

Practice Test 3

1. What color is a yield sign?
 - a. Red on yellow
 - b. Red on blue
 - c. Red on white

2. What do you do when control gates with flashing red lights lowers at a railroad crossing:
 - a. Stop on the tracks
 - b. Speed up and go around the gates
 - c. Stop behind the gate until the lights stop flashing and the gate raises

3. What are you required to do at all stop signs?
 - a. Stop only if necessary
 - b. Stop every time without exception
 - c. Stop over the limit line

4. A solid yellow or amber light means:
 - a. You must stop before the limit line
 - b. The traffic signal is about to turn red
 - c. If you are anywhere in the intersection you could get a ticket

5. A broken Center yellow line on your side of the road indicates:
 - a. Passing is ok when safe
 - b. You are approaching an intersection
 - c. You are approaching a tunnel

6. When you get into a skid, you should always:
 - a. Hit your brakes
 - b. Steer in the direction that you want to go
 - c. Keep the steering wheel straight

7. If you experience a tire blowout, you should never:
 - a. Hold the steering wheel firmly
 - b. Turn on your hazard lights
 - c. Slam on your brakes

8. On a first DUI conviction, in addition to having your car impounded you may have to:
 - a. Spend time in jail and pay a fine up to \$1,000
 - b. Walk home
 - c. Stay in school an extra year to graduate

9. If you're under 21 years old, your blood alcohol content (B.A.C) can't be equal to or greater than:
 - a. .001%
 - b. .01%
 - c. .1%

10. The financial responsibility report that has to go to the DMV within 10-days is called a:
 - a. SR-1
 - b. SR-22
 - c. SR-50

11. If you are making a left hand turn you must yield the right of way to oncoming traffic until?
 - a. It is safe
 - b. 5 cars have passed
 - c. The car behind you sounds their horn

12. There are five vehicles following closely behind you on a road with one lane in your direction. When you see this white sign, you should:
 - a. Drive to the right side of your lane but keep moving
 - b. Slow down and signal the other drivers to pass you
 - c. Drive to the side of the road and stop in the designated area

13. You are on a two-way road and the vehicle ahead of you is turning left into a driveway. You may legally pass the vehicle on the right:
 - a. If there is enough road between the curb and the vehicle to do so
 - b. Even if you must drive on the shoulder to do so
 - c. Even if you must cross a solid white line painted on the road

14. A right hand turn onto a one-way street must be completed:
 - a. In any lane that's safe
 - b. In the right most lane
 - c. In the left most lane

15. What does a yield sign look like?
 - a. A yellow diamond
 - b. A yellow rectangle
 - c. A red and white triangle

16. Which is not true about rain and road conditions?
 - a. The road is slickest during the first few minutes of rain
 - b. Your car can hydroplane if there is standing water

- c. The road gets slicker the longer it rains
17. The maximum posted speed limit enables you to drive at this speed limit if conditions are:
- a. Ideal or perfect
 - b. Hazardous
 - c. Less than ideal
18. The speed limit in a blind intersection is:
- a. 10
 - b. 15
 - c. 25
19. Littering carries a fine of up to:
- a. \$300
 - b. \$700
 - c. \$1000
20. A child under the age of 8 years old must be secured in either a car seat or booster seat:
- a. In the front seat
 - b. In the front or back seat
 - c. In the back seat
21. If you do have something extending out of the back of your vehicle, it must be:
- a. Wrapped in yellow tape
 - b. Wrapped in red or orange tape or warning flags
 - c. Have clear, transparent tape
22. A trailer, big truck or bus must drive in the number ___ lanes if there are 4 or more lanes or traffic in your direction.
- a. 1 or 2
 - b. 2 or 3
 - c. 3 or 4
23. If you are in a business district, it's illegal to perform a U-turn:
- a. At a signalized intersection
 - b. At an opening in a raised concrete divider (island) where a left turn is ok
 - c. In a center turn lane in the middle of the block
24. Which of the following is incorrect about turn signals?
- a. They communicate your intentions to other vehicles
 - b. You don't have to activate them if no other cars are present
 - c. It should be the first thing that you activate when making a lane change

