

Road Safety and Traffic Rules Quiz

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1. A broken centre line on a roadway means you may:

- A) Pass if the way is clear?
- B) Never pass?
- C) Pass only during daylight hours?
- D) Pass at any time?

2. Double white lines in the centre of a roadway mean:

- A) It is unsafe to overtake and pass?
- B) Pass only when no traffic is in sight?
- C) It is safe to overtake and pass?
- D) Pass at any time?

3. A flashing red light at an intersection means:

- A) Stop, proceed only when it is safe to do so?
- B) Slow down and yield right of way to a car approaching from your left or right?
- C) Stop, proceed only when the light changes to green?
- D) Slow down and drive with increased caution?

4. In Port-of-Spain, San Fernando and Arima it is unlawful to sound your horn:

- A) At nights?
- B) Between the hours of 9 p.m, to 5.30 a.m.?
- C) During the day?
- D) Between 7.30 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.?

5. Most automobile skids are a result of:

- A) Over-inflated tyres?
- B) Driving too fast?
- C) Under-inflated tyres?
- D) Wet road?

6. When filling petrol in the tank of a motor vehicle, what does the law require you to do?

- A) Switch off the engine.
- B) Smoke.
- C) Keep the engine running.
- D) Use a naked light to see that the gas gets into the tank.

7. If the signal light changes from green to amber as you approach an intersection what must you do?

- A) Stop. If a stop cannot be made safely proceed with caution
- B) Sound horn to warn pedestrians and other drivers.
- C) Continue through the intersection without slowing or stopping.
- D) Speed up to clear the intersection as quickly as possible.

8. When towing a motor vehicle on the roadway the chain, drawbar or rope must not exceed:

- A) 3 metres? (10 feet)?
- B) 6 metres? (20 feet)?
- C) 4.5 metres? (15 feet)?
- D) Any length would do?

9. When driving a motor vehicle, traffic or hand signals should be given by:

- A) Anybody in the vehicle?
- B) The passenger in the rear?
- C) The person on the left of the driver?
- D) The driver only?

10. When a constable on point duty gives a traffic control signal to enable any vehicle to proceed in an indicating direction who will have the right of way?

- A) The pedestrian about to cross the current flow of traffic.
- B) The motorist proceeding in the direction indicated.
- C) The cyclist wanting to cross the flow of traffic.
- D) Anybody can go

11. What offence is committed when someone changes or allows to be used by another person any identification mark or motor vehicle licence?

- A) Larceny.
- B) Fraud.
- C) No offence.
- D) Disorderly behaviour.

12. In what lane of traffic should you drive when you are going to make a right-hand turn on a wide two-way street?

- A) The centre lane.
- B) Close to the right side of the roadway.
- C) Close to the left side of the roadway.
- D) Does not matter if you give proper signal.

13. When travelling on a highway, the driver of a motor vehicle is not permitted to carry in a house or boat trailer:

- A) Pets?
- B) Persons?
- C) Firearms?
- D) Flammable materials?

14. You are required to keep a safe distance behind the vehicle in front of you, at 50 kilometres (30 miles) an hour you should keep at least:

- A) Five car lengths behind the other vehicle?
- B) One car length behind the other vehicle?
- C) Three car lengths behind the other vehicle?
- D) Seven car lengths behind the other vehicle?

15. Who has the right of way at a round-about?

- A) Vehicles going straight.
- B) Those on the left.
- C) Who reaches there first.
- D) Those coming from the right.

16. It is in order for a driver to overtake:

- A) Round a corner?
- B) Where the road ahead is clear for a sufficient distance to enable him to overtake and get back to the left before meeting traffic coming from the opposite direction?
- C) On a hump-backed or narrow bridge?
- D) At the brow of a hill?

17. In one second a car moving at 30 miles (50 kilometres) per hour travels:

- A) 9 metres (30 feet)?
- B) 10 metres (35 feet)?
- C) 17 metres (55 feet)?
- D) 13.5 metres (44 feet)?

18. How close to a fire hydrant you may legally park?

- A) 1.5 metres (5 feet)?
- B) 6 metres (20 feet)?
- C) 3 metres (10 feet)?
- D) 4.5 metres (15 feet)?

19. What is the law as regards the colour of your vehicle?

- A) Paint in a colour of your choice.
- B) It must not be in the colour of the protective services.
- C) It can be painted blue.
- D) It can be red or blue.

20. In what position on the roadway must you be, before making a right turn from a one-way street?

- A) Close to the left side of the roadway.
- B) Close to the right side of the roadway.
- C) Close to the centre line of the roadway.
- D) Does not matter if you give proper signal.

21. When may you lend your driver's license?

- A) For identification purposes.
- B) It is not permitted.
- C) In emergencies.
- D) To a person learning to drive.

22. Unless otherwise posted, the maximum speed limit on the highway outside of the City, Boroughs, Villages or built-up area is:

- A) 80 kilometres (50 miles) an hour?
- B) 60 kilometres (40 miles) an hour?
- C) 50 kilometres (30 miles) an hour?
- D) 100 kilometres (60 miles) an hour?

23. The maximum length of a combination of vehicles must not exceed:

- A) 10 metres (35 feet)?
- B) 18 metres (59 feet)?
- C) 17 metres (55 feet)?
- D) 15 metres (50 feet)?

24. What projections are allowed on a Motor Vehicle or trailer?

- A) 0.91 metres (3 feet) in front.
- B) 0.3 metres [1 (one) foot] on each side.
- C) Any length once you carry a red flag at the end of the load.
- D) 1.5 metres [5 (five) feet in front and rear, and not more than 0.3 metres [one (1) foot] on either side beyond the plane of the wheels.

25. Who is deemed the "Owner" of a Motor Vehicle?

- A) The person buying the vehicle,
- B) The person for whom the vehicle was bought.
- C) The person in whose name the vehicle is registered.
- D) The person in possession.

26. Every Motor vehicle and trailer, operating when lights are required must show at the rear:

- A) A red light and stop light?
- B) A red light and white identification plate light?
- C) A red reflector and stop-light?
- D) A stop light?

27. In what condition should your vehicle be kept?

- A) Clean.
- B) Anyhow once you have good brakes and steering.
- C) The vehicle and all the fittings thereof shall be in such a condition as not to cause, or to be likely to cause, danger to any person on the vehicle or on the public road.
- D) One defective tyre does not matter.