

# Ontario M1 Test



# Ontario M1 Test Signs1

## Question 0



- Road ahead turn right then left
- B Narrow road ahead
- C Road ahead turn left then right
- D Intersection ahead

Question 20

## Question 1

**CORRECT**



- A Hidden intersection ahead
- Pavement narrows ahead
- C You are approaching a one-way street
- D Divided highway ahead

## Question 2

**CORRECT**



- Permissive sign
- B Route for large trucks
- C No trucks
- D Truck route

## Question 3

**CORRECT**



- Do not turn left at the intersection
- B You must make a right turn only
- C Hidden intersection ahead
- D You are approaching a traffic island

#### Question 4

**CORRECT**



- A Railway crossing ahead
- Traffic lights ahead. Slow down
- C Stop sign 150 meters ahead
- D Bump 120 meters ahead

#### Question 5

**CORRECT**



- Steep hill ahead. You may need to use a lower gear
- B Bumpy road ahead
- C Pavement ends, 500 feet ahead
- D Safety check ahead

#### Question 6

**CORRECT**



- A Yield right-of-way
- Slow moving vehicle on road travelling less than 40 km/hr
- C Stop sign ahead
- D Dead end street ahead

#### Question 7

**CORRECT**



- Sharp turn or bend in the road in the direction of the arrow
- B Winding road ahead
- C Keep to left
- D Danger, road ends

Question 8

CORRECT



- A Maximum speed of 50 km/hour from this sign to next sign
- B Speed limit changes ahead
- C End of 50 km per hour zone
- D Speed limit for rural school zones

Question 9

CORRECT



- A Keep to the right lane except when passing on two-lane sections where climbing or passing lanes are provided
- B Merge Ahead
- C Road turns to the left
- D Road turns to the right

Question 10

CORRECT



- A Keep to the right of the traffic island
- B Pass other traffic on the right
- C Winding road ahead
- D Road turns right then left

Question 11

CORRECT



- A Advance warning of danger
- B Lane usage sign permitting all turns including left
- C No parking from arrows to corner
- D The driver in this lane must turn right

Question 12

CORRECT



- A You are approaching steep hill
- B Pedestrian crossing ahead
- C Right lane ends ahead
- D Hidden intersection ahead

Question 13

CORRECT



- A School crosswalk sign
- B Caution school bus crossing
- C Regulatory sign
- D X intersection for school vehicles

Question 14

CORRECT



- A Railway crossing ahead. Be alert for trains
- B You are approaching a 4-way intersection
- C You are approaching a hospital zone
- D You are approaching a pedestrian crosswalk

Question 15

CORRECT



- A Stop only if others vehicles are approaching
- B Stop sign 150 meters
- C You must come to a complete stop
- D Bump sign 150 meters

Question 16

CORRECT



- Watch for fallen rock and be prepared to avoid a collision
- Construction zone ahead
- Road close ahead
- Steep hill shift into lower gear

Question 17

CORRECT



- Playground zone sign
- Children playing in residential area
- Direction sign for children
- School zone sign

Question 18

CORRECT



- Do not turn to go in the opposite direction. (U-turn)
- No right turn permitted
- No left turn permitted
- Road slippery when wet

Question 19

CORRECT



- You have the right-of-way
- You must give the right-of-way
- School area ahead
- Railway crossing ahead

### Question 20

CORRECT



- A Pedestrians or vehicles may not enter the roadway
- B Deer crossing ahead
- C Railroad crossing ahead
- D This is a pedestrian crossover. Be prepared to stop and yield right-of-way to pedestrians

### Question 21

CORRECT



- A Bump or uneven pavement on the road ahead. Slow down and keep control of your vehicle
- B Construction zone
- C Factory, slow down
- D Bridge or Viaduct

### Question 22

CORRECT



- A No passing ahead
- B Bumpy road ahead
- C Pavement is slippery when wet. Slow down and drive with caution
- D Winding road ahead

### Question 23

CORRECT



- A Destination board
- B Pedestrian control sign
- C School zone watch for children playing
- D Provincial park

