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## **Q1. For how far may drivers travel in a center turn lane before making a left turn?**

- A)** About 100–200 feet
  - or only as far as needed to safely prepare for the turn.
- B)** Up to 500 feet.
- C)** There is no distance limit; it may be used as a travel lane.

**Answer: C**

## **Q2. A curb painted which color indicates a loading zone or other parking restriction?**

- A)** Yellow
- B)** Blue
- C)** White

**Answer: A**

## **Q3. When approaching a yield sign, you must:**

- A)** Slow down and yield to pedestrians and traffic
  - stopping if necessary
- B)** Always come to a complete stop even if the way is clear
- C)** Have automatic right-of-way

**Answer: A**

## **Q4. What are the driving risks associated with worn or bald tires?**

- A)** Can make turning and handling more difficult.
- B)** Are more likely to hydroplane on wet roads.
- C)** Can increase your stopping distance.
- D)** All of the above.

**Answer: C**

**Q5. When should you use your parking brake?**

- A)** Every time you park.
- B)** Only when parking on an incline.
- C)** Only when parked in a driveway.

**Answer: A**

**Q6. Is it unlawful to share a lane with a motorcycle?**

- A)** True
- B)** False

**Answer: A**

**Q7. What causes 'highway hypnosis'?**

- A)** Frequent rest stops.
- B)** Too much sleep the night before a trip.
- C)** Staring at the roadway for long periods without active scanning.
- D)** Listening to loud music.

**Answer: C**

**Q8. When a traffic light turns from green to solid yellow as you approach an intersection, what should you do?**

- A)** Stop immediately.
- B)** Stop before entering the intersection
  - unless you are too close to stop safely.
- C)** Consider it the same as a caution sign and continue through the intersection.

**Answer: B**

**Q9. Coming to a complete stop, yielding to cross traffic and pedestrians, then proceeding when clear describes the meaning of which signal?**

- A)** A solid red light.
- B)** A flashing yellow light.
- C)** A flashing red light.

**Answer: C**

**Q10. How should drivers respond to a steady yellow arrow signal?**

- A)** Should merge into a lane in the direction of the arrow.
- B)** Should slow to a stop
  - if it is safe to do so.
- C)** May turn left after yielding to oncoming traffic and pedestrians.

**Answer: B**

**Q11. If your vehicle's accelerator sticks open, what is the safest procedure?**

- A)** Blow your horn.
- B)** Slam on your brakes.
- C)** Shift to neutral
  - brake smoothly
  - steer to a safe area
  - then turn off the ignition once stopped.

**Answer: C**

**Q12. Which of the following is part of correct passing procedure?**

- A)** Use your mirrors and look over your left shoulder to check your blind spot when passing to the left.
- B)** Signal at least 100 feet before changing lanes to pass and ensure there is no oncoming traffic.
- C)** When passing
  - wait until you can see both headlights of the passed car in your rearview mirror before returning to your original lane.
- D)** All of the above

**Answer: D**

**Q13. Why must you use extra caution near a pedestrian using a white cane?**

- A)** They may be deaf.
- B)** They are likely a police officer.
- C)** They are visually impaired and may not see your vehicle.
- D)** They will always yield to cars.

**Answer: C**

**Q14. When making a right turn on a green light, what must you do?**

- A)** Yield to pedestrians.
- B)** Stop and look for nearby police cars.
- C)** Maintain your normal driving speed.

**Answer: A**

**Q15. Which statement about a work zone is correct?**

- A)** Work zones may be moving or stationary and are marked with orange signs; drivers should slow down and pay extra attention.
- B)** Work zones are always stationary and use black and white signs.
- C)** Work zones do not require drivers to change behavior.
- D)** Work zones require you to stop at all times.

**Answer: A**

**Q16. If a fire engine is following you but not using its emergency signals, how should you respond?**

- A)** Continue to drive in a normal manner.
- B)** Stop as quickly as you can.
- C)** Speed up to get out of its way.

