



THE DRIVERS' TEST CRIB SHEET

Almost license-renewal time?
Not ready to take the damned written exam?
Look what we've got for you!

Now, let's be honest. If the DMV didn't want us to cheat on our written driving tests, it wouldn't give them back to us corrected, right? And when it comes to the rules of the road, most motorists, with the possible exception of mothers and masochists, would gladly pore over a friend's previously taken test rather than plow through the California Driver's Handbook.

But if things are as easy as they sound, how come almost 25 per cent of the test takers—both novices and hard-core drivers—flunk on round one? Because the DMV is not that naive; it administers five different tests that are revised periodically ("every two to four years," according to a DMV spokesperson), and of late the department has become rather

bullish on the more obscure sections of the Handbook as well as the latest changes in the California Vehicle Code. (One veteran CHP officer frankly admitted recently that he flunked the test badly. "The questions are silly," he complained to the examiner. "This just isn't the way we interpret the law on the road.")

Well, in the spirit of Christmas and good will toward motorists, we offer our readers this gift: the five drivers'-license tests currently being given by the DMV. However, don't think it will be smooth sailing from now on. We can't predict when the next revision will take place or the next road rule be changed. And remember—if you fail, don't blame us.

1. It is against the law to have an open alcoholic-beverage container in your car, except:

- In the trunk
- On the back seat
- In the glove compartment

2. California's "basic speed law" states that you may NEVER drive faster than:

- The posted speed limit
- The flow of traffic
- It is safe for conditions at that time

3. A good safety rule, when you are sure you have the legal right of way, is to:

- Always take it
- Never insist on it
- Always let the other driver have it

4. You must not cross a solid double line in the center of the roadway to:

- Make a left turn
- Overtake and pass another car
- Enter a private driveway

5. A flashing red traffic light at an intersection means that you must:

- Stop before entering
- Slow down before entering
- Wait for the green light

6. Before changing lanes in traffic, you should:

- Give a signal and look in your rear-view mirrors
- Look over your shoulder to be sure the lane you want to use is clear
- Do both of the above

7. You must look for bicycle riders in the same lanes used by motor vehicles because they:

- Must ride facing oncoming traffic
- Are entitled to share the road with you
- Always have the right of way

8. At a "blind" intersection the speed limit is:

- 15 miles per hour
- 20 miles per hour
- 25 miles per hour

9. You are permitted to open your door on the traffic side:

- Only when it is safe
- At all times while parked
- To leave but not to enter your car

10. When passing a school while children are going to or coming from school, the speed limit (unless posted for a slower limit) is:

- 20 miles per hour
- 25 miles per hour
- 35 miles per hour

11. Using the unpaved shoulder of the road to pass to the right of a car ahead of you is:

- Permitted if you are turning right
- Against the law
- Permitted if car ahead is turning left

12. You must always look carefully for motorcycles before you change lanes or make a left turn because they:

- Never have the right of way
- Are always driven too fast
- Are hard to see

13. You must make a financial-responsibility report after an accident when anyone is injured or killed:

- No matter who was at fault
- Only if it was your fault
- Only if you are not insured

14. This sign means:



- Divided highway ahead
- Side road ahead
- Fewer lanes ahead

15. These signs mean:



- The road ahead is closed to all traffic
- You must not enter this road from your direction
- Enter carefully, construction ahead

16. This sign means:



- Vehicles on the right go first
- You have the right of way
- Let cross traffic go by first

17. This symbol at a parking space means that you may park if:



- You will move your car within 3 minutes
- There are no other parking spaces and you must carry a heavy package to your car
- Your vehicle has special plates or a placard issued to disabled persons

18. The wording on this sign means:



- You must not turn left here
- You may turn left when it is safe
- Left turn only from this lane

19. Where a left turn can be started from either of 2 lanes, a U-turn can be started from:

- Either of the 2 lanes
- Only the left lane
- Any lane that is open

20. When backing a passenger car out of a parking place, you should always:

- Rely on your rear-view mirror
- Look back over your shoulder
- Blow your horn

21. If you are arrested for drunk driving and refuse to submit to a chemical test of the alcoholic content of your blood:

- Your driving privilege will be suspended for 6 months
- You will receive an additional fine
- You will not be able to post bail