Question 24

CORRECT



- A Means a traffic circle ahead
- B Prohibited sign
- C Do not enter unless local traffic
- D Do not enter roadway

Question 25

CORRECT



- A Do not stop in the area between the signs
- B No entry into intersection
- C Vehicles approaching from the angle shown, must stop
- D Need no stop for stop signs in direction of arrows

Question 26

CORRECT



- A Keep to right
- B Do not pass
- C Do not enter this road
- D Keep to left

Question 27

CORRECT



- A Winding road ahead
- B Narrow road ahead
- C Hidden intersection ahead
- D Road slippery when wet



Question 28

CORRECT



- A Narrow bridge ahead
- B Road under construction
- C The road ahead is split into two separate roads by a median
- D Divided highway ends

Question 29

CORRECT



- A School area ahead
- B Road work ahead (Regulatory sign-reduce speed)
- C A construction sign replacing flagman on duty
- D Pedestrian control sign

Question 30

CORRECT



- A Exit to the right
- B Sharp turn guides
- C Winding road ahead
- D Crosswalk ahead

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Question 1

CORRECT



- A School zone ahead
- B Watch for pedestrians and be prepared to share the road with them
- C Pedestrian not permitted
- D Pedestrian only

### Question 2

CORRECT



- A Mountain zone ahead
- B Bridge Ahead
- C Narrow passage
- "Y" Intersection

### Question 3

CORRECT



- A Cross walk ends
- No pedestrians allowed on this road
- C Pedestrian allowed
- D Do not enter

### Question 4

CORRECT



- A One-way road only
- Do not pass on this road
- C Do not enter ahead
- D No parking ahead

### Question 5

CORRECT



- A Only bicycle permitted ahead
- B Bicycle not allowed ahead
- C Bicycle parking here
- Bicycle crossing ahead

Question 6

CORRECT



- A Through traffic permitted
- B Do not turn left
- C You may proceed through intersection, if clear
- D Do not drive through the intersection

Question 7

CORRECT



- A Do not turn left during the times shown
- B Do not turn right during the times shown
- C Do not make a U turn
- D You may turn left only during the time shown

Question 8

CORRECT



- A Construction zone
- B Do not stop
- C Dead end
- D Railway crossing ahead

Question 9

CORRECT



- A Sharp bend or turn in the road ahead
- B Do not turn right
- C Curve right
- D Road narrows right

Question 10

CORRECT



- A Two way traffic ends
- B Do not turn right
- C Traffic may travel in one direction only
- D Two way traffic ahead

Question 11

CORRECT



- A Divided highway ends
- B Divided highway ahead
- C Road under construction
- D Narrow bridge ahead

Question 12

CORRECT



- A "Y" Intersection
- B Winding road
- C "T" Intersection
- D Narrow passage

Question 13

CORRECT



- A Dangerous goods route
- B Passing allowed
- C Parking is permitted
- D Truck route

### Question 14

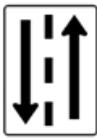
**CORRECT**



- Do not turn right when facing a red light at the intersection
- Do not turn right
- Do not turn left
- Only right turn allowed

### Question 15

**CORRECT**



- Railway crossing ahead
- Two way traffic
- Narrow passage
- Intersection ahead

### Question 16

**CORRECT**



- Two way traffic ends
- Two way traffic begins
- Two way traffic ahead
- The lane is only for two-way left turns

### Question 17

**CORRECT**



- Bridge Ahead
- Paved surface ends ahead
- Intersection ahead
- Narrow road ahead

Question 18

CORRECT



- A Do not turn right
- B Left turn only
- C Right turn only

✓ Flashing lights on the arrows show the direction to follow

Question 19

CORRECT



- A Road work ahead
- ✓ Construction work one kilometer ahead
- C Construction zone begins
- D Lane ahead closed

Question 20

CORRECT



- A Wildlife preservation center ahead
- B Zoo ahead
- C Scenic view ahead
- ✓ Deer regularly cross this road, be alert for animals

Question 21

CORRECT



- A Yield right-of-way
- B Dead end street ahead
- ✓ Stop sign ahead. Slow down
- D Slow moving vehicle ahead

