when you get 4 points within 3 years.
  - B. If you get 12 points within 3 years, you may lose your license.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
50. If you approach an intersection where there are no traffic lights/signs and a pedestrian is attempting to cross your path, who has the right-of-way?
- A. The pedestrian.
  - B. The driver of the car.
  - C. No one.
  - D. Whoever reaches the intersection first.
51. When driving at least 55 mph, how far back should you signal a turn?
- A. At least 75 feet.
  - B. At least 100 feet.
  - C. At least 150 feet.
  - D. At least 200 feet.
52. Which of the following statements about speed limits in North Carolina is correct?
- A. Unless otherwise posted, the speed limit inside a city is 35 mph.
  - B. Unless otherwise posted, the speed limit for a school activity bus is 55 mph.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.

53. A train traveling at 55 miles per hour takes how long to stop?  
A. More than 500 feet.  
B. More than 500 yards.  
C. More than a mile.  
D. More than 5 miles.
54. In which of the following situations should you use your low beams?  
A. At night in the city.  
B. In foggy or misty weather.  
C. Both A and B.  
D. Neither A nor B.
55. If your brakes fail, you should do which of the following?  
A. Shift into a lower gear.  
B. Use the emergency brake.  
C. Both A and B.  
D. Neither A nor B.
56. A flashing yellow traffic signal at an intersection means:  
A. No right turn.  
B. Yield the right-of-way.  
C. No left turn.  
D. Slow down and proceed with caution.
57. The system that carries harmful fumes from the engine to the rear of the car and releases them is called the:  
A. Ignition system.  
B. Fuel system.  
C. Suspension system.  
D. Exhaust system.
58. What happens if you are convicted of DWI while your license has already been revoked for a prior DWI?  
A. Your vehicle may be seized and sold.  
B. You may be imprisoned.  
C. Both A and B.  
D. Neither A nor B.
59. Conviction for which of the following carries the highest number of points?  
A. Reckless driving.  
B. Hit and run with property damage.  
C. Driving without a license.  
D. Passing a stopped school bus unloading children.
60. When is it permitted for a child to ride in the open bed of a pickup truck?  
A. If the truck is in a parade.  
B. If the truck is being used for agricultural work.  
C. If an adult is present in the bed of the truck.  
D. All of the above.
61. Which of the following statements about pedestrian deaths is correct?  
A. In cities, about 2 out of 5 people killed in motor vehicle accidents are pedestrians.  
B. In rural areas, about 1 out of 10 people killed in motor vehicle accidents are pedestrians.  
C. Both A and B.  
D. Neither A nor B.

62. How much distance (in seconds) should you allow in front of you when following a car?
- A. Three seconds
  - B. Four seconds
  - C. Two seconds
  - D. Five seconds
63. Three vehicles approach an uncontrolled intersection. Car A is on the right of Car B. Car C is on the left of Car B. In which order should the cars pass through the intersection?
- A. Car A, Car B, Car C.
  - B. Car B, Car A, Car C.
  - C. Car C, Car A, Car B.
  - D. Car B, Car C, Car A.
64. Studies have shown that under normal conditions the chance of a car being involved in an accident on an interstate highway is greater if the driver:
- A. Maintains a steady speed.
  - B. Travels significantly below the posted speed limit.
  - C. Travels at the posted speed limit.
  - D. Maintains his position relative to cars in front and behind him in his lane.
65. When driving in a heavy snowstorm during the day, you should use:
- A. Parking lights.
  - B. Low-beam headlights.
  - C. Four-way flashers.
  - D. High-beam headlights.
66. If your vehicle has run off the road onto the shoulder, you should:
- A. Shift quickly into a lower gear.
  - B. Brake with heavy constant pressure.
  - C. Apply the emergency brake.
  - D. Take your foot off the gas pedal gradually.
67. Every motor vehicle must be equipped with:
- A. A muffler.
  - B. Smooth tires.
  - C. Mud guards.
  - D. Shoulder harnesses.
68. Where does alcohol tend to concentrate more?
- A. In the heart.
  - B. In the brain.
  - C. In the leg muscles.
  - D. In the chest.
69. You will lose your license if you are convicted of:
- A. Driving without a license.
  - B. Passing a stopped school bus.
  - C. Failing to yield the right-of-way.
  - D. Speeding more than 75 mph in a 55mph zone.
70. Your red traffic signal changes to green while a pedestrian is crossing in your traffic lane. The right of way should be given:
- A. To the driver, but only when vehicles are turning left.
  - B. To the pedestrian.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.