**Answer: A**

**Q17. When a curb is painted green, what does it normally indicate?**

- A)** Drivers may park for a limited time.
- B)** No stopping at any time.
- C)** Handicapped parking only.
- D)** Loading and unloading only.

**Answer: A**

**Q18. What is required when you encounter an emergency vehicle using sirens and flashing lights?**

- A)** Speed up to pass it quickly.
- B)** Ignore it and keep driving.
- C)** Turn on your hazard lights and maintain your lane.
- D)** Yield the right-of-way and follow any instructions given over loudspeaker.

**Answer: D**

**Q19. When a crossing guard directs traffic in a school zone, how must you respond?**

- A)** Follow the crossing guard's directions.
- B)** Copy surrounding drivers and ignore the guard.
- C)** Assume the guard lacks authority and continue.
- D)** Accelerate through the zone to clear it quickly.

**Answer: A**

**Q20. Driving well under the posted speed limit is generally:**

- A) Always safe**
- B) Recommended at all times**
- C) Potentially dangerous and can force others to take risks**

**Answer: C**

**Q21. Which of these will help reverse the effects of alcohol?**

- A) Hot coffee.**
- B) Time.**
- C) Fresh air.**

**Answer: B**

**Q22. When is it permissible to use a shared center turn lane?**

- A) As a travel lane to pass other vehicles.**
- B) To make a left turn onto another street**
  - road
  - or driveway.
- C) To make a right turn onto another street or highway.**

**Answer: B**

**Q23. If your vehicle begins to skid, what should you do?**

- A) Overcorrect with sharp steering.**
- B) Steer in the direction you want the vehicle to go and remain calm.**
- C) Turn into oncoming traffic.**
- D) Brake hard immediately.**

**Answer: B**

**Q24. When entering a street from a driveway, what must you do?**

- A)** Must honk your horn so approaching vehicles and pedestrians know to give you room.
- B)** Must drive slowly to allow approaching vehicles and pedestrians time to get out of your way.
- C)** Must stop and proceed only when there are no pedestrians or vehicles approaching.

**Answer: C**

**Q25. Road surfaces become especially slippery when?**

- A)** During the first 10–15 minutes of a rainstorm
- B)** After it has been raining for several hours
- C)** The day after it rains

**Answer: A**

**Q26. What color are signs that show distance to the next highway exit?**

- A)** Green with white letters.
- B)** Yellow with black letters.
- C)** Red with white letters.
- D)** Blue with white letters.

**Answer: A**

**Q27. When passing a row of parked vehicles, what precaution should you take?**

- A)** Drive close to parked cars to discourage doors opening.
- B)** Honk to warn anyone who might step out.
- C)** Assume parked vehicles will remain stationary.
- D)** Be prepared for people or vehicles to unexpectedly enter your lane and keep a safe space.

**Answer: D**

**Q28. At a railroad crossing with more than one track, when should you proceed?**

- A)** Go through as soon as the train passes.
- B)** Wait to proceed until you have a clear view of all tracks.
- C)** Stop on the first railroad track and watch for another train.

**Answer: B**

**Q29. True or false: You must signal every time you pull away from a curb.**

- A)** True
- B)** False
- C)** Only at night
- D)** Only when other vehicles are present

**Answer: A**

**Q30. If you want to turn left at an intersection with a green light but heavy oncoming traffic, what should you do?**

- A)** Enter the intersection and wait for traffic to clear before turning.
- B)** Use the next intersection to turn instead.
- C)** Turn quickly and hope oncoming traffic yields.
- D)** Stop in the middle of the intersection and wave oncoming traffic through.

**Answer: A**

**Q31. You may not parallel park within how many feet of a fire hydrant?**

- A)** 15 feet
- B)** 20 feet
- C)** 30 feet

**Answer: A**

**Q32. A driver signals with the left arm and hand extended upward. What does this signal mean?**

- A) The driver intends to reverse.
- B) The driver intends to turn left.
- C) The driver intends to turn right.
- D) The driver intends to stop.