Question 22

CORRECT



- A Left turn only
- B Single turn left
- C Reverse curve left
- D Do not turn left

Question 23

CORRECT



- A Indicates that traffic is moving in an oncoming direction
- B Do not stop
- C Parking is not permitted
- D Dead end

Question 24

CORRECT



- A Two way traffic
- B One way traffic
- C Intersection ahead. The arrow shows which direction of traffic has the right-of-way
- D Obstruction ahead

Question 25

CORRECT



- A Right turn only
- B Slight bend or curve in the road ahead
- C Winding road ahead
- D Right turn allowed

Question 26

CORRECT



- A Do not cross
- B Do not enter
- C No parking
- D Dangerous goods prohibited

Question 27

CORRECT



- A Passing is permitted
- B Two way traffic
- C Parking is permitted
- D Parallel parking is permitted

Question 28

CORRECT



- A Bicycle are not permitted unless you carry a valid pass
- B Do not leave your bicycle here
- C You can park your bicycle here
- D No bicycles allowed on this road

Question 29

CORRECT



- A Dead end ahead
- B Dead end on the right
- C Road branching off ahead
- D Hidden drive way ahead



Question 30

CORRECT



- A School crossing ahead
- B Bike parking here
- C Snowmobiles cross this road
- D Animal crossing

# Ontario M1 Test Rules3

## Question 1

**CORRECT**

What is the significance of obtaining a Safety Standards Certificate when purchasing a used motorcycle?

- A It is needed at the 5-year mark when all vehicles are required to undergo a safety test.
- B It is needed at the 2-year mark when all vehicles are required to undergo a safety test.
- C None of them.
- D It is legally needed to purchase plates for the motorcycle.

### Question 1 Explanation:

The Ministry of Transportation authorizes inspection stations to examine and verify motorcycles. The Safety Standards Certificate is documented proof that the vehicle has passed the inspection. The certificate is valid for 36 days.

## Question 2

**CORRECT**

At what point can a motorcyclist take the Level 1 road test needed to acquire an M2 license?

- A The motorcyclist may apply after having the M1 license for 90 days.
- B The motorcyclist may apply after having the M1 license for 60 days.
- C The motorcyclist may apply after having the M1 license for 30 days.
- D The motorcyclist may apply after having the M1 license for 120 days.

### Question 2 Explanation:

The test must be taken while the M1 license is still valid, which is for 90 days from the date it was issued. People taking a Ministry-authorized training program can do the M1 exit test any time but may not acquire the M2 permit from the Ministry until a period of 60 days has passed.

## Question 3

**CORRECT**

When you must drive over an object or pothole on the road, what is the best way to reduce the force of the impact?

- A Grip the handlebars tightly.
- B Sit firmly on the seat, with your back absolutely straight.
- C Apply the brakes forcefully as you drive over the object or pothole.
- D Rise up a little bit on the footrests in order to distribute the impact evenly and absorb the majority of it through the elbows and knees.

### Question 3 Explanation:

Reduce speed when approaching an object or pothole and maintain a firm grip on the handlebars to ensure that the motorcycle stays upright and does not turn. While raising yourself, it is essential to grip the handlebar firmly so that your hands do not slip.

## Question 4

**CORRECT**

Apart from headlights and taillights, what else ensures visibility at night?

- A A brightly-coloured helmet.
- B A reflective vest or a jacket with reflective strips.
- C Clothing in bright colours such as yellow, red and orange.
- D All answers are correct.

### Question 4 Explanation:

A number of nighttime accidents occur because motorcyclists are not visible to other drivers on the road. Bright colours and reflective gear can help counter this problem.

### Question 5

**CORRECT**

How often should motorcycle tires be inspected for pressure, proper tread, and damage?

- A Once every year.
- B Once every week.
- C Once every month.
- D Every single time the motorcycle is used.

#### Question 5 Explanation:

Tires are just one of the controls that must be inspected regularly to ensure safety when driving a motorcycle. It is important to inspect these parts because motorcyclists are at greater risk if breakdown occurs.

