

New York DMV permit practice test 15

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33 questions. Circle one answer for each. Answer key on the last pages. Name: _____

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1. A junior license holder upstate may drive unaccompanied during which hours?

- A. Any time
- B. 5 AM to 9 PM
- C. 9 PM to 5 AM
- D. Only on weekends

2. A junior permit or license holder is convicted of one serious traffic violation (three points or more). What happens?

- A. A warning letter
- B. A 60-day suspension
- C. A one-year revocation
- D. Nothing

3. How long is the probation period for a newly licensed driver who is 18 or older?

- A. Three months
- B. Six months
- C. One year
- D. Two years

4. A probationary driver is convicted of speeding. What happens?

- A. A warning
- B. A 60-day suspension, followed by a new six-month probation
- C. A one-year revocation
- D. Only a fine

5. Within how many days must you notify DMV after changing your address?

- A. 5 days
- B. 10 days
- C. 30 days
- D. 60 days

6. A new resident must get a New York driver license within how many days of becoming a permanent resident?

- A. 10 days
- B. 30 days
- C. 60 days
- D. 90 days

7. A 15-year-old visiting from another state holds a valid license there. May they drive in New York?

- A. Yes, with a parent
- B. No, people under 16 cannot drive in New York even if licensed elsewhere
- C. Yes, during daytime
- D. Yes, if the license is valid

8. What is the minimum age for a Class D (Operator) license in New York?

- A. 16
- B. 17 without conditions
- C. 18, or 17 with a driver education Certificate of Completion
- D. 21

9. How many points within 24 months will result in a notice that your license will be suspended?

- A. 6 points
- B. 8 points
- C. 11 points
- D. 15 points

10. Points on your New York driving record are counted from:

- A. The date you are convicted
- B. The date you commit the violation
- C. The date you pay the fine
- D. January 1 of each year

11. How many points does New York assess for speeding 11 to 20 mph over the posted limit?

- A. 3
- B. 4
- C. 6
- D. 8

12. How many points are assessed for speeding more than 40 mph over the limit?

- A. 6
- B. 8
- C. 10
- D. 11

13. How many points does speeding in a construction (work) zone carry?

- A. 3
- B. 5
- C. 8
- D. 11

14. How many points does a reckless driving conviction carry in New York?

- A. 2
- B. 3
- C. 5
- D. 8

15. By how many points can completing a DMV-approved Point and Insurance Reduction Program (PIRP) course reduce your point total?

- A. Up to 2
- B. Up to 4
- C. Up to 6
- D. All points

16. How often can you take a PIRP (crash prevention) course for point reduction?

- A. Every 6 months
- B. Every 12 months
- C. Every 18 months
- D. Once in a lifetime

17. What Driver Responsibility Assessment applies if you get six points within 18 months?

- A. \$50 once
- B. \$100 each year for three years, plus \$25 per additional point per year
- C. \$250 per year for three years
- D. \$500 once

18. A driver convicted of DWI must pay a Driver Responsibility Assessment of:

- A. \$100 per year for three years
- B. \$250 per year for three years
- C. \$500 once
- D. \$750 once

19. What is New York's minimum liability insurance coverage for injury to one person?

- A. \$10,000
- B. \$25,000
- C. \$50,000
- D. \$100,000

20. What is New York's minimum property damage liability coverage?

- A. \$5,000
- B. \$10,000
- C. \$25,000
- D. \$50,000

21. What happens if you drive or let someone drive your uninsured vehicle in New York?

- A. A small fine only
- B. Your license is revoked for at least one year
- C. A warning
- D. A 30-day suspension

22. Your vehicle insurance is ending and you will not renew it. What must you do?

- A. Nothing until registration expires
- B. Turn in the plates at a DMV office before coverage ends
- C. Keep the plates and park the car
- D. Notify your insurance agent only

23. A crash causes \$1,200 in damage to another person's car and no injuries. Must you report it to DMV?

- A. No, only injury crashes are reported
- B. Yes, within 10 days, because damage to one person's property is \$1,000 or more
- C. Only if police were called
- D. Only your insurer needs to know

