

Kentucky KSP / KYTC permit practice test 2

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25 questions. Circle one answer for each. Answer key on the last page. Name: _____ Score: _____ / 25

1. For a Kentucky driver age 21 or older, when does the license expire?

- A. On the birthday
- B. At the end of the year
- C. 31 days after the driver's birthday
- D. 90 days after the birthday

2. For a Kentucky driver under 21, when does the license expire?

- A. After 4 years
- B. On the 18th birthday
- C. 90 days after the 21st birthday
- D. On the 21st birthday

3. How long can a Kentucky license be expired before you must start over as a new driver?

- A. 1 year
- B. 10 years
- C. More than 5 years
- D. 2 years

4. How many points within two years can lead to a suspension hearing for a Kentucky driver 18 or older?

- A. 15
- B. 6
- C. 8
- D. 12

5. For drivers under 18, how many points within two years trigger a Kentucky point-system hearing?

- A. 12
- B. 3
- C. 7
- D. 5

6. How long do points stay active on a Kentucky driving record?

- A. 1 year
- B. 5 years
- C. Permanently
- D. 2 years from the conviction date

7. If a driver with 12 points fails to appear for the hearing the first time, how long is the suspension?

- A. 6 months
- B. 1 year
- C. 30 days
- D. 3 months

8. How often can a Kentucky driver attend State Traffic School?

- A. Once every 12 months
- B. Any time
- C. Once every 6 months
- D. Once every 5 years

9. How many reckless driving convictions within 12 months can lead to suspension in Kentucky?

- A. One
- B. Five
- C. Three
- D. Two

10. Within how many days must a judgment for damages from a motor vehicle crash be satisfied to avoid suspension?

- A. 60 days
- B. 30 days
- C. 1 year
- D. 90 days

11. Which of these can cause a Kentucky license to be suspended?

- A. Buying a new car
- B. Moving within the county
- C. Failing to pay child support
- D. Changing jobs

12. What are Kentucky's minimum liability insurance limits?

- A. \$10,000/\$20,000/\$5,000
- B. \$15,000/\$30,000/\$10,000
- C. \$25,000/\$50,000/\$25,000 (or a \$60,000 single limit)
- D. \$50,000/\$100,000/\$50,000

13. What is the penalty for failing to maintain insurance on a registered vehicle in Kentucky?

- A. A warning
- B. Points only
- C. A \$50 fine
- D. Registration revoked and a \$500-\$1,000 fine, up to 90 days in jail, or both

14. Within how many days must you register a vehicle you buy or bring into Kentucky?

- A. 10 days
- B. 30 days
- C. 60 days
- D. 15 days

15. Is there a grace period for renewing vehicle registration in Kentucky?

- A. Yes, 30 days
- B. No
- C. Yes, 10 days
- D. Only for seniors

16. How must Kentucky drivers keep proof of insurance?

- A. With the county clerk
- B. At home
- C. Only with the insurer
- D. In the vehicle, on a paper card or a portable electronic device

17. How long must a person be free of seizures or blackouts to obtain or keep a Kentucky license?

- A. 1 year
- B. 30 days
- C. 6 months
- D. 90 days

18. What minimum visual acuity is required at the Kentucky vision screening to move on to the written test?

- A. 20/80
- B. 20/60
- C. 20/40
- D. 20/20

19. After being referred to a vision specialist, what visual acuity makes a Kentucky applicant eligible to test?

- A. 20/100 or better
- B. 20/60 or better
- C. 20/40 or better
- D. 20/200 or better

20. Who administers Kentucky's written, vision and road tests?

- A. The Kentucky State Police
- B. The Department of Education
- C. Private driving schools
- D. The county clerk

21. Who is not eligible for a Kentucky driver's license?

- A. Anyone under 15
- B. Anyone over 70
- C. College students
- D. Military members

22. What is the minimum age to operate a moped in Kentucky?

- A. 18
- B. 16
- C. 15
- D. 14

23. What maximum speed can a moped be capable of under Kentucky's definition?

- A. 45 mph
- B. 20 mph
- C. 30 mph
- D. 25 mph

24. Do you need a motorcycle license to drive an autocycle in Kentucky?

- A. Yes, always
- B. No, a valid operator's license is enough
- C. Only for passengers
- D. Only on highways

25. A college student from another state attends a Kentucky university. May they drive on their home-state license?

- A. Only for 30 days
- B. Only with a Kentucky permit
- C. Yes, if they are a U.S. citizen, enrolled, and carry their Kentucky student ID
- D. No, never