### Question 6

**CORRECT**

Carrying cargo on a motorcycle should be avoided, but in case you have to take something along how should you carry it?

- A The cargo should be secured only to the gas tank.
- B The cargo should be tied securely to the seat, then sat on by the motorcyclist.
- C The cargo should be secured to the motorcyclist's legs and the gas tank.
- D The cargo should be placed in a secure carrier or saddlebag and should be distributed evenly so that the weight is spread out properly.

#### Question 6 Explanation:

One should never secure the cargo to the back of the seat since this changes the weight and balance of the motorcycle by changing the centre of gravity.

### Question 7

**CORRECT**

Motorcyclists should ensure that their passenger...

- A Talks to them when approaching a problem on the road, so the passenger knows which way to lean.
- B Is dressed in warm clothes.
- C Maintains one foot on the footrest at all times.
- D Always places both feet on the footrests, even when the motorcycle is stopped.

#### Question 7 Explanation:

The passenger (pillion rider) should hold onto the motorcyclist securely and not move needlessly or do anything to distract the driver.

### Question 8

**CORRECT**

When seated on a motorcycle at what distance from the ground should the rider's feet be?

- A The rider's feet should be resting flat on the ground.
- B The rider's toes should just be able to touch the ground.
- C The rider's feet should be in a flat resting position at a distance of 2.54cm (1 inch) from the ground.
- D The rider's toes should be at a distance of 5-10cm (2-4 inches) from the ground.

#### Question 8 Explanation:

The motorcycle rider must ensure that the motorcycle is secure, comfortable and the correct size in order to ensure a safe ride. Before driving, be sure to sit on the motorcycle seat and check to see if both feet can rest flat on the ground. If they cannot, the motorcycle is probably the wrong size.

### Question 9

**CORRECT**

When slowing down or coming to a stop what should the motorcyclist do?

- A Apply only the front brakes.
- B Downshift after stopping.
- C Downshift.
- D Lean to the left.

#### Question 9 Explanation:

Downshifting while reducing speed prevents sudden jerking of the motorcycle. In addition to downshifting, applying both sets of brakes to reduce speed or come to a stop is important because brake lights help motorists behind the motorcycle realize that a change in speed is occurring.

### Question 10

**CORRECT**

What is the major difference between the front and rear brakes?

- A The front brakes account for three-quarters of the stopping force of the motorcycle.
- B The front brakes are easier to access than the rear brakes.
- C The front brakes account for one-quarter of the stopping force of the motorcycle.
- D The front brakes provide the entire stopping force of the motorcycle.

#### Question 10 Explanation:

Although the front brakes account for three-quarters of the stopping force, it is important to apply both brakes together. Do not apply the brakes too forcefully (do not jam on the brakes): the tires can become locked and result in the motorcycle skidding.

### Question 11

**CORRECT**

In order to discourage others on the road from attempting to share the right lane, in what part of the lane should the motorcyclist drive?

- A In the right part of the lane, also known as the right tire track.
- B In the left part of the lane, also known the left tire track.
- C In the middle of the lane.
- D It is unsafe to attempt to discourage others on the ride from attempting to share a lane; it is better to ignore other drivers who are attempting to share the lane.

#### Question 11 Explanation:

It is dangerous to ignore other drivers or allow them to share a lane with the motorcycle. Maintaining proper blocking position is the most reliable method of discouraging other drivers from trying to share lanes. When driving in the right lane the blocking position is the left tire track under normal conditions; when driving in the left lane, the blocking position is normally the right tire track. It is unsafe to drive in the centre lane because there is no effective blocking position.

### Question 12

**CORRECT**

Which of the following is not a primary control important for the operation of the motorcycle?

- A Throttle.
- B Rear brake.
- C Shift lever.
- D Speedometer.

### Question 13

**CORRECT**

Which of the following statements regarding the M2 license conditions is FALSE?

- A The holder of the M2 may carry passengers.
- B The holder of the M2 may have a blood alcohol level between 0.00 and 0.05.
- C The holder of the M2 may drive at any time of the day or night.
- D None of them.

