

North Dakota NDDOT permit practice test 5

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

1. You park downhill next to a curb. Which way do you turn the wheels?

- A. Away from the curb
- B. Straight
- C. Toward the curb
- D. It doesn't matter

2. Parked on a North Dakota public highway at night, what lights must your vehicle display?

- A. At least one white or amber lamp in front and a red light in back, visible 1,000 feet
- B. None
- C. Hazard lights only
- D. High beams

3. How close to a fire hydrant may you park in North Dakota?

- A. No closer than 10 feet
- B. No closer than 20 feet
- C. No closer than 5 feet
- D. No closer than 15 feet

4. How close to a crosswalk at an intersection may you park in North Dakota?

- A. No closer than 10 feet
- B. No closer than 30 feet
- C. No closer than 20 feet
- D. No closer than 15 feet

5. How close to a stop sign, flashing beacon or traffic signal at the side of the road may you park in North Dakota?

- A. No closer than 15 feet
- B. No closer than 20 feet
- C. No closer than 10 feet
- D. No closer than 30 feet

6. May you park on the diagonal lines next to an accessible parking space?

- A. No
- B. Only at night
- C. Yes, briefly
- D. Only with a placard

7. When leaving a parallel parking space, which lane should you enter?

- A. The nearest lane, staying there until it's safe to change
- B. The center turn lane
- C. The far lane
- D. Any lane

8. Above what speed must a towed trailer have safety chains or brakes that can hold it if the coupling breaks?

- A. 15 mph
- B. 25 mph
- C. 35 mph
- D. 45 mph

9. From how far must a trailer's rear lights and reflectors be visible in North Dakota?

- A. 200 feet
- B. 500 feet
- C. 1,000 feet
- D. 1 mile

10. Is it legal to coast downhill in neutral in North Dakota?

- A. Only in an emergency
- B. No
- C. Yes
- D. Only on gravel roads

11. What is the fine for throwing litter on a North Dakota public highway?

- A. \$50
- B. \$100
- C. \$250
- D. \$500

12. In North Dakota, a crash must be reported immediately to police if combined damage reaches what amount, or if there is injury or death?

- A. \$1,000
- B. \$2,500
- C. \$4,000
- D. \$10,000

13. You hit an unattended vehicle in North Dakota and can't find the owner. What must you do?

- A. Leave
- B. Call a friend
- C. Wait one hour
- D. Leave a note in a conspicuous place with your name, address and insurance company

14. What is the fine for a first offense of driving uninsured in North Dakota?

- A. \$50
- B. \$150
- C. \$300
- D. \$500

15. After a 'No Liability Insurance' conviction in North Dakota, for how long must you provide proof of insurance?

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

16. What number do you dial in North Dakota for weather and road conditions?

- A. 911
- B. 411
- C. 511
- D. 311

17. What is the penalty for entering a road officially closed due to hazardous conditions in North Dakota?

- A. \$50
- B. \$100
- C. \$250
- D. \$1,000

18. When may studded snow tires be used in North Dakota?

- A. All year
- B. November 1 to April 1
- C. December 1 to March 1
- D. October 15 to April 15

19. In winter with snow tires or chains, how should you change your following distance, according to the North Dakota manual?

- A. Double it
- B. Add one car length
- C. Keep it the same
- D. Halve it

20. A front tire blows out. Which way will your vehicle pull?

- A. Straight ahead
- B. It will sway back and forth
- C. Toward the side of the blown tire
- D. Away from the blown tire

21. After a blowout, when should you brake?

- A. Not until you have regained full control
- B. Immediately and hard
- C. Never
- D. Only with the parking brake

22. Your tire drops off the pavement edge. What should you NOT do?

- A. Grip the wheel
- B. Check traffic before returning
- C. Ease up on the accelerator
- D. Swerve back onto the pavement right away

23. Your accelerator pedal sticks. What should you do?

- A. Turn the ignition to lock
- B. Pump the gas
- C. Depress the clutch or shift into neutral
- D. Jump out

24. Your headlights suddenly fail at night. What should you try?

- A. Try your parking lights and turn signals and leave the roadway once slowed
- B. Turn on the dome light
- C. Keep driving in the dark
- D. Speed up