71. Which statement(s) concerning speed limits on the open road in North Carolina is correct?  
A. Unless otherwise posted, the speed limit for passenger cars and pickup trucks is 65 mph.  
B. The speed limit for a school activity bus is 35 mph.  
C. Both A and B.  
D. Neither A nor B.
72. When approaching a railroad crossing, which of the following should you NOT do?  
A. Speed up.  
B. Look both ways.  
C. Listen for the train.  
D. Keep alert.
73. If it starts to drizzle while you are driving, you should do which of the following?  
A. Slow down because the rain will loosen oil and gravel on the road.  
B. Allow at least twice the normal following distance.  
C. Both A and B.  
D. Neither A nor B.
74. A flashing yellow arrow means:  
A. The same as a steady yellow light.  
B. If you intend to turn in the direction of the arrow, you must first yield to oncoming traffic and pedestrians.  
C. Prepare to stop.  
D. Turns are allowed without yielding to oncoming traffic and pedestrians.
75. How long will your license be revoked if you are under 21 and convicted of driving with any amount of alcohol or drugs in the body?  
A. 3 months  
B. 6 months  
C. 12 months  
D. 2 years
76. Which of the following are warning signs of drowsy driving?  
A. You hit a rumble strip or drift from your lane.  
B. You yawn repeatedly.  
C. You cannot remember the last few miles driven.  
D. All of the above.
77. Very slow driving is especially dangerous in which of the following situations?  
A. Just after passing the crest of a hill.  
B. Just after rounding a curve.  
C. Both A and B.  
D. Neither A nor B.
78. Highway accidents occur most frequently:  
A. On hills.  
B. On curves.  
C. At intersections.  
D. On bridges.
79. When driving through heavy fog, you should:  
A. Turn on your bright lights  
B. Slow down.  
C. Follow the car in front you closely.  
D. Turn on your parking lights.






80. Drivers may pass another vehicle if the line dividing two lanes is a:
- A. Broken yellow line.
  - B. Double solid yellow line.
  - C. Solid white line.
  - D. Solid yellow line.
81. Which traffic is required to stop if a school bus makes a passenger stop in the far right lane on a five-lane street?
- A. All lanes of traffic.
  - B. Lanes going in the same direction as the school bus.
  - C. Lanes going in the opposite direction of the bus.
  - D. Turning lane only.
82. Which of the following statements about distracted driving is correct?
- A. Distractions cause drivers to react more quickly to traffic conditions or events, such as a car stopping to make a turn.
  - B. Distractions make it more difficult to conduct preventive or evasive moves to avoid a crash.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
83. If you wish to pass the car ahead on a two-lane road, you should do which of the following?
- A. Sound your horn to signal your intention to the driver of the car ahead.
  - B. Give a left turn signal to let the driver behind you know your intention.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
84. If you are in the wrong lane for making a left turn at an intersection, you should:
- A. Go to the next intersection and turn there.
  - B. Back up and move into the correct lane for turning.
  - C. Wait until all other cars have cleared the intersection and turn.
  - D. Signal the driver in the car beside you that you intend to turn in front of him.
85. When changing a flat tire, you should do which of the following?
- A. Put the vehicle in neutral gear.
  - B. Turn on the emergency flashers and parking lights.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
86. A leaky exhaust system should be repaired because it:
- A. Wastes gas and oil.
  - B. Causes the engine to run hot.
  - C. May allow carbon monoxide to enter the car.
  - D. Makes the engine hard to start and likely to stall.
87. The percentage of highway deaths caused by drunk drivers is about:
- A. 10 percent.
  - B. 25 percent.
  - C. 38 percent.
  - D. 67 percent.
88. Which of the following statements about pedestrians is NOT correct?
- A. Pedestrians should walk on the left side of the road facing traffic.
  - B. Pedestrians should wear dark clothing.
  - C. Pedestrians should use a flashlight at night.
  - D. Pedestrians should be ready to move out of the way.