#### Question 13 Explanation:

M2 holders by law must have 0.00 blood alcohol level, and must not drive after having consumed alcohol. It is dangerous to operate a motorcycle after consuming alcohol.

### Question 14

**CORRECT**

When attending an M1 exit test to apply for an M2 license, what do you need to take with you?

- A A motorcycle in proper working condition that fulfills all the Ministry requirements.
- B A motorcycle helmet that meets the requirements prescribed by the Highway Traffic Act.
- C All answers are correct.
- D Glasses or contact lenses if required as corrective lenses (this will be indicated on the M1 license).

#### Question 14 Explanation:

In addition, the existing M1 license must be taken to the M1 exit test.

### Question 15

**CORRECT**

Which of the following statements about M1 license conditions is FALSE?

- A The holder of the M1 may have a blood alcohol level between 0.00 and 0.05.
- B The M1 holder may drive a motorcycle only during daylight hours, extending from ½ hour prior to sunrise till ½ hour past sunset.
- C The M1 holder is not permitted to drive on specific roads or go higher than specific speed levels.
- D The M1 holder must not carry passengers.

#### Question 15 Explanation:

M1 holders by law must have 0.00 blood alcohol level, and must not drive after having consumed alcohol. It is dangerous to operate a motorcycle after consuming alcohol.

### Question 16

**CORRECT**

Is it mandatory to have a horn on a motorcycle?

- A It is mandatory only in the case of mopeds.
- B A horn is not required on motorcycles.
- C None of them.
- D It is mandatory to have a horn and to ensure that it is in proper working condition.

#### Question 16 Explanation:

It is essential to have fully functional horns on motorcycles; the horn is one way a motorcyclist can communicate with drivers of other vehicles.

### Question 17

**CORRECT**

When approaching a Yield sign, what does the law require you to do?

- A Stop, then enter traffic slowly
- B Slow down, stop if necessary, and yield right-of-way
- C Speed up and merge with traffic
- D Stop, then enter traffic quickly

### Question 18

**CORRECT**

To carry a passenger, a motorcycle must...

- A Have big tires to compensate for the wobbling caused by the extra load.
- B Have a solid engine to support the extra weight.
- C Have safety bars at the back for the passenger to hold.
- D Have a seat that is large enough to hold both the motorcyclist and the passenger, as well as separate footrests for the passenger.

**Question 18 Explanation:**

Footrests ensure the passenger's position is stable; without them, the passenger could fall or even cause the driver to fall.

### Question 19

**CORRECT**

On passing the M1 exit test while using a limited speed motorcycle what category of M2 license does one receive?

- A One receives an M2 license with an M condition.
- B One receives an M2 license with both an M and an L condition.
- C One receives an M2 license.
- D One receives an M2 license with an L condition.

**Question 19 Explanation:**

The category of the motorcycle used in the M1 exit test determines the type of license that will be issued. Use of a limited speed motorcycle in the M1 exit test will result in an M2 license with the L condition.

### Question 20

**CORRECT**

In the Motorcycle Driver's Handbook, the term "motorcycle" includes which of the following?

- A Limited Speed Motorcycles and Mopeds.
- B Mopeds and Motor Tricycles.
- C Mopeds, Limited Speed Motorcycles and Motor Tricycles.
- D Limited Speed Motorcycles and Motor Tricycles.

**Question 20 Explanation:**

According to the Highway Traffic Act, mopeds are not considered to be motorcycles, but in order to drive a moped on a public road, drivers are required to have an M1, M2, or M license.

### Question 21

**CORRECT**

Which of the following are legal requirements for motorcycle drivers?

- A They must have a valid M1, M2 or M license.
- B They must have a valid license plate attached to the back of the motorcycle.
- C All answers are correct.
- D They must be 16 years of age or older.

#### Question 21 Explanation:

The rider must also wear a helmet at all times. The motorcycle must be registered. The rider must have valid liability insurance.

### Question 22

**CORRECT**

Where is the front brake located on the motorcycle and how is it applied?