22. If you get into a rear-wheel skid, it is best to:

- Turn your steering wheel toward the skid
- Turn your steering wheel away from the skid
- Hold your steering wheel straight

23. You may not legally drive faster than 55 mph:

- Except on freeways
- At any time
- Except to keep up with faster traffic

24. Pedestrians using guide dogs or carrying white canes:

- Must be given the right of way at all times
- Must be given the right of way at corners only
- Must be told when to cross the street

25. A passenger vehicle may NOT tow:

- 1 trailer
- Another passenger vehicle
- 2 trailers

26. When a school bus has stopped on the road ahead of you and is showing flashing red lights, you must:

- Slow to 10 mph in passing
- Stop until the lights stop flashing
- Change lanes and pass cautiously

27. When another car tries to pass you on a 2-way road, you should NEVER:

- Stay at your speed
- Slow down
- Increase your speed

28. You may cross over a double line on the road to pass another car if the line on your side of the road is:

- Solid white
- Solid yellow
- Broken

29. When you reach a corner with no traffic light or sign at the same time as cars on the cross street, you should yield the right of way to:

- The car on your right
- Neither car
- The car on your left

30. This lane in the middle of a 2-way street may be used:



- For passing or overtaking other cars
- For making right or left turns
- For beginning or ending left turns

31. If you are going to turn, you must give a signal:

- Only while making the turn
- During the last 100 feet before turning
- During the last 50 feet before turning

32. Seat belts properly worn will:

- Prevent accidents
- Keep you from moving your body
- Reduce the risk of injury

33. When you hear the siren or see the red emergency light of a closely approaching ambulance, police car or fire truck, and you are not in an intersection, you should:

- Speed up to clear traffic
- Drive slowly in the right lane until it has passed
- Drive to the right edge of the road and stop

34. Alcohol and drugs contribute to approximately:

- 50% of all U.S. traffic deaths
- 40% of all U.S. traffic deaths
- 30% of all U.S. traffic deaths

35. The law requires a slow-moving vehicle to turn off a 2-lane highway at a turnout or other safe place whenever it is being closely followed by:

- 5 or more vehicles
- 4 vehicles
- 2 vehicles

36. While traveling on a freeway, if you see orange construction and maintenance signs, you must:





- Slow down because the road ends
- Be prepared for people working and slow-moving equipment
- Change lanes and maintain speed

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1. You must make a financial-responsibility report after an accident when damage to 1 of the vehicles is over \$500:
 - Only if you are not insured
 - Only if it was your fault
 - No matter who was at fault
2. If you are arrested for drunk driving and refuse to submit to a chemical test of the alcoholic content of your blood:
 - Your driving privilege will be suspended for 6 months
 - You will receive an additional fine
 - You will not be able to post bail
3. Alcohol and drugs contribute to approximately:
 - 30% of all U.S. traffic deaths
 - 40% of all U.S. traffic deaths
 - 50% of all U.S. traffic deaths
4. The law requires a slow-moving vehicle to turn off a 2-lane highway at a turnout or other safe place whenever it is being closely followed by:
 - 2 vehicles
 - 4 vehicles
 - 5 or more vehicles
5. Where a left turn can be started from either of 2 lanes, a U-turn can be started from:
 - Either of the 2 lanes
 - Only the left lane
 - Any lane that is open
6. If you are making a turn on a very sunny day, it is considered safest to:
 - Use electric signal only
 - Use both electric and hand-arm signals
 - Depend on headlights
7. You may cross over a double line on the road to pass another car if the line on your side of the road is:
 - Broken
 - Solid white
 - Solid yellow
8. While traveling on a freeway, if you see orange construction and maintenance signs you must:
 - Slow down because the road ends
 - Be prepared for people working and slow-moving equipment
 - Change lanes and maintain speed
9. When a school bus has stopped on the road ahead of you and is showing flashing red lights, you must:
 - Slow to 10 mph
 - Stop until the lights stop flashing
 - Change lanes and pass cautiously
10. You may not "double park":
 - At any time
 - Except when making a delivery
 - Except while waiting in the car
11. When passing a school while children are going to or coming from school, the speed limit (unless posted for a slower limit) is:
 - 15 miles per hour
 - 20 miles per hour
 - 25 miles per hour
12. A passenger vehicle may NOT tow:
 - 1 trailer
 - Another passenger vehicle
 - 2 trailers
13. If you are going to turn, you must give a signal:
 - During the last 50 feet before turning
 - During the last 100 feet before turning
 - Only while making the turn
14. When about to make a left turn, you should give the right of way to cars coming from the opposite direction:
 - Until at least 2 cars have passed
 - Until none are close enough to be dangerous
 - Until 5 cars have passed
15. When you are preparing to turn right at a corner where there is a bicycle lane, you should signal, look carefully for bicycle riders, then:
 - Merge into the bike lane before making your turn
 - Make your turn being careful to stay out of the bike lane
 - Speed up and pass any bicycle riders before they can get to the corner
16. This lane in the middle of a 2-way street may be used:
 - For beginning or ending left turns
 - For passing or overtaking other cars
 - For making right and left turns
17. At a "blind" intersection the speed limit is:
 - 20 miles per hour
 - 15 miles per hour
 - 25 miles per hour
18. If you hit a parked car and cannot find the owner, you:
 - Must wait for the owner to return
 - Need to do nothing if the damage is less than \$500
 - Must leave a note on or in the car

