BE A DRIVING FORCE FOR SAFETY.

Driver Improvement Program (DIP) Test

ON THE JOB & OFF THE JOB

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Test your knowledge! The test is comprised of 20 multiple choice questions.

Before you move on to the test questions, you will need to print out the test answer sheet.

Please access the test answer sheet, print it, and come back to this page.

When you return to this page after printing the answer sheet, just click your mouse or use the “down” arrow key to move through this assessment.

Each agency is implementing the Driver Improvement Program and test differently. For example, some agencies have included this training and test as a required part of their formal training programs. Please consult with your agency intranet site or your fleet manager for details.
1. The privilege of driving a State vehicle will be suspended if you accumulate more than \(_{(?)_}\) points on your driving record.
   A. 2
   B. 3
   C. 4
   D. 5

2. When driving a State vehicle what must be used by the driver and all passengers?
   A. Operator’s Daily Checklist Form
   B. Seat belt
   C. Dramamine
   D. Reflective vest

3. All State vehicle accidents shall be reported to the Agency’s fleet manager immediately, and in no case later than ...
   A. four (4) hours after the time of the accident
   B. the close of business the day of the accident
   C. the following business day
   D. the end of the current pay period
4. Maryland State Law requires you to use your ____(?)__, if you are using the vehicle’s windshield wipers?
   A. Headlights
   B. Four-way emergency flashers
   C. Fog lights
   D. High beams

5. What percentage of crashes are preventable?
   A. 45%
   B. 75%
   C. 90%
   D. 100%

6. How far will a vehicle travel in just one second while driving at 65 mph?
   A. 50 feet
   B. 100 feet
   C. 200 feet
   D. 300 feet
7. In addition to a vehicle’s speed, stopping distance is determined by which of the following factors:
   A. Perception distance
   B. Reaction distance
   C. Braking distance
   D. All of the above

8. Which vehicle has the right to proceed first at an intersection with four-way stop signs if more than one vehicle arrives at the stop signs at the same time?
   A. The vehicle to the left.
   B. The vehicle in the center.
   C. The vehicle to the right.
   D. The first vehicle to move forward.

9. If a collision occurs because of your inattention it’s:
   A. not an accident.
   B. your fault.
   C. preventable.
   D. all of the above.
10. The fatality rate for teenage drivers is how many times higher than the rate for drivers 25 to 69 years of age?
   A. two
   B. four
   C. six
   D. eight

11. What phone number can you call to report aggressive drivers?
   A. *66
   B. *70
   C. #77
   D. #99

12. Anyone convicted of Aggressive Driving will accrue (?) points on their driving record.
   A. 1
   B. 3
   C. 5
   D. 7
13. Roads are extra slippery at the start of a rain shower because:
   A. the road surface temperature is warmer than the rain.
   B. water makes any surface slippery.
   C. oil on the road surface has not washed away yet.
   D. a vehicle will hydroplane on any amount of water.

14. How much more stopping distance is needed in the rain?
   A. 25%
   B. 50%
   C. 75%
   D. 100%

15. What road surface freezes first?
   A. Road under an overpass
   B. Railroad crossings
   C. Bridge surfaces
   D. Asphalt
16. Where should you look if blinded by high beams coming toward you at night?
   A. The horizon
   B. The left edge of road
   C. Your speedometer
   D. Right edge of road

17. If you must pull off onto the shoulder of the road because of foggy conditions,
   A. turn off your driving lights and turn on your four-way emergency flashers.
   B. turn on your four-way flashers and leave your driving lights on.
   C. turn on your right turn signal and turn your driving lights off.
   D. turn on your left turn signal and turn the on your fog lights.

18. A Flagger has the same authority as (?) and you can be cited for disobeying their commands.
   A. a State Policeman
   B. a regulatory sign
   C. an emergency vehicle
   D. all the above
19. If necessary, to prevent a potential crash, what should you do if an oncoming vehicle is in a passing maneuver in your lane?
   A. Speed up
   B. Slow down and move to the left
   C. Move to the right, then to the left
   D. Slow down, stop, or move to the right

20. Who is responsible for passengers using their seatbelts?
   A. The passenger(s)
   B. The driver
   C. Nobody, if the passenger sits in the back seat
   D. The State Police

This is the end of the driver improvement test. Thank you for your time and please remember to Be A Driving Force for Safety: Choose Safety for Life when driving both on and off the job. Lives are counting on it.