- A The brake is located on the left handlebar and it is applied by pulling the lever towards the handgrip.
- B The brake is located on the right handlebar and it is applied by pushing the lever away from the handgrip.
- C The brake is located on the right handlebar and it is applied by pulling the lever towards the handgrip.
- D The brake is located on the left handlebar and it is applied by pushing the lever away from the handgrip.

#### Question 22 Explanation:

The front and rear brakes should ideally be applied together every time, even though front brakes exert greater stopping force.

### Question 23

**CORRECT**

Before making a left turn from a one-way street, you should be:

- A Close to the right-hand side of the roadway
- B Your position doesn't matter, provided you signal your intention
- C Close to the centre of the roadway
- D Close to the left-hand side of the roadway

### Question 24

**CORRECT**

What should a motorcyclist do if a slippery patch is spotted on the road ahead?

- A The motorcyclist should make an effort to maintain speed and keep it even while driving through the slippery surface.
- B The motorcyclist should apply the brakes with force and downshift at the same time.
- C The motorcyclist should slow down as much as possible before reaching the spot.
- D The motorcyclist should increase speed while passing through the slippery patch.

#### Question 24 Explanation:

Always slow down as much as possible whenever possible before reaching a slippery spot. Slippery surfaces can be dangerous because they cause tires to lose traction on the road and increase the possibility of skids and accidents.

### Question 25

**CORRECT**

What are the requirements for carrying a passenger?

- A The passenger must wear an approved helmet.
- B The motorcycle seat should be large enough for both persons.
- C All answers are correct.
- D The motorcycle should be equipped with footrests for the passenger.

#### Question 25 Explanation:

The driver must have an M2 or M license; M1 drivers are not permitted to carry passengers.

### Question 26

**CORRECT**

How do properly adjusted mirrors help the motorcyclist?

- A All answers are correct.
- B They provide a view of a major portion of the lane beside the motorcycle.
- C They provide a view of at least half the lane behind the motorcycle.
- D They help to reduce vulnerable blind spots.

#### Question 26 Explanation:

Mirrors play an important role in keeping track of what is on the road around the motorcycle. Use of mirrors should be combined with shoulder checks for maximum safety; neither should be used as a replacement for the other.

### Question 27

**CORRECT**

When you are faced with a red traffic signal and your intention is to go straight through the intersection, what must you do first?

- A Come to a full stop and proceed only when the intersection is clear
- B Slow down and proceed when the way is clear
- C Stop and proceed only when the signal turns green and the intersection is clear
- D Stop, give pedestrians the right-of-way, then proceed with caution

### Question 28

**CORRECT**

What is the purpose served by the throttle?

- A It plays a role in controlling the speed of the motorcycle.
- B It plays a role in controlling the gears of the motorcycle.
- C It plays a role in controlling the rear brakes of the motorcycle.
- D It displays the number of revolutions undergone by the engine per minute.

#### Question 28 Explanation:

The throttle is located on the right handgrip and helps control the speed of the motorcycle. When twisted inward towards the rider, the throttle releases fuel which flows to the engine.



### Question 29

**CORRECT**

Staggered formations are appropriate on an open area of the road but should be replaced by single lines when...

- A** The motorcyclists are about to enter or leave a freeway, and also during curves and turns in the road.
- B** The motorcyclists are drawing close to a tunnel.
- C** The motorcyclists are drawing close to a bridge.
- D** The motorcyclists are driving on a freeway with a speed of 80 km/h or more.

#### Question 29 Explanation:

Driving alongside another motorcyclist when entering or leaving freeways, or on curves and turns in the road must be avoided. If there is an unexpected problem on the road, there will be no room to maneuver in order to avoid the problem.

### Question 30

**CORRECT**

How does fatigue affect a motorcyclist's ability to drive safely?

- A** It increases the motorcyclist's ability to relax and unwind while driving.
- B** It increases the motorcyclist's attentiveness and ability to concentrate.
- C** It reduces the motorcyclist's ability to react quickly and appropriately in the event of an emergency.
- D** It increases the motorcyclist's ability to react quickly and appropriately in the event of an emergency.

#### Question 30 Explanation:

Fatigue, ill health, mental strain or disturbance all hamper one's judgment, concentration and alertness. It is important not to drive under these conditions.