89. Which of the following is a true statement?
- A. When going in the same direction as a funeral procession, the driver shall not pass or attempt to pass.
  - B. When going in the opposite direction as a funeral procession, the driver shall not pass or attempt to pass.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
90. If you miss your exit on an interstate highway, you can do which of the following?
- A. Make a U-turn.
  - B. Proceed to the next exit.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
91. If you should have a blowout while traveling at a high speed, you should do which of the following?
- A. Brake firmly as soon as you notice the blowout.
  - B. Grip the steering wheel firmly to keep the car from swerving.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
92. Your brakes need checking if:
- A. There is a strong smell of gasoline in the car.
  - B. The engine stalls at stop lights.
  - C. Light gusts of wind make the car difficult to control.
  - D. There is a squeaking noise when you step on the brake pedal.
93. When pulled over by a law enforcement officer, which should you NOT do?
- A. Stop the car and turn off engine.
  - B. Take off your seat belt.
  - C. Remain seated in the vehicle.
  - D. Place both hands on the steering wheel.
94. When driving on a city street, you should watch out for which of the following?
- A. Traffic coming from side streets.
  - B. Animals or small children darting from between parked cars.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
95. When can you disregard a signal given by a police officer directing traffic?
- A. An emergency vehicle is approaching.
  - B. The officer's signal is in conflict with a traffic signal.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
96. If your car breaks down on the highway at night, what should you do?
- A. Park the car completely off the road.
  - B. Turn on the parking lights or emergency flashers.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
97. Which of the following statements is true about roundabouts?
- A. Entering drivers must yield to vehicles already in the roundabout.
  - B. Vehicles drive in a clockwise direction.
  - C. Drivers turn without using signals since all traffic is going in the same direction.
  - D. Roundabouts increases accidents.














98. Hydroplaning occurs when:
- A. A thin sheet of water gets between the road surface and the vehicle's tires.
  - B. Tires lose traction with the road due to water.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
99. Which of the following statement(s) about speed limits for cars in North Carolina is correct?
- A. The speed limit outside a city is 55mph unless otherwise posted.
  - B. The speed limit inside a city is 25 mph unless otherwise posted.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.
100. Wet brakes can be dried out by doing which of the following?
- A. Drive a short distance.
  - B. Apply light pressure to the brake pedal.
  - C. Both A and B.
  - D. Neither A nor B.





















# Practice Sign Test

1.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Lane closed for traffic</li> <li>B. Traffic signal ahead</li> <li>C. 4-way stop ahead</li> <li>D. Stop before turning right</li> </ul>
2.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. No right turn</li> <li>B. No U-turn</li> <li>C. No left turn</li> <li>D. All traffic turn right</li> </ul>
3.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. No trucks allowed</li> <li>B. Truck stop ahead</li> <li>C. Trucks under 12,000 pounds allowed</li> <li>D. Hill or downgrade up ahead</li> </ul>
4.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. One-way street ahead</li> <li>B. The left lane ends soon</li> <li>C. The right lane ends soon</li> <li>D. Highway entrance ramp ahead</li> </ul>
5.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Do not enter</li> <li>B. Pass with caution</li> <li>C. Yield the right-of-way</li> <li>D. Railroad crossing</li> </ul>
6.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Traffic from all four directions must stop</li> <li>B. The first vehicle to reach the intersection should move forward first</li> <li>C. There are four stop signs at the intersection</li> <li>D. All of the above</li> </ul>
7.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. A narrow road ahead</li> <li>B. A reduction of lanes ahead</li> <li>C. A bridge ahead, wide enough to accommodate two lanes of traffic, but with very little clearance</li> <li>D. A dip in the road; drivers should be ready to stop if the dip is filled with water</li> </ul>
8.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Winding road ahead</li> <li>B. Slippery when wet</li> <li>C. Sharp curve ahead</li> <li>D. No U turn</li> </ul>
9.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Is a warning sign</li> <li>B. Is used to advise drivers of the appropriate ramp speed at the highway exit point</li> <li>C. Indicates the minimum ramp speed at the exit point</li> <li>D. Indicates the highest speed drivers can travel at the exit of the intersection</li> </ul>

