

Kentucky KSP / KYTC permit practice test 3

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

1. At what alcohol concentration is an adult driver in violation of Kentucky's DUI law?

- A. 0.08 or above
- B. 0.05
- C. 0.15
- D. 0.10

2. At what alcohol concentration is a driver under 21 in violation of Kentucky law?

- A. 0.05 or more
- B. Any amount above 0.00
- C. 0.08 or more
- D. 0.02 or more

3. Can you be convicted of DUI in Kentucky with a BAC under 0.08?

- A. Only if under 18
- B. Only on interstates
- C. No
- D. Yes, if there is evidence of impaired driving

4. At what BAC is a driver's vision already impacted, according to the Kentucky manual?

- A. 0.10
- B. 0.08
- C. 0.05
- D. 0.02

5. Alcohol and other impairing drugs are involved in about what share of fatal crashes?

- A. 10%
- B. 25%
- C. 40%
- D. 75%

6. What is the jail range for a first DUI conviction within 10 years in Kentucky?

- A. 6 months to 1 year
- B. None
- C. 48 hours to 30 days
- D. 30 to 90 days

7. How long is the license suspension for a first DUI conviction within 10 years (adult)?

- A. 4 to 6 months
- B. 1 to 2 months
- C. 2 years
- D. 30 days

- 8. Which is an aggravating circumstance that requires mandatory jail time for DUI in Kentucky?**
- A. Driving a rental car
 - B. An alcohol concentration of .15 or higher
 - C. Having a passenger over 21
 - D. Driving at night
- 9. Transporting a passenger under what age while DUI is an aggravating circumstance in Kentucky?**
- A. 18
 - B. 12
 - C. 16
 - D. 8
- 10. How much over the speed limit while DUI is an aggravating circumstance?**
- A. 20 mph
 - B. 50 mph
 - C. More than 30 mph
 - D. 10 mph
- 11. Under Kentucky's implied consent law, what have you agreed to by driving?**
- A. To give your phone to police
 - B. To a lawfully requested test of your blood, breath, urine or a combination
 - C. To carry insurance
 - D. To be searched at any time
- 12. How long does Kentucky give you to try to contact an attorney before a DUI test?**
- A. No time
 - B. 24 hours
 - C. At least 10 but not more than 15 minutes
 - D. 1 hour
- 13. At what breath-alcohol level will an ignition interlock device prevent the vehicle from operating?**
- A. Above .05
 - B. Above .00
 - C. Above .02
 - D. Above .08
- 14. What must drivers convicted of DUI do with their license plates during suspension (unless they have an interlock or hardship license)?**
- A. Mail them to the state police
 - B. Keep them
 - C. Paint them
 - D. Forfeit them to the court

15. What must every person convicted of DUI in Kentucky complete before reinstatement?

- A. A new vision test
- B. An assessment and an approved alcohol education or treatment program
- C. A road test
- D. Community service only

16. When does impairment start, according to the Kentucky manual?

- A. After three drinks
- B. With the first drink
- C. Only when you feel drunk
- D. At 0.08

17. Which can make you nervous, dizzy and unable to concentrate?

- A. Decaf coffee
- B. Vitamins
- C. Water
- D. Pep pills, uppers and diet pills

18. What penalty does a first drug-related driving conviction within 10 years carry in Kentucky?

- A. \$200-\$500 fine, 48 hours to 30 days jail, and a 30-120 day suspension
- B. Points only
- C. A warning
- D. Lifetime revocation

19. How much sleep do most people need to stay alert, according to the Kentucky manual?

- A. 4 to 5 hours
- B. 5 to 6 hours
- C. 7 to 9 hours
- D. 10 hours or more

20. On long trips, how often should you plan to stop?

- A. Every 50 miles or 1 hour
- B. Only for fuel
- C. Every 200 miles
- D. About every 100 miles or 2 hours

21. What are NHTSA's three categories of driver distraction?

- A. Fast, slow and stopped
- B. Inside, outside and behind
- C. Visual, manual and cognitive
- D. Day, night and dusk

22. Sending or reading a text takes your eyes off the road for about how long on average?

- A. 1 second
- B. 10 seconds
- C. 4.6 seconds
- D. 2 seconds

23. Why is texting especially dangerous?

- A. It combines visual, manual and cognitive distraction
- B. It is only visual
- C. It is legal
- D. It is quiet

24. What is the difference between aggressive driving and road rage?

- A. Road rage only happens on highways
- B. Road rage is uncontrolled anger resulting in violence or threats and is criminal; aggressive driving is endangering actions like tailgating and speeding
- C. They are the same
- D. Aggressive driving is legal

25. If you become involved in a road-rage incident, what should you do?

- A. Follow the driver
- B. Don't retaliate; pull off in a well-lit public area and call police
- C. Argue with the driver
- D. Brake suddenly in front of them