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1. C: 31 days after the driver's birthday

Once you are 21 or older, your license runs until 31 days after your birthday, and you can renew up to six months before that. (Renewals and Duplicate Licenses, page 24)

2. C: 90 days after the 21st birthday

If the driver is under 21, the license expires 90 days after the driver's 21st birthday. (Renewals and Duplicate Licenses, page 24)

3. C: More than 5 years

No testing is required if expired less than 5 years; a credential expired more than 5 years means starting over as a new driver. (Renewals and Duplicate Licenses, page 24)

4. D: 12

On reaching 12 points (7 points if under 18) within two years, the driver's privilege may be suspended after a hearing. (The Kentucky Point System, page 25)

5. C: 7

The Transportation Cabinet holds a hearing at 12 or more points for drivers 18+, or 7 points for drivers under 18. (The Kentucky Point System, page 25)

6. D: 2 years from the conviction date

Points expire two years from the date of conviction, though the conviction stays on the record for five years. (The Kentucky Point System, page 25)

7. A: 6 months

Failure to appear means a 6-month suspension for the first 12-point accumulation, 1 year for the second, and 2 years after that. (The Kentucky Point System, page 25)

8. A: Once every 12 months

A driver can only complete State Traffic School once every twelve months, and only for minor violations by court referral. (Kentucky State Traffic School Program, page 26)

9. C: Three

Reckless driving—three convictions within twelve months—is a reason for suspension or revocation. (Suspension or Revocation of License, page 24)

10. A: 60 days

Failing to satisfy a judgment for damages from operating a motor vehicle within 60 days results in suspension until it's satisfied. (Unsatisfied Judgement, page 25)

11. C: Failing to pay child support

Reasons include perjury, driving without a license, failure to maintain insurance, failing to pay child support, DUI, refusing a test and more. (Suspension or Revocation of License, page 24)

12. C: \$25,000/\$50,000/\$25,000 (or a \$60,000 single limit)

Minimum coverage is \$25,000 per person and \$50,000 per accident for bodily injury and \$25,000 property damage, or a \$60,000 single limit. (Insurance Law, page 27)

13. D: Registration revoked and a \$500-\$1,000 fine, up to 90 days in jail, or both

Failure to maintain insurance is a criminal offense: registration is revoked and the owner and driver face \$500 to \$1,000 fines, up to 90 days in jail, or both. (Insurance Law, page 27)

14. D: 15 days

A person who buys a vehicle or brings one into Kentucky must apply for registration within fifteen days. (Motor Vehicle Registration, page 27)

15. B: No

There is no grace period for renewing your vehicle registration; renew on or before the expiration date. (Motor Vehicle Registration, page 27)

16. D: In the vehicle, on a paper card or a portable electronic device

Owners and operators must keep written proof of minimum coverage in the vehicle—a paper card or one shown on an electronic device. (Insurance Law, page 27)

17. D: 90 days

A license applicant or licensee must be free of seizures, blackouts or altered awareness for 90 days. (Seizures, Blackout, Loss of Conscience or Altered Awareness, and Driving, page 28)

18. C: 20/40

You need 20/40 vision, with or without glasses or contacts, at the screening before you can take the written test. (Testing Requirements / Preparation: Vision Screening, page 18)

19. B: 20/60 or better

After the referral, applicants whose visual acuity is 20/60 or better are eligible to test. (Testing Requirements / Preparation: Vision Screening, page 18)

20. A: The Kentucky State Police

After the Transportation Cabinet prepares the application, the Kentucky State Police administer all required tests. (Licensing Requirements, page 12)

21. A: Anyone under 15

Not eligible: anyone under 15, those suspended or revoked, people judged mentally incompetent, unsafe due to impairment, or unable to understand English road warnings. (Operator's License – Class D, page 10)

22. B: 16

You must be at least 16 and hold a permit or license (or get a Class E license) to operate a moped. (Moped License – Class E, page 10)

23. C: 30 mph

A moped is rated no more than 2 brake horsepower, 50 cc or less, and capable of no more than 30 miles per hour. (Moped License – Class E, page 10)

24. B: No, a valid operator's license is enough

An autocycle is treated as a motorcycle for traffic rules, but the operator needs only a valid operator's license and is exempt from headgear rules. (Autocycles, page 78)

25. C: Yes, if they are a U.S. citizen, enrolled, and carry their Kentucky student ID

A U.S. citizen enrolled at a Kentucky college may drive on a valid out-of-state license while carrying the student ID card. (College Students, page 22)