24. Failing to report a reportable crash to DMV is:

- A. Not an offense if your insurer was told
- B. A misdemeanor that can lead to license and registration suspension or revocation
- C. A parking violation
- D. A civil matter only

25. Leaving the scene of a crash involving personal injury or death is:

- A. A traffic infraction
- B. A criminal violation
- C. Not illegal if you call later
- D. Legal if damage is minor

26. You hit a parked car and cannot find the owner. What must you do?

- A. Leave since no one saw it
- B. Try to find the owner or notify the police
- C. Leave a note only if damage is large
- D. Wait an hour, then leave

27. At a crash scene, when should you move an injured person?

- A. Always, to make them comfortable
- B. Only if necessary because of fire or another life-threatening danger
- C. Whenever traffic is heavy
- D. Never under any circumstances

28. Electrical wires are down on a crashed vehicle. What should you tell the occupants?

- A. Get out quickly
- B. Stay inside until help arrives
- C. Touch the wire to test it
- D. Push the car away

29. During the New York road test, which ADAS feature is NOT permitted?

- A. Blind spot monitor
- B. Back-up camera
- C. Automatic parallel parking
- D. Lane departure warning

30. May you use adaptive cruise control during your road test?

- A. Yes
- B. No
- C. Only on expressways
- D. Only if the examiner asks

31. Your vehicle has lane keeping assist and blind spot warning. What does the manual say about relying on them?

- A. They let you skip head checks
- B. They assist but don't replace your attention; you must still do head checks and use mirrors
- C. They drive the car for you on highways
- D. They work perfectly in snow and fog

32. When ice and snow are on the road and your car has good traction, how fast should you drive?

- A. Faster than other traffic since your car handles well
- B. Slowly, and not faster than the flow of other traffic
- C. At the posted speed limit
- D. 10 mph over to avoid being rear-ended

33. On a long expressway trip on a bright day, the manual suggests:

- A. Driving in the left lane
- B. Planning frequent rest stops and using sunglasses to reduce glare
- C. Using cruise control the whole way
- D. Keeping high beams on

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1. B: 5 AM to 9 PM

Upstate, from 5 AM to 9 PM, a junior licensee may drive without being accompanied. Night driving is limited to direct trips between home and work or school unless accompanied by a parent or guardian. (Regional Restrictions for a Junior License, page 16)

2. B: A 60-day suspension

Junior permits and licenses are suspended for 60 days for a serious violation (three points or more) or two other violations. (Special Rules for Drivers with Junior Permits and Licenses, page 19)

3. B: Six months

If you are 18 or older when you pass your road test, or get a license after revocation, you are on probation for six months. (Probation Period for All Other Newly Licensed Drivers, page 19)

4. B: A 60-day suspension, followed by a new six-month probation

Speeding, reckless driving, tailgating, a speed contest, DWAI, or any two violations during probation means a 60-day suspension and then a new six-month probation. (Probation Period for All Other Newly Licensed Drivers, page 19)

5. B: 10 days

You must notify DMV within 10 days of an address change, by mail on form MV-232 or online. (Change of Address, page 17)

6. B: 30 days

Drivers who move here must turn in their out-of-state license and get a New York license within 30 days of becoming a resident. (Chapter 1 – Driver Licenses, page 6)

7. B: No, people under 16 cannot drive in New York even if licensed elsewhere

Even if licensed elsewhere, people under age 16 cannot drive in New York State. (Drivers from Outside New York State, page 18)

8. C: 18, or 17 with a driver education Certificate of Completion

Class D minimum age is 18, or 17 with a driver education Certificate of Completion. (Types of Licenses, page 6)

9. C: 11 points

If you get 11 or more points within 24 months, DMV will notify you that your license will be suspended. (The Point System, page 22)

10. B: The date you commit the violation

Point values are counted from the date you commit the violation, not the date of conviction. (The Point System, page 22)

11. B: 4

Speeding 1-10 mph over is 3 points, 11-20 is 4, 21-30 is 6, 31-40 is 8, and over 40 is 11. (The Point System: Violation Points, page 22)

