

TIPS FOR GETTING YOUR LICENSE FAST!

IMPORTANT LINKS

District of Columbia DMV:

http://dri.vg/NSz

DMV Appointments:

http://dri.vg/Q75

Driver License Office Locations

http://dmv.dc.gov/node/136412

Fees:

http://dri.vg/f31

DMV REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST

Parent or guardian's written consent to receive a license
Proof of Identity Documents: http://dri.vg/xeB

DMV TESTS YOU TAKE

Road Rules Exam

Practice exam available online at: www.TestQuestionsAndAnswers.com

Road Signs Exam

Practice exam available online at: www.TestQuestionsAndAnswers.com

Vision Exam

Driving Skills Exam (behind the wheel)

If Applying for Regular Operator's License (not Learner's Permit)

- 1. Unless otherwise posted, the maximum speed limit in a school zone is:
- 15 mph.
- 2. When a school bus flashes red lights, you must:
- Stop from either direction until the children are safely across the street and the lights stop flashing.
- 3. If the traffic signal is not working:
- Treat the intersection as if it is controlled by stop signs in all directions.
- 4. You cannot make a right hand turn on red if:
- A "No Turn On Red" sign is posted.
- 5. When passing a bicyclist in a travel lane be sure to allow at least ______ between your vehicle and the cyclist.
- 3 feet
- 6. Unless otherwise posted, the maximum speed limit in a residential or business zone is:
- 25 mph.
- 7. If you refuse to submit to a test for drugs or alcohol:
- Your driving privileges will be automatically suspended.
- 8. To maintain a safe distance between you and the vehicle ahead, use the:
- 3 to 4 -second rule. When the vehicle ahead of you passes a certain point such as a sign, count "one-thousand-one, one- thousand two, one-thousand-three, one-thousand-four." If you get to the same spot before you finish counting, you are following too close.







- 9. If you need to stop after crossing railroad tracks:
- Wait until you can completely cross the tracks before proceeding. Make sure your vehicle clears the tracks before you stop.
- 10. You must turn on your headlights:
- · Whenever you are driving in rain, fog, or smoke.
- 11. A red signal light means:
- · Stop.
- 12. You may not pass if:
- · The solid yellow line is on your side.
- 13. If your vehicle starts to skid:
- Take your foot off the gas.
- · Do not apply the brakes.
- Steer in the direction of the skid then steer in the direction you want the car to go.
- 14. A roundabout is an intersection where:
- Traffic travels around a central island in a counter-clockwise direction.
- 15. The center of a road used for two-way traffic is marked with a:
- Solid or broken yellow line.
- 16. It is especially difficult to gauge the speed of a motorcycle because:
- They may appear to be much farther away than they really are.
- 17. HOV lanes on freeways are marked with a:
- White Diamond and the words "Carpool Lane."
- 18. You should allow extra room between your vehicle and a motorcycle ahead because:
- Motorcyclists can stop much more quickly than a larger vehicle.
- 19. A red arrow means:
- "STOP." Remain stopped until the green signal or green arrow appears. Do not turn against a red arrow.
- 20. You can receive a ticket for driving too slowly.
- TRUE.

- 21. A yellow arrow means:
- The protected turning time is ending. Be prepared to obey the next light (red or green).
- 22. Blind spots around a large truck are known as:
- "No Zones."
- 23. If you are convicted of certain criminal traffic violations in DC, including driving while intoxicated or driving under the influence, your minimum revocation period is
- · 6 months for the first offense.
- 24. When police, fire, or other emergency vehicles approach drivers should:
- · Pull over to the closest edge of the roadway immediately and stop until the emergency vehicle has passed.
- 25. DC law requires that seat belts be worn by:
- · The driver and all passengers.
- 26. Always stop for pedestrians:
- At corners with or without traffic lights, whether or not the crosswalks are marked by painted lines.
- 27. If road or weather conditions are not good:
- Double your following distance.
- 28. You must follow any lawful orders or directions of:
- · Any law enforcement officer or a fireman at the scene who is directing traffic.
- 29. When turning, you should use your turn signal at least:
- 100 feet before the turn.
- 30. Pedestrians and drivers must yield the right-of-way to:
- · Law enforcement vehicles, fire engines and other emergency vehicles using sirens and/ or flashing lights.
- 31. Medications taken together or used with _____ can be dangerous.
- Alcohol

- 32. Traffic lanes going in the same direction, such as on one-way streets are marked by a:
- · Solid or broken white line.
- 33. Before changing lanes, signal, look in all your mirrors, and:
- · Check traffic behind and beside you.
- Glance over your left or right shoulder to make sure the lane you want is clear.
- Look for all vehicles, motorcyclists, and bicycle traffic in your blind spot.
- · Be sure there is enough room for your vehicle in the next lane.
- 34. If you miss your exit on an interstate or freeway:
- Do not stop. Proceed on to the next exit.
- 35. When exiting a freeway or interstate:
 - Give yourself plenty of time to move over to the exit lane and signal your intentions well in advance.
- 36. Drivers must always yield the right-of-way to:
- · Persons who are blind.
- 37. A green arrow means:
- Go. You must proceed in the direction of the arrow after yielding to pedestrians, bicyclists, and vehicles close enough to be a hazard.
- 38. The center lane of a three-lane or five-lane highway is used:
- · Only for turning left.
- 39. The DUI law applies not only for alcohol but also for:
- Any other drug, including prescription and over-the-counter drugs, that can affect your driving abilities.
- 40. If you come upon the victims of a vehicle crash:
- Do not move an injured person who cannot move or complains of pain in the back or neck. Do not attempt to remove the helmet of an injured motorcycle or bicycle rider.
- 41. Alcohol impairs your:
- · Judgment.

- 42. When parking uphill with a curb:
- Turn your front wheels away from the curb and let your vehicle roll back a few inches. The wheel should gently touch the curb.
- 43. If you are driving slowly on a two-lane highway or road where passing is unsafe, and five or more vehicles are following you:
- Drive into the turnout areas or lanes to let the vehicles pass.
- 44. A special freeway lane used only for carpools, buses, motorcycles, or decaled low-emission vehicles is known as a:
- · Carpool/High Occupancy Vehicles (HOV) Lane.
- 45. When passing another vehicle, do not return to the right side of the road until:
- · You can see the headlights/tires of the vehicle you just passed in your rearview mirror.
- 46. It is illegal to pass a vehicle stopped at a crosswalk because:
- A pedestrian you cannot see may be crossing the street.
- 47. Always drive on the right side of a two-lane highway except when:
- · Passing.
- 48. You may pass, if it is safe to do so, when the broken yellow line is:
 - · On your side of the roadway.
- 49. Do not attempt to pass unless:
- You are sure there is enough clear space ahead to complete the pass safely.