25. An oncoming vehicle crosses into your lane. What does the North Dakota manual advise?

- A. Stop in your lane
- B. Slow down, flash your headlights, pull far right, and steer off to the right or stop on the right shoulder if needed
- C. Speed up
- D. Swerve left

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1. C: Toward the curb

Downhill, turn the wheels toward the curb. (Parking on a Hill, page 25)

2. A: At least one white or amber lamp in front and a red light in back, visible 1,000 feet

From a half-hour after sunset to a half-hour before sunrise, a vehicle parked on a public highway must show a white or amber front lamp and a red rear light, each visible 1,000 feet. (Emergency Parking, page 26)

3. A: No closer than 10 feet

Don't park within 10 feet of a fire hydrant in North Dakota. (Do Not Park, page 26)

4. A: No closer than 10 feet

Don't park on or within 10 feet of a crosswalk at an intersection. (Do Not Park, page 26)

5. A: No closer than 15 feet

Don't park within 15 feet of a flashing beacon, stop sign or traffic control signal at the roadside. (Do Not Park, page 26)

6. A: No

Don't park in an accessible space without the placard or plate, and don't park on the diagonal lines next to it. (Do Not Park, page 26)

7. A: The nearest lane, staying there until it's safe to change

Look over your shoulder, signal, yield to oncoming traffic, and enter the nearest lane. (Leaving a Parking Space, page 26)

8. B: 25 mph

When traveling faster than 25 mph you need safety chains or brakes capable of holding the trailer if the coupling breaks. (Towing, page 26)

9. C: 1,000 feet

Turn signals, stop lights, two red reflectors and two red taillights on the trailer's rear must be visible for 1,000 feet. (Towing, page 26)

10. B: No

Drivers may not coast downgrade with the gears or transmission in neutral. (Coasting Prohibited, page 26)

11. D: \$500

Throwing or depositing litter on a public highway is subject to a \$500 fine. (Littering, page 27)

12. C: \$4,000

Crashes with combined damage of \$4,000 or more, or injury or death, must be reported immediately to local police, or to the Highway Patrol or sheriff outside cities. (Crash Reports, page 27)

13. D: Leave a note in a conspicuous place with your name, address and insurance company

Try to locate and notify the owner. If you can't, leave a note with your name, address and insurance company in a conspicuous place. (Crash Reports, page 27)

14. B: \$150

The fine is \$150 for a first violation and \$300 for a second within three years, and a license suspension is possible. (Liability Insurance, page 27)

15. D: One year

You must provide proof of liability insurance for one year and buy a \$50 duplicate license with the restriction. (Liability Insurance, page 27)

16. C: 511

Dial 511 for weather and road conditions, and 911 for emergency highway assistance. (Liability Insurance, page 27)

17. C: \$250

Entering an officially closed road is illegal and carries a \$250 fine. (Winter Driving, page 27)

18. D: October 15 to April 15

Studded snow tires may be used from October 15 to April 15. (Winter Driving, page 28)

19. A: Double it

Snow tires or chains help, but you should still double your following distance. (Winter Driving, page 28)

20. C: Toward the side of the blown tire

A front blowout pulls the vehicle toward the blown tire; a flat rear tire makes it sway back and forth. (Flat Tire or Blowouts, page 30)

21. A: Not until you have regained full control

Grip the wheel, steer straight, ease off the accelerator, and don't brake until you've regained full control. (Flat Tire or Blowouts, page 30)

22. D: Swerve back onto the pavement right away

Don't swerve back; you may lose control. Ease off the gas, avoid hard braking, then turn gently back when in control. (Running Off the Pavement, page 30)

23. C: Depress the clutch or shift into neutral

Depress the clutch or shift into neutral. You may also turn the engine off, though you may lose power steering and brakes. (Equipment Failure, page 30)

24. A: Try your parking lights and turn signals and leave the roadway once slowed

Try your parking lights and turn signals, slow down, and leave the roadway; without lights, others can't see you. (Equipment Failure, page 30)

25. B: Slow down, flash your headlights, pull far right, and steer off to the right or stop on the right shoulder if needed

Slow down and flash your headlights. If it keeps coming, pull far right, and steer off the road to the right or stop on the right shoulder if a collision is possible. (Reading the Road, page 30)