12. D: 11

Speeding over 40 mph above the posted limit carries 11 points, enough on its own to trigger a suspension notice. (The Point System: Violation Points, page 22)

13. C: 8

Speeding in a construction zone carries 8 points. (The Point System: Violation Points, page 22)

14. C: 5

Reckless driving carries 5 points. (The Point System: Violation Points, page 22)

15. B: Up to 4

A PIRP course can reduce your point total by up to four points and save up to 10% on liability and collision premiums. It cannot prevent a mandatory suspension or revocation. (The Point System, page 22)

16. C: Every 18 months

You can complete the course every 18 months for point reduction. (After the Road Test, page 15)

17. B: \$100 each year for three years, plus \$25 per additional point per year

Six points in 18 months means \$100 a year for three years, plus \$25 per additional point each year for three years. (Driver Responsibility Assessments, page 23)

18. B: \$250 per year for three years

Agg-DWI, DWI, DWAI, DWAI-drugs, combined DWAI, or chemical test refusal brings an assessment of \$250 per year for three years. (Driver Responsibility Assessments, page 23)

19. B: \$25,000

Minimum liability coverage is \$25,000 for injury to one person, \$50,000 for injury to two or more, \$50,000/\$100,000 for death, and \$10,000 for property damage. (Insurance, page 27)

20. B: \$10,000

Minimum liability coverage includes \$10,000 against property damage. (Insurance, page 27)

21. B: Your license is revoked for at least one year

Operating or allowing someone to operate your uninsured vehicle results in revocation for at least one year. (No Insurance, page 21)

22. B: Turn in the plates at a DMV office before coverage ends

Before liability insurance expires, return the plates to a DMV office and get a receipt (FS-6T); otherwise you face civil penalties and possible suspension. (Insurance, page 27)

23. B: Yes, within 10 days, because damage to one person's property is \$1,000 or more

You must report to DMV within 10 days any crash involving injury, death, or \$1,000 or more in damage to one person's property, using form MV-104. (Reports to DMV, page 77)

24. B: A misdemeanor that can lead to license and registration suspension or revocation

Failing to report a crash is a criminal offense (misdemeanor) and can mean suspension or revocation of your license and registrations. (Reports to DMV, page 77)

25. B: A criminal violation

Leaving the scene of a property-damage crash is a traffic violation; leaving the scene of a crash with injury or death is a criminal violation. (At the Scene, page 77)

26. B: Try to find the owner or notify the police

If a parked vehicle or other property is damaged, or a domestic animal is injured, you must try to find the owner or notify the police. (At the Scene, page 77)

27. B: Only if necessary because of fire or another life-threatening danger

Do not move an injured person unless it is necessary because of fire or another life-threatening danger; keep the back and neck straight. (Emergency First-Aid, page 77)

28. B: Stay inside until help arrives

Do not go near downed wires. If wires touch or lie near the vehicle, warn the occupants to remain inside until help arrives. (Emergency First-Aid, page 77)

29. C: Automatic parallel parking

Warning systems such as blind spot monitors and cameras are permitted, but adaptive cruise control and automatic parallel parking are not permitted for testing. (Vehicle Technologies Permitted and Not Permitted for Testing, page 79)

30. B: No

Adaptive cruise control is listed as not permitted for testing. (Vehicle Technologies Permitted and Not Permitted for Testing, page 79)

31. B: They assist but don't replace your attention; you must still do head checks and use mirrors

Safety features assist you but are not there to drive the vehicle. You remain responsible and must perform head checks; features may not work well in rain, snow, fog, hills and curves. (Advanced Driver Assistance Systems (ADAS) Safety Features, page 78)

32. B: Slowly, and not faster than the flow of other traffic

Drive slowly; even with good traction, don't break the flow of traffic by driving faster than other vehicles. (How to Drive in Winter, page 64)

33. B: Planning frequent rest stops and using sunglasses to reduce glare

On long trips plan frequent rest stops; on bright days sunglasses can reduce glare and eye fatigue. (Expressway Driving, page 62)