

New York DMV permit practice test 6

From the New York State Driver's Manual (MV-21). Free at permitpracticetestdmv.com/new-york/

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

1. You may not park within how many feet of a railroad crossing?

- A. 15 feet
- B. 30 feet
- C. 50 feet
- D. 100 feet

2. On the same side of the road as a fire station driveway, parking or standing is prohibited within:

- A. 10 feet
- B. 20 feet
- C. 50 feet
- D. 75 feet

3. On the side of the road opposite a fire station driveway, parking or standing is prohibited within:

- A. 20 feet
- B. 30 feet
- C. 50 feet
- D. 75 feet

4. How close may you park, stop or stand to a pedestrian safety area, unless another distance is marked?

- A. 10 feet
- B. 15 feet
- C. 20 feet
- D. 30 feet

5. Which of these is a place where you may never park, stop or stand?

- A. In front of a closed business
- B. On a bridge or in a tunnel
- C. Next to a mailbox
- D. On a residential street at night

6. 'Double parking' means parking:

- A. In two spaces at once
- B. On the road side of a parked vehicle
- C. For twice the posted time
- D. In a lot with two levels

7. May you park on a crosswalk in the middle of a block?

- A. Yes, if it is not at an intersection
- B. No, you cannot park, stop or stand in a crosswalk
- C. Only at night
- D. Only for loading

8. Parking along a curb that has been cut or lowered for access to the sidewalk is:

- A. Allowed for 15 minutes
- B. Not allowed
- C. Allowed at night
- D. Allowed with hazards on

9. Your friend has a disability parking permit but is not with you. May you park in a reserved disability space using the permit?

- A. Yes, if the permit is displayed
- B. No, the person who received the permit must be in the vehicle
- C. Yes, for under 15 minutes
- D. Only in shopping centers

10. The diagonally striped spaces next to a reserved disability parking space are:

- A. Overflow parking for compact cars
- B. Access aisles for wheelchairs and vehicles with special equipment; do not park there
- C. Motorcycle parking
- D. Loading zones

11. Unless a municipality sets higher penalties, what is the fine for a first disability-space parking violation at a shopping center?

- A. \$25 to \$50
- B. \$50 to \$75
- C. \$75 to \$150
- D. \$250 to \$1,000

12. How should you sit and hold the wheel while driving?

- A. Leaning back with one hand on the wheel
- B. In a comfortable but upright position with both hands on the wheel
- C. Slouched for comfort
- D. With your knee steering on straight roads

13. How often should you check behind you in your mirrors?

- A. Only when changing lanes
- B. Every few seconds
- C. Once a minute
- D. Only when braking

14. A car is approaching a STOP sign on a side road. As a defensive driver, you should assume:

- A. It will stop
- B. It may not stop
- C. It has the right-of-way
- D. It will speed up

15. Should you always look straight ahead at the vehicle in front of you when driving?

- A. Yes, to keep your focus
- B. No, scan the road ahead and the sides; don't make the road or vehicle ahead your only focus
- C. Yes, except at night
- D. Only on expressways

16. Which is described in the manual as being just as dangerous as taking your eyes off the road?

- A. Listening to the radio quietly
- B. Mental activities that take your mind away from driving
- C. Wearing sunglasses
- D. Using cruise control

17. How should pets travel in your vehicle?

- A. On the driver's lap
- B. Loose on the back seat
- C. Secured in a pet carrier or portable kennel
- D. In the front passenger seat

18. An aggressive driver confronts you. What should you do?

- A. Make eye contact to show you are not afraid
- B. Avoid eye contact, stay calm and try to move away safely
- C. Speed up to stay ahead
- D. Hold your lane position to block them

19. An aggressive driver is following you. You should:

- A. Stop and talk it out
- B. Pull over and get out
- C. Not stop or get out; drive to the nearest police station
- D. Brake suddenly to warn them

20. What information should you give when reporting an aggressive driver to police?

- A. Only the color of the car
- B. Vehicle description, location, plate number and direction of travel
- C. Your opinion of the driver
- D. Nothing; reporting is not allowed

21. Which of these helps you avoid becoming an aggressive driver?

- A. Leaving at the last minute
- B. Allowing enough travel time and calling ahead if you are late
- C. Driving when angry to calm down
- D. Tailgating slow drivers

22. How does the manual distinguish aggressive driving from road rage?

- A. They are exactly the same
- B. Aggressive driving generally violates a traffic law; road rage involves breaking a criminal law
- C. Road rage is only honking
- D. Aggressive driving is legal

23. Which of the following is an example of road rage?

- A. Signaling early
- B. Getting out of your vehicle to threaten or fight another motorist
- C. Driving below the speed limit in rain
- D. Using hazard lights

24. By state law, which courses must address the hazards of road rage?

- A. High school English classes
- B. Every DMV-approved crash prevention course
- C. Only CDL training
- D. Motorcycle safety courses only