19. This sign means:
 -  Car on the right goes first
 - Car on the right must wait
 - Let cross traffic go by first
20. This symbol at a parking space means that the space is for:
 -  Cars with special plates or placards issued to disabled persons
 - Parking for less than 5 minutes
 - Unloading passengers
21. This sign means:
 -  Divided highway ahead
 - Side road ahead on right
 - Fewer lanes ahead
22. The wording on this sign means:
 -  Right turn only
 - You may turn right when it is safe
 - You must not turn right here
23. You may open your vehicle's door on the traffic side:
 - At any time while parked
 - To leave but not to enter your car
 - Only when it is safe
24. A pedestrian crossing at a corner has the right of way:
 - Only when a crosswalk is marked
 - Whether or not a crosswalk is marked
 - Only when traffic lights are working
25. When you reach a corner without a traffic light or sign at the same time as cars on the cross street, you should yield the right of way to:
 - The car on your right
 - The car on your left
 - Neither car
26. Emergency lights flashing on a moving vehicle (both left- and right-turn signal lights flashing at the same time) mean:
 - It is carrying children to or from school
 - Let the vehicle have the right of way
 - There is a hazard or an accident ahead
27. California's "basic speed law" states that you may NEVER drive faster than:
 - The posted speed limit
 - The flow of traffic
 - It is safe for conditions at that time
28. Seat belts properly worn will:
 - Prevent accidents
 - Reduce the risk of injury
 - Keep you from moving your body
29. If you become sleepy while driving it is best to:
 - Increase your speed to get away from other vehicles
 - Move over to the right lane and continue driving
 - Drive to a safe place, stop and rest
30. Using the unpaved shoulder of the road to pass to the right of a car ahead of you is:
 - Forbidden by law
 - Permitted if you are turning right
 - Permitted if car ahead is turning left
31. A sign which reads "WRONG WAY" means:
 - You must not enter this road from your direction
 - The road ahead is closed to all traffic
 - Enter this way carefully, construction ahead
32. Bicycles and motorcycles are entitled to an equal share of the roadway with automobiles:
 - On all streets and highways where they are permitted
 - Only on roads posted as "bike routes"
 - Only when there is no road shoulder
33. Pedestrians using guide dogs or carrying white canes:
 - Must be given the right of way at corners only
 - Must be given the right of way at all times
 - Must be told when to cross the street
34. It is against the law to have an open alcoholic-beverage container in your car, except:
 - On the back seat
 - In the trunk
 - In the glove compartment
35. If a person is repeatedly convicted for traffic violations:
 - DMV may schedule that person for a hearing
 - DMV may consider an action against that person's driving privilege
 - Both of the above may happen
36. When you are towing a trailer:
 - You may not drive faster than 45 mph
 - The trailer must not swerve from side to side at any speed
 - You should drive in the left-hand lane when there are more than 2 lanes in your direction