10.		<p>A. Stop if necessary</p> <p>B. Slow down or stop</p> <p>C. You must come to a complete stop</p> <p>D. Yield the right-of-way to oncoming vehicles</p>
11.		<p>A. Merging traffic from the right</p> <p>B. Sharp curves ahead</p> <p>C. One-way traffic</p> <p>D. Intersection ahead</p>
12.		<p>A. Another traffic lane joins the one you are on</p> <p>B. A divided highway is ahead</p> <p>C. You can't go straight ahead</p> <p>D. A one-way street or highway is about to become two-way traffic</p>
13.		<p>A. Do not turn right</p> <p>B. Slow down and keep well to the right</p> <p>C. Slow down and keep well to the left</p> <p>D. Increase speed in the curve</p>
14.		<p>A pedestrian already in the crosswalk should do what when this begins to flash?</p> <p>A. Stop in the middle of the road</p> <p>B. Go back and wait for the "WALK" light</p> <p>C. Finish crossing the street</p> <p>D. Yield to other pedestrians</p>
15.		<p>What should you do when the red lights start blinking?</p> <p>A. Stop</p> <p>B. Slow down</p> <p>C. Speed through the intersection</p> <p>D. Yield</p>
16.		<p>A. Do not pass</p> <p>B. U turns are prohibited</p> <p>C. You may proceed only if the way is clear</p> <p>D. You are about to enter a one-way street the wrong way</p>
17.		<p>A. Divided highway ends</p> <p>B. Divided highway begins</p> <p>C. Keep to the left</p> <p>D. Two-way traffic ahead</p>
18.		<p>A. Parking is not allowed anytime</p> <p>B. Parking is allowed between 8:30 am and 5:30 pm</p> <p>C. Parking is not allowed between 8:30 am and 5:30 pm</p> <p>D. None of the above</p>
19.		<p>A. Be ready to stop at the stop sign</p> <p>B. Stop doing what you are doing</p> <p>C. Warn other drivers that a stop sign is ahead</p> <p>D. Brake sharply and come to a complete stop</p>

20.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Wrong Way</li> <li>B. Yield</li> <li>C. Do Not Enter</li> <li>D. Stop</li> </ul>
21.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. The highway ahead is divided</li> <li>B. There is a double curve ahead</li> <li>C. There is a winding road ahead</li> <li>D. There is a low place in the road</li> </ul>
22.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Indication to yield</li> <li>B. Indication to stop</li> <li>C. Indication of construction ahead</li> <li>D. Indication of a slow-moving vehicle</li> </ul>
23.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Sharp left turns ahead in both directions</li> <li>B. Vehicles may only travel in the center lane</li> <li>C. The center lane is shared for left turns in both directions of travel</li> <li>D. The center lane is for right turns only</li> </ul>
24.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Pedestrian crossing ahead</li> <li>B. School crossing ahead</li> <li>C. School zone ahead</li> <li>D. Church ahead</li> </ul>
25.		<p>This road sign is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. A speed reduction sign</li> <li>B. A guide sign</li> <li>C. A warning sign</li> <li>D. A regulatory sign</li> </ul>
26.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Pedestrian crossing ahead</li> <li>B. School crossing ahead</li> <li>C. School zone ahead</li> <li>D. Church ahead</li> </ul>
27.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Intersection ahead</li> <li>B. Side road</li> <li>C. Church ahead</li> <li>D. Do not enter</li> </ul>
28.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Suggested speed</li> <li>B. Maximum speed</li> <li>C. Minimum speed</li> <li>D. Reaction speed</li> </ul>
29.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Must stop at the next intersection</li> <li>B. Left and right turns are not allowed</li> <li>C. A divided highway is ahead</li> <li>D. Do not go straight ahead</li> </ul>
30.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. No left turn</li> <li>B. No U turn</li> <li>C. Road curves ahead</li> <li>D. Detour ahead</li> </ul>