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1. A: 0.08 or above

Kentucky's per se DUI limit for adult drivers is 0.08; driving while impaired by alcohol or drugs is also illegal. (Alcohol and the Law, page 34)

2. D: 0.02 or more

If you are under 21, you violate the law with an alcohol concentration of 0.02 or more (zero tolerance). (Alcohol and the Law, page 34)

3. D: Yes, if there is evidence of impaired driving

Being under 0.08 is not a safe harbor: if your driving shows you are impaired by alcohol or another substance, you can still be charged with DUI. (Alcohol and the Law, page 34)

4. D: 0.02

Vision is impacted at 0.02 blood alcohol content for all drivers. (Effects of Alcohol and Other Impairing Drugs, page 33)

5. C: 40%

Alcohol and other impairing drugs are involved in approximately 40% of traffic crashes in which someone is killed. (Alcohol, Other Drugs, and Driving, page 33)

6. C: 48 hours to 30 days

A first conviction brings a \$200-\$500 fine plus costs, 48 hours to 30 days in jail, and a 4 to 6 month suspension. (Alcohol and the Law, page 35)

7. A: 4 to 6 months

For a first conviction within ten years, your license is suspended for four to six months (possibly longer under 18). (Alcohol and the Law, page 35)

8. B: An alcohol concentration of .15 or higher

Aggravating circumstances include .15 BAC or more, 30+ mph over the limit, wrong-way on a limited-access highway, causing death or serious injury, refusal, and a passenger under 12. (Aggravating Circumstances, page 35)

9. B: 12

Operating a motor vehicle while transporting a passenger under 12 years of age is an aggravating circumstance. (Aggravating Circumstances, page 35)

10. C: More than 30 mph

Driving in excess of 30 mph above the posted limit is an aggravating circumstance requiring mandatory jail. (Aggravating Circumstances, page 35)

11. B: To a lawfully requested test of your blood, breath, urine or a combination

Under implied consent, choosing to drive in Kentucky means you have agreed to a lawful blood, breath or urine test (or a combination). (Alcohol and the Law, page 34)

12. C: At least 10 but not more than 15 minutes

Before any test you get at least ten but no more than fifteen minutes to attempt to contact an attorney. (Alcohol and the Law, page 35)

13. C: Above .02

The ignition interlock prevents operation if the driver's breath-alcohol concentration exceeds .02. (Repeat Offenders, page 35)

14. D: Forfeit them to the court

Drivers convicted of DUI forfeit their license plates to the courts during the suspension, unless issued an ignition interlock or hardship license. (Repeat Offenders, page 35)

15. B: An assessment and an approved alcohol education or treatment program

Every DUI offender must be assessed and complete a CHR-approved alcohol education or treatment program before reinstatement. (Driver Substance Abuse Education Program, page 26)

16. B: With the first drink

The best advice is not to drive after alcohol or drugs; impairment starts with the first drink. (Effects of Alcohol and Other Impairing Drugs, page 33)

17. D: Pep pills, uppers and diet pills

Pep pills, uppers and diet pills can make you nervous, dizzy and unable to concentrate, and affect vision. (Over-the-Counter Drugs, page 33)

18. A: \$200-\$500 fine, 48 hours to 30 days jail, and a 30-120 day suspension

For a first drug violation conviction while driving: \$200-\$500 fine plus costs, 48 hours to 30 days in jail, and a 30 to 120 day license suspension. (Illegal Drugs, page 34)

19. C: 7 to 9 hours

Most people need 7 to 9 hours of sleep to maintain proper alertness during the day. (Fatigue: Before a Trip, Do the Following, page 30)

20. D: About every 100 miles or 2 hours

On long trips the manual suggests a break roughly every 2 hours or 100 miles. (Fatigue: Before a Trip, Do the Following, page 30)

21. C: Visual, manual and cognitive

Distractions are visual (eyes off road), manual (hands off wheel) and cognitive (mind off driving). (Driver Distractions, page 31)

22. C: 4.6 seconds

Texting takes a driver's eyes off the road for an average of 4.6 seconds—at 55 mph, the length of a football field. (Driver Distractions, page 31)

23. A: It combines visual, manual and cognitive distraction

Texting needs your eyes, your hands and your mind at once, so it hits all three types of distraction. (Driver Distractions, page 31)

24. B: Road rage is uncontrolled anger resulting in violence or threats and is criminal; aggressive driving is endangering actions like tailgating and speeding

Aggressive driving includes tailgating, abrupt lane changes and speeding; road rage is uncontrolled anger with violence or threats and is criminal. (Emotions, Aggressive Driving and Road Rage, page 32)

25. B: Don't retaliate; pull off in a well-lit public area and call police

Do not retaliate or argue; for your safety pull off the road in a well-lit, public area and call for police assistance. (Emotions, Aggressive Driving and Road Rage, page 32)