**Answer: C**

**Q33. A driver entering public traffic from a driveway or private road should:**

- A) Yield to vehicles already on the public road
- B) Expect drivers on the road to yield to them
- C) Force their way into traffic if necessary

**Answer: A**

**Q34. When a curb is painted red, what does it generally indicate?**

- A) Loading zones only.
- B) Only handicap parking is allowed.
- C) Drivers may park for a limited time.
- D) No stopping
  - standing
  - or parking at any time.

**Answer: D**

**Q35. If the solid white edge line on the right slopes leftward, what does it indicate?**

- A) You are required to turn left shortly.
- B) There is an intersection ahead.
- C) The road ahead becomes narrower.
- D) A construction area is ahead.

**Answer: C**

**Q36. When you approach a flashing yellow light, you should:**

- A) Speed up to get past the hazard
- B) Stop and wait for a green light
- C) Slow down and proceed with caution

**Answer: C**

**Q37. When should you increase your following distance?**

- A) When following a large vehicle that blocks your vision or in conditions like bad weather
  - heavy traffic
  - or being tailgated.
- B) Only in city traffic.
- C) Only when exiting an expressway.
- D) Never
  - keep a constant distance.

**Answer: A**

**Q38. When parking uphill with a curb, which way should you turn your front wheels?**

- A) Turn sharply toward the curb.
- B) Turn slightly to the right.
- C) Turn sharply away from the curb.

**Answer: C**

**Q39. Is it legal to park in a handicap access aisle beside a handicap parking stall?**

- A) False
- B) True

**Answer: A**

**Q40. Which factors influence the effects of alcohol on a person?**

- A)** The amount of food in the stomach
- B)** The body weight of an individual
- C)** How much time passes between drinks.
- D)** All of the above.

**Answer: D**

**Q41. How can you avoid collisions with vehicles in your blind spots?**

- A)** Rely solely on mirrors to check blind spots.
- B)** Honk briefly before moving.
- C)** Quickly turn your head and glance over your shoulder before changing lanes.
- D)** Adjust your mirrors every mile.

**Answer: C**

**Q42. About how many standard alcoholic drinks does the average body eliminate per hour?**

- A)** Three drinks an hour.
- B)** One drink an hour.
- C)** Two drinks an hour.

**Answer: B**

**Q43. When approaching a railroad crossing, under which condition must you always stop?**

- A)** If a stop sign is posted.
- B)** Only if flaggers are present.
- C)** If the crossing gate is lowered or warning lights flash.
- D)** Only if you hear a train.

**Answer: C**

**Q44. If you are involved in a serious motor vehicle crash, what is your first legal obligation?**

- A) Stop.**
- B) Call the police.**
- C) Determine if anyone is injured.**

**Answer: A**

**Q45. When is it required to use your turn signal?**

- A) Changing lanes.**
- B) Pulling into or out of a parking space.**
- C) Pulling into traffic from a parking area or alley.**
- D) All of the above.**

**Answer: D**

**Q46. The term 'No zone' refers to:**

- A) An area where radios must be turned off**
- B) A special reduced-speed zone**
- C) The blind spots around a truck or bus where the driver cannot see you**

**Answer: C**

**Q47. If an oncoming vehicle has its high beams on and blinds you, what should you do?**

- A) Flash your lights on and off to warn the other driver.**
- B) Use your bright lights until the other vehicle dims theirs.**
- C) Look toward the right side of the road until the car passes.**

**Answer: C**

**Q48. What is a common cause of many crashes?**

- A) Drivers consistently checking their mirrors and blind spots.
- B) Drivers traveling too fast for conditions.
- C) Drivers yielding the right-of-way.

**Answer: B**

**Q49. What color are highway guide signs that show directions and mileages?**

- A) Yellow
- B) Red
- C) Green

**Answer: C**

**Q50. When approaching an unprotected railroad crossing without signals, what should you do?**

- A) Speed up to cross before a train arrives.
- B) Always come to a full stop regardless of visibility.
- C) Slow down and be prepared to stop if a train is near.
- D) Assume there is always a signal at every crossing.

**Answer: C**