1. At night you must dim or lower your headlight beams when an oncoming car gets within:
 - 100 feet
 - 500 feet
 - 1,000 feet
2. When you reach a corner without a stoplight at the same time as cars on the cross street, you should yield the right of way to:
 - The car on your left
 - The car on your right
 - Neither car
3. You should begin signaling for a right or left turn before reaching the turning point by at least:
 - 100 feet
 - 200 feet
 - 50 feet
4. Using the unpaired shoulder of the road to pass to the right of a car ahead of you is:
 - Forbidden by law
 - Permitted if you are turning right
 - Permitted if car ahead is turning left
5. You may "double park":
 - When making a delivery
 - While waiting for a passenger
 - Not at any time
6. When a curb is painted red, it means:
 - Limited-time parking only
 - No stopping or parking
 - Reserved for unloading freight
7. When coming to a stop at a corner where there is a stop sign you should first stop:
 - In back of the crosswalk
 - After crossing the crosswalk
 - Out far enough to see cross traffic
8. You must make a financial-responsibility report after an accident when damage to 1 of the vehicles is over \$250:
 - Only if you are not insured
 - Only if it was your fault
 - Whether or not it was your fault
9. A pedestrian has the right of way at a corner:
 - Whether or not crosswalk is marked
 - Only when crosswalk is marked
 - Only when traffic signals are working
10. When a school bus has stopped on the highway ahead of you and is showing flashing red lights, you must:
 - Slow to 10 mph in passing
 - Change lanes and pass cautiously
 - Stop until lights stop flashing
11. You should normally begin a right turn in:
 - The lane nearest the left curb
 - The lane nearest the right curb
 - The lane nearest the road center
12. You must always give the right of way to a pedestrian carrying a white cane because it means that he or she is:
 - Crippled
 - Blind
 - An elderly person
13. When backing a passenger car out of a parking space, you should always:
 - Rely only on your rear-view mirror
 - Look back over your shoulder
 - Blow your horn
14. When you come to a stop sign you should:
 - Slow down, and stop if necessary
 - Stop every time
 - Stop unless nothing is coming
15. You are less likely to have unexpected emergency stops if you:
 - Look ahead of the car in front of you
 - Turn on your emergency flashers
 - Change your speed frequently
16. It is against the law to cross a solid double line in the center of the roadway to:
 - Overtake and pass another car
 - Make a left turn
 - Enter a private driveway
17. A sign which reads "WRONG WAY" means:
 - A lane to use when you miss the proper turnoff
 - A lane to use for changing your direction
 - Stop. You are going against traffic
18. If you are asked to submit to a test of the alcohol in your body you may choose:
 - Either a blood, breath or urine test
 - Only a blood test
 - Only a breath test







19. A flashing red signal light at a road crossing means that you must:
 - Slow down before crossing
 - Wait for the green light
 - Stop before crossing
20. Whenever you leave your car unattended, the law requires that you stop the motor and:
 - Set the parking brake
 - Leave the gears in neutral
 - Close the windows
21. At a "blind" intersection (where you cannot see clearly for 100 feet down the cross street in both directions) the speed limit is:
 - 35 miles per hour
 - 15 miles per hour
 - 25 miles per hour
22. If a car ahead of you has stopped at a crosswalk to let someone walk across, you should:
 - Change lanes and pass
 - Blow your horn as you pass
 - Stop and proceed when safe
23. When you hear the siren of a closely approaching fire truck, and you are not in an intersection, you should:
 - Drive slowly until it has passed
 - Speed up to clear traffic
 - Pull to the right and stop
24. Before changing lanes in traffic, you should always give a signal, check your rear-view mirror, and:
 - Sound your horn
 - Flash your headlights
 - Turn your head to check beside your car
25. A slow-moving vehicle must turn off of a 2-lane highway at a turnout or other safe place whenever it is being closely followed by:
 - 1 vehicle
 - 3 vehicles
 - 5 vehicles
26. The law says that a passenger vehicle may NOT tow:
 - 1 trailer
 - Another passenger vehicle
 - 2 trailers
27. If a traffic light is red, but a policeman or fireman on duty tells you to go ahead, you should:
 - Wait for the green light
 - Do as he tells you
 - Report him to police headquarters
28. A green-painted curb means that stopping or parking is permitted only for:
 - A limited time
 - Taxis and buses
 - Loading or unloading freight
29. When parking your car headed downhill on a 2-way street, the front wheels should be:
 - Turned to left, away from the curb
 - Parallel to the curb
 - Turned to right, against the curb
30. The law forbids changing the muffler on your car to:
 - Increase noise
 - Direct exhaust fumes to the rear
 - Make it gas tight
31. This sign means:
 - No pedestrians permitted
 - Signal-controlled crossing ahead
 - Watch for walkers crossing street
32. This sign means:
 - Watch for cars entering from side
 - Center divider strip ends
 - Divided highway ahead
33. On first conviction of drunk driving a person may be jailed for 48 hours to 6 months and fined:
 - Up to \$100
 - Up to \$500
 - Only if involved in an accident
34. This sign means:
 - Let cross traffic go by first
 - Car on the right goes first
 - You have the right of way
35. A new kind of pavement striping may be painted on each side of a 2-way left-turn lane in the middle of a street. It will show: (New 1977 law)
 - 2 dashed double lines
 - 2 solid lines
 - Solid line outside, dashed line inside
36. When a left turn can be started from two lanes, a U-turn can be started from: (New 1977 law)
 - Either lane
 - Only the farthest left lane
 - Any lane that is open