25. The maximum number of feet that you may legally drive in a center left turn lane is?
- 100
 - 150
 - 200
26. You should use your horn for all of the following, except:
- On a one-way mountain road where you can't see 200 feet ahead
 - To show other drivers that they have made a mistake
 - To try and get "eye contact" with others drivers who may not see you
27. A major cause of teenage driving collisions is their need to:
- Drive slower than the rest of traffic
 - Push their cars and themselves to the limit
 - Drive everywhere
28. Which of the following is true of bicycles?
- They can always drive on the freeway
 - They share the roadways with cars and can make a left hand turn from the left hand turn pocket
 - They always have the ride of way like pedestrians
29. When driving in fog, you should use your _____ so that your headlights don't reflect right back at you.
- High Beams
 - Low Beams
 - Parking Lights
30. Choose the incorrect answer?
- Big trucks take 2x the distance to stop as a car at 55mph
 - Because of a trucks big size, they appear to be moving slower than they actually are.
 - Because of a trucks big size, they appear to be moving faster than they actually are.
31. When driving at night and the headlights from oncoming cars are causing a glare, you should be looking:
- Directly into the headlight
 - To the right edge of your lane
 - Above the oncoming headlights
32. Check your rearview mirrors:
- Often to see how traffic is moving behind you
 - Only on a freeway or highway

- c. Only when you are slowing down
33. How many seconds is it advised to wait before entering the intersection on a “fresh” or new green light?
- a. 3
 - b. 4
 - c. 5
34. The California DMV Handbook recommends that in ideal conditions you keep a minimum following distance of:
- a. 2 seconds
 - b. 3 seconds
 - c. 4 seconds
35. When Entering the freeway, what is the rule that says how many seconds you need to safely enter?
- a. 2- Second rule
 - b. 3- Second rule
 - c. 4- Second rule
36. When you change lanes or merge with another lane, you:
- a. Have the right-of-way
 - b. Should first stop and check for cross traffic
 - c. Need at least a four-second gap in traffic
37. When you park your car uphill without a curb, you should?
- a. Turn your front wheels toward the center of the road
 - b. Turn your front wheels toward the side of the road
 - c. Leave your front wheels straight
38. Which one of the following parking situations is illegal?
- a. Parking 20 feet from a fire hydrant
 - b. Parking in a cross-hatched pattern next to a handicapped space
 - c. Parking 10 feet from a railroad track
39. A white curb could best be described as the following:
- a. Pick-up or drop-off passengers or mail
 - b. Loading or unloading passengers or things
 - c. Temporary parking
40. The “implied consent law” says that you can choose the following tests if suspected of being under the influence of alcohol:
- a. Saliva Test

- b. Blood, Breath or Urine
 - c. Say the alphabet backwards
41. When you sell your car, you have to notify the DMV within ___ days?
- a. 5
 - b. 10
 - c. 15
42. If you are between the ages of 13 and 18, and you are convicted of defacing property, the courts may delay or suspend your driving privilege for:
- a. 1 year
 - b. 2 years
 - c. 3 years
43. How many hours must a minor practice with his/her parents before getting a provisional license?
- a. 30 hours total – 10 at night
 - b. 40 hours total – 10 at night
 - c. 50 hours total – 10 at night
44. If you have a conditional driver's license, you must:
- a. Not drive until your court appearance
 - b. Follow the special restrictions (For example, only drive to/from work or school)
 - c. Wait until your 18 before you can drive
45. A minor, with a provisional license may not transport passengers under 20 years of age anytime, unless supervised by an adult for the first _____ months of being licensed?
- a. 6
 - b. 12
 - c. 18
46. You should use your horn when:
- a. Another vehicle is in your way
 - b. It may prevent a collision
 - c. Another driver makes a mistake
47. There is no crosswalk and you see a pedestrian crossing your lane ahead you should:
- a. Make eye contact and then pass him/her
 - b. Slow down as you pass him/her
 - c. Stop and let him/her finish crossing the street