25. If you have the right-of-way, you should:

- A. Always take it, no matter what
- B. Be prepared to yield it to avoid a crash
- C. Honk to claim it
- D. Speed up to use it

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1. C: 50 feet

You cannot park your vehicle within 50 feet of a railroad crossing. (Parking Regulations, page 43)

2. B: 20 feet

Parking or standing is not allowed within 20 feet of a fire station driveway, or within 75 feet on the opposite side of the road. (Parking Regulations, page 43)

3. D: 75 feet

Across the road from a fire station driveway, parking or standing is not allowed within 75 feet. (Parking Regulations, page 43)

4. D: 30 feet

You cannot park, stop or stand within 30 feet of a pedestrian safety area unless another distance is marked. (Parking Regulations, page 43)

5. B: On a bridge or in a tunnel

Statewide rules prohibit parking, stopping or standing on a bridge or in a tunnel, among other places. (Parking Regulations, page 43)

6. B: On the road side of a parked vehicle

Parking on the road side of a parked vehicle is double parking, and you cannot park, stop or stand there. (Parking Regulations, page 43)

7. B: No, you cannot park, stop or stand in a crosswalk

You cannot park, stop or stand on a sidewalk or in a crosswalk. (Parking Regulations, page 43)

8. B: Not allowed

Parking or standing is not allowed along a curb that is cut, lowered or made for access to the sidewalk. (Parking Regulations, page 43)

9. B: No, the person who received the permit must be in the vehicle

You can park in reserved spaces only with a disability permit or plates, and only when the person who received them is in the vehicle. (Reserved Parking for People with Disabilities, page 44)

10. B: Access aisles for wheelchairs and vehicles with special equipment; do not park there

Do not park in the diagonal stripes next to reserved spaces; they give access to wheelchair users and vehicles with special equipment. (Reserved Parking for People with Disabilities, page 44)

11. B: \$50 to \$75

The shopping center fine is \$50 to \$75 for a first offense and \$75 to \$150 for a second within two years, plus a \$30 mandatory surcharge. (Reserved Parking for People with Disabilities, page 44)

12. B: In a comfortable but upright position with both hands on the wheel

Sit in a comfortable but vertical position and keep both hands on the steering wheel; slouching or one-handed driving makes control harder. (Be Prepared and Look Ahead, page 45)

13. B: Every few seconds

Keep your eyes moving, watch the sides of the road and check behind through your mirrors every few seconds. (Be Prepared and Look Ahead, page 45)

14. B: It may not stop

Do not assume a driver approaching a STOP or YIELD sign will stop or yield; it is better to assume they will not. (Be Prepared and Look Ahead, page 45)

15. B: No, scan the road ahead and the sides; don't make the road or vehicle ahead your only focus

Always scan the road ahead and do not use the road or the vehicle ahead as your only points of focus. (Be Prepared and Look Ahead, page 45)

16. B: Mental activities that take your mind away from driving

Mental activities that take your mind away from driving are just as dangerous as taking your eyes off the road or hands off the wheel. (Driver Distractions, page 45)

17. C: Secured in a pet carrier or portable kennel

To avoid distraction, properly secure pets in a pet carrier or portable kennel. (Driver Distractions, page 45)

18. B: Avoid eye contact, stay calm and try to move away safely

Do not make eye contact, remain calm, try to move away safely, and do not challenge the driver with speed or by holding your lane. (Aggressive Drivers, page 46)

19. C: Not stop or get out; drive to the nearest police station

If an aggressive driver is following you, do not stop or get out of your vehicle; drive to the nearest police station. (Aggressive Drivers, page 46)

20. B: Vehicle description, location, plate number and direction of travel

Report aggressive drivers with a vehicle description, location, plate number and direction of travel. (Aggressive Drivers, page 46)

21. B: Allowing enough travel time and calling ahead if you are late

Allow enough travel time, adjust your schedule, call ahead if late, and do not drive when angry, upset or very tired. (Aggressive Drivers, page 46)

22. B: Aggressive driving generally violates a traffic law; road rage involves breaking a criminal law

Aggressive driving generally involves violating a traffic safety law, while road rage involves breaking a criminal law. Aggressive driving can become road rage. (Road Rage, page 46)

23. B: Getting out of your vehicle to threaten or fight another motorist

Road rage includes stopping at the side of the road and getting out to threaten, attack or fight another motorist, as well as chasing or ramming vehicles. (Road Rage, page 47)

24. B: Every DMV-approved crash prevention course

State law requires every DMV-approved crash prevention course to address the hazards and dangers of road rage. (Road Rage, page 47)

25. B: Be prepared to yield it to avoid a crash

Do not think of the right-of-way as absolute. Waiting a few seconds is far better than risking a crash. (Aggressive Drivers, page 46)