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<p>1. Under the "basic speed law" you may NEVER drive faster than:</p> <p>The posted speed limit <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>The flow of traffic <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>It is safe <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>2. A moving vehicle with both left- and right-turn signal lights flashing at the same time means:</p> <p>It is carrying children to or from school <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>There is a hazard or an accident ahead <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>It is going to make a U-turn <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>3. When you reach a corner without a traffic light or sign at the same time as cars on the cross street, you should yield the right of way to:</p> <p>The car on your right <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>The car on your left <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Neither car <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>4. At a stop sign you must:</p> <p>Stop every time <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Slow down and stop if necessary <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Stop unless nothing is coming <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>5. At a "blind" intersection (where you cannot see clearly for 100 feet down the cross street in both directions) the speed limit is:</p> <p>10 miles per hour <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>15 miles per hour <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>25 miles per hour <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>6. When a school bus has stopped on the road ahead of you and is showing flashing red lights, you must:</p> <p>Stop until the lights stop flashing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Slow to 10 mph in passing <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Change lanes and pass cautiously <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>7. If you hit a parked car and cannot find the owner, you must:</p> <p>Leave a note on or in the car <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Wait for the owner to return <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Leave a message at the nearest house <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>8. You must always give the right of way to pedestrians carrying white canes because it means that they are:</p> <p>Blind <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Crippled <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Old <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>9. You may open your vehicle's door on the traffic side:</p> <p>Only when it is safe <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>At any time while parked <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>To leave but not to enter your car <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>10. You must be very careful driving near bicycle riders because they:</p> <p>Should not be using public roads <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Do not have to obey traffic laws <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Will probably be seriously hurt in collisions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>11. When passing a school while children are going to or coming from school, the speed limit (unless posted for a slower limit) is:</p> <p>35 miles per hour <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>10 miles per hour <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>25 miles per hour <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>12. This symbol at a parking space means that the space is for:</p> <p> Cars with special plates or signs issued to disabled persons <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Shopping carts only <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Shopping carts and wheelchairs <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>13. This sign means:</p> <p> Let cross traffic go by first <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Car on the right goes first <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>You have the right of way <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>14. This sign means:</p> <p> Rough pavement ahead <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Street crosses at an angle <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Railroad crossing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>15. This sign means:</p> <p> Fewer lanes ahead <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Divided highway ahead <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Side road ahead <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>16. A flashing red light at an intersection means that you must:</p> <p>Stop before entering <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Slow down before entering <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Wait for the green light <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>17. When 2 cars meet on a grade of a narrow road where they cannot pass, the right of way should be yielded to:</p> <p>The car going uphill <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Neither car <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>The car going downhill <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>18. Motorcycles are entitled to an equal share of the roadway with automobiles:</p> <p>On all streets and highways where they are permitted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Only on roads posted as "bike routes" <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Only when there is no road shoulder <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>19. When driving in the far left lane on a freeway and other drivers want to pass you, you should:</p> <p>Pay no attention if you're driving 55 mph <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Move to the right when it is safe <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Flash your brake lights so they will slow down <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>20. Where a left turn can be started