# Practice Sign Matching Test

1. _____		11. _____	
2. _____		12. _____	
3. _____		13. _____	
4. _____		14. _____	
5. _____		15. _____	
6. _____		16. _____	
7. _____		17. _____	
8. _____		18. _____	
9. _____		19. _____	
10. _____		20. _____	

- A. Cross Road
- B. Curve Right
- C. Divided Highway
- D. Do Not Enter
- E. Exit Speed
- F. Hill
- G. Lane Drop
- H. Merging Traffic
- I. Narrow Bridge
- J. No Right Turn
- K. No U Turn
- L. Pedestrian Crossing
- M. Railroad Crossing
- N. School
- O. Signal Ahead
- P. Slippery When Wet
- Q. Stop
- R. Stop Ahead
- S. Two-Way Traffic
- T. Yield

# Answer Sheets

## Practice Written Test

1. _____	21. _____	41. _____	61. _____	81. _____
2. _____	22. _____	42. _____	62. _____	82. _____
3. _____	23. _____	43. _____	63. _____	83. _____
4. _____	24. _____	44. _____	64. _____	84. _____
5. _____	25. _____	45. _____	65. _____	85. _____
6. _____	26. _____	46. _____	66. _____	86. _____
7. _____	27. _____	47. _____	67. _____	87. _____
8. _____	28. _____	48. _____	68. _____	88. _____
9. _____	29. _____	49. _____	69. _____	89. _____
10. _____	30. _____	50. _____	70. _____	90. _____
11. _____	31. _____	51. _____	71. _____	91. _____
12. _____	32. _____	52. _____	72. _____	92. _____
13. _____	33. _____	53. _____	73. _____	93. _____
14. _____	34. _____	54. _____	74. _____	94. _____
15. _____	35. _____	55. _____	75. _____	95. _____
16. _____	36. _____	56. _____	76. _____	96. _____
17. _____	37. _____	57. _____	77. _____	97. _____
18. _____	38. _____	58. _____	78. _____	98. _____
19. _____	39. _____	59. _____	79. _____	99. _____
20. _____	40. _____	60. _____	80. _____	100. _____

## Practice Sign Test

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| 1. _____ | 7. _____  | 13. _____ | 19. _____ | 25. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 8. _____  | 14. _____ | 20. _____ | 26. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 9. _____  | 15. _____ | 21. _____ | 27. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 10. _____ | 16. _____ | 22. _____ | 28. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 11. _____ | 17. _____ | 23. _____ | 29. _____ |
| 6. _____ | 12. _____ | 18. _____ | 24. _____ | 30. _____ |

## Practice Sign Matching Test

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|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 1. _____ | 5. _____ | 9. _____  | 13. _____ | 17. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 6. _____ | 10. _____ | 14. _____ | 18. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 7. _____ | 11. _____ | 15. _____ | 19. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 8. _____ | 12. _____ | 16. _____ | 20. _____ |



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## DMV Checklist

You must have all the items below before going to DMV to get your permit.  
Check the DMV's website for the most up to date procedures.

- Driver's Education Certificate (Certificate of Completion)

*This will be provided by the Driving School*

- Driver's Eligibility Certificate

*This will be provided by your High School or Department of Non-Public Education*

- Document verifying identity and date of birth

- Social Security Card or one document proving Social

Security number

- One document proving North Carolina Residency