from either of 2 lanes, a U-turn can be started from:</p> <p>Either of the 2 lanes <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Only the left lane <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Any lane that is open <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>21. A stop sign at a corner without a limit line means that you must first stop:</p> <p>In back of the crosswalk <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Out far enough to see cross traffic <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>After crossing the crosswalk <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>22. A slow-moving vehicle must turn off a 2-lane highway at a turnout or other safe place whenever it is being closely followed by:</p> <p>1 or 2 vehicles <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>5 or more vehicles <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>3 or 4 vehicles <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>23. If you are arrested for drunk driving and refuse to take an alcohol test, your license will be:</p> <p>Suspended for 6 months <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Placed on probation <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Suspended until you take the test <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>24. You may cross over a double line on the road to pass another car if the line on your side of the road is:</p> <p>Solid white <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Broken <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Solid yellow <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>25. Violation points are placed in your driver record for:</p> <p>Unpaid parking tickets <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Parking in a loading zone <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Convictions for not stopping at stop signs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>26. A sign which reads "WRONG WAY" means:</p> <p>A lane to use when you miss the proper turnoff <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>A lane to use for changing your direction <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Stop. You are going against traffic <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>27. A pedestrian crossing at a corner has the right of way:</p> <p>Only when a crosswalk is marked <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Whether or not a crosswalk is marked <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Only when traffic lights are working <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>28. If you are going to turn, you must give a signal:</p> <p>During at least the last 100 feet before turning <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>During at least the last 50 feet before turning <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Only while making the turn <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>29. You may go through a red light without stopping if you are ordered to do so by a:</p> <p>Doctor or nurse <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Traffic officer or firefighter on duty <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>U.S. Mail carrier <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>30. If you are making a turn on a very sunny day, it is considered safest to:</p> <p>Use electric signal only <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Use both electric and hand-arm signals <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Sound horn instead of signaling <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>31. You may not "double park":</p> <p>At any time <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Except when making a delivery <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Except while waiting for a passenger <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>32. A passenger vehicle may NOT tow:</p> <p>1 trailer <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Another passenger vehicle <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>2 trailers <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>33. If you become sleepy while driving it is best to:</p> <p>Increase your speed to get away from other vehicles <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Move over to the right lane and continue driving <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Drive to a safe place, stop and rest <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>34. When you prepare to turn right at a corner where there is a bicycle lane you should:</p> <p>Signal, look carefully, and turn without entering the bike lane <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Signal, look carefully, move into the bike lane near the corner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Signal, look carefully, and move into the bike lane only if permitted by arrows <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>35. Driving under the influence of any drug which makes you drive unsafely is:</p> <p>Permitted if it is prescribed by a doctor <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Against the law <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Permitted if it is a diet pill, or cold medicine <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>36. You must make a financial-responsibility report after an accident when damage to 1 of the vehicles is over \$350:</p> <p>Only if you are not insured <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Only if it was your fault <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Whether or not it was your fault <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>
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 - Against the law
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2. You must make a financial-responsibility report after an accident when damage to 1 of the vehicles is over \$500:
- Only if you were not insured
 - Only if it was your fault
 - No matter who was at fault
3. When a mechanical signal or flashing light is operating at a railroad crossing you must:
- Stop then proceed when safe
 - Slow down before crossing
 - Stop only if you see a train coming
4. Before changing lanes in traffic, you should:
- Give a signal and look in your rear-view mirrors
 - Look over your shoulder to be sure the lane you want to use is clear
 - Do both of above
5. Alcohol and drugs contribute to approximately:
- 30% of all U.S. traffic deaths
 - 40% of all U.S. traffic deaths
 - 50% of all U.S. traffic deaths
6. At a "blind" intersection the speed limit is:
- 25 miles per hour
 - 15 miles per hour
 - 20 miles per hour
7. You must always look carefully for motorcycles before you change lanes or make a left turn because they:
- Are always driven too fast
 - Are hard to see
 - Never have the right of way
8. This sign means:
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- Right lane ends, prepare to move left
 - Slow down, pavement ends
 - Construction ahead, caution, no shoulder
9. These signs mean:
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- The road ahead is closed to all traffic
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- Enter carefully, construction ahead
 - You must not enter this road from your direction
10. This sign means:
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- 1-way road widens into 2 lanes
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- Vehicles on this road travel in 2 directions
 - Crossroad intersects the main road ahead
11. You should expect to see this sign:
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- On a highway before a road joins it
 - At a major intersection
 - At the beginning of a divided highway
12. Where a left turn can be started from either of 2 lanes, a U-turn can be started from:
- Either of the 2 lanes
 - Only the left lane
 - Any lane that is open
13. A pedestrian crossing at a corner has the right of way:
- Only when a crosswalk is marked
 - Whether or not a crosswalk is marked
 - Only when traffic signals are working
14. When another car tries to pass you on a 2-lane road, you should NEVER:
- Increase your speed
 - Stay at your speed
 - Slow down
15. When driving in heavy fog you should reduce your normal driving speed and use:
- High-beam headlights
 - Low-beam headlights
 - Parking lights
16. The "implied-consent law" says you have agreed to take a test for the alcoholic content of your blood:
- Whenever you drive in California
 - Only on advice of an attorney
 - Only if an accident has occurred
17. When ready to make a left turn, you should give the right of way to cars coming from the opposite direction:
- Until at least 2 cars have passed
 - Until 5 cars have passed
 - Until all dangerously close cars have passed
18. When passing a school while children are going to or coming from school, the speed limit (unless posted for a slower limit) is:
- 25 miles per hour
 - 20 miles per hour
 - 15 miles per hour
19. Under California's "basic speed law" you may NEVER drive faster than:
- It is safe for conditions at that time
 - The posted speed limit
 - The flow of traffic
20. When a school bus has stopped on the road ahead of you and is showing flashing red lights, you must:
- Slow to 10 mph in passing
 - Stop until the lights stop flashing
 - Change lanes and pass cautiously
21. You may cross over a double line on the road to pass another car if the line on your side of the road is:
- Solid white
 - Solid yellow
 - Broken
22. When you reach a corner with no traffic light or sign at the same time as cars on the cross street, you should yield the right of way to:
- The car turning right
 - The car on your right
 - The car on your left
23. Emergency lights flashing on a moving vehicle (both left and right turn signal lights flashing at the same time) mean:
- It is carrying children to or from school
 - There is a hazard or an accident ahead
 - It is going to make a U-turn
24. The law requires a slow-moving vehicle to turn off a 2-lane highway at a turnout or other safe place whenever it is being closely followed by:
- 2 vehicles
 - 4 vehicles
 - 5 or more vehicles
25. While traveling on a freeway, if you see orange construction and maintenance signs you must:
- Be prepared for slow-moving equipment and people working
 - Slow down because the road ends
 - Change lanes and maintain speed
26. Pedestrians using guide dogs or carrying white canes:
- Must be given the right of way at corners only
 - Must be told when to cross the street
 - Must be given the right of way at all times
27. If your California driving privilege has been revoked, you may:
- Drive in this state only if you have a license from another state
 - Not drive in this state with any license or permit
 - Drive only in the presence of a licensed driver
28. Normally when there are no signs showing other limits, the speed limit for driving in a business or residence district is:
- 25 mph
 - 30 mph
 - 35 mph
29. On a 1-way street you can generally make a left turn from:
- Any lane as long as it is safe
 - The left lane only
 - The left and right lanes
30. It is most important to turn the front wheels toward the curb:
- When parking facing downhill
 - When parking facing uphill
 - At all times
31. You may not "double park":
- Except when making a delivery
 - Except while waiting in the car
 - At any time
32. When you hear the siren or see the red emergency light of a closely approaching ambulance, police car or fire truck, and you are not in an intersection, you should:
- Drive to the right edge of the road and stop
 - Drive slowly in the right lane until it has passed
 - Speed up to clear the traffic
33. A person who hurts or kills someone because of driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs, upon first conviction will lose his/her driving privilege:
- For 6 months
 - For 1 year
 - For 1 year, except for working
34. You must look for bicycle riders in the same lanes used by motor vehicles because they:
- Must ride facing oncoming traffic
 - Always have the right of way
 - Are entitled to share the road with you
35. Carpool lanes are marked with a diamond symbol \diamond . To use these lanes during the special hours shown on the signs you must:
- Be driving a van or bus
 - Drive at the speed limit or have your lights on
 - Have the minimum number of passengers indicated on the signs
36. Seat belts properly worn will:
- Reduce the risk of injury
 - Prevent accidents
 - Keep you from moving your body

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