### Question 1

**CORRECT**

Which way should a motorcyclist position the motorcycle when attempting to move out of a parking spot that is parallel to the side of the road?

- A** The motorcycle should be angled so that it faces the intended direction.
- B** The motorcycle should be positioned across the parking spot so that the motorcyclist has a clear view of all sides.
- C** The motorcycle should be angled so that it faces opposite to the intended direction.
- D** None of these positions is correct.

#### Question 1 Explanation:

Positioning the motorcycle across the parking spot helps ensure that the motorcyclist has a good view of the road and that the motorcycle is visible to other vehicles on the road, especially if the road has numerous cars parked on both sides.

### Question 2

**CORRECT**

Why are motorcyclists advised not to drive in the center lane(s) of roads that have 3 or more lanes?

- A** Motorcyclists are not able to drive fast enough to be in the center lane.
- B** It is illegal for motorcyclists to drive in the center lane.
- C** Motorcyclists don't have a blocking position when there are lanes on both sides of the motorcycle.
- D** The center lane has more gravel than other lanes, so it is dangerous to drive in it.

### Question 3

**CORRECT**

How much following distance should a motorcyclist maintain from other vehicles on the road?

- A A motorcyclist should maintain a minimum following distance of 10 seconds.
- B A motorcyclist should maintain a minimum following distance of 2 seconds.
- C A motorcyclist should maintain a minimum following distance of 12 seconds.
- D A motorcyclist should maintain a minimum following distance of 1 second.

#### Question 3 Explanation:

By maintaining a following distance of 2 seconds, motorcyclists have enough time to react and change course if necessary should a problem arise.

### Question 4

**CORRECT**

When a motorcyclist raises his left arm and points towards the left, with the arm parallel to the ground, what does it signify?

- A The motorcyclist is reducing speed and/or intends to stop.
- B The motorcyclist is leaving the highway.
- C The motorcyclist intends to turn right.
- D The motorcyclist intends to turn left.

#### Question 4 Explanation:

If a motorcycle does not have indicator signals, or if they fail to work, motorcyclists must use proper hand signals to communicate with other drivers on the road.

### Question 5

**CORRECT**

What factors should motorcyclists keep in mind regarding blind spots? (Choose 2)

- A Motorcyclists should drive only in the blind spots of other motorcyclists.
- B Motorcyclists should avoid having other vehicles driving in their blind spot.
- C Motorcyclists should know that only large vehicles are required to check blind spots.
- D Motorcyclists should not drive in other drivers' blind spots.

#### Question 5 Explanation:

Avoid other drivers' blind spots whenever possible. Use caution when you have no choice but to drive in someone's blind spot. If possible, avoid having other vehicles drive in your blind spot: slow down, speed up, or change lanes as the situation warrants.

### Question 6

**CORRECT**

When a vehicle ahead signals to turn left as a motorcyclist nears an intersection, the motorcyclist should:

- A Reduce speed, move to the left lane if possible, and adopt a defensive position.
- B Increase speed and move to the left lane if possible.
- C Reduce speed, move to the right lane if possible, and adopt a defensive position.
- D Increase speed and sound the horn.

#### Question 6 Explanation:

Be careful. Drive slowly, adjusting your speed for the situation. Maintain maximum distance between your motorcycle and the other vehicle by moving to the right lane if possible, or by stopping if necessary.

### Question 7

**CORRECT**

When driving on a wet road, an abrupt change in direction or speed can result in skidding. Hence motorcyclists should always:

- A Reduce speed and change direction before it begins to rain.
- B Turn, brake, accelerate and change gears as smoothly as possible.
- C Avoid driving on wet roads.
- D Drive quickly.

#### Question 7 Explanation:

Driving in rainy conditions is dangerous. There is less traction on slippery roads, and rain hampers visibility; these facts result in motorcyclists having less control, which increases the risk of accidents. Always drive safely, using smooth, careful movements.

### Question 8

**CORRECT**

What should motorcyclists do when a signal light changes from green to amber as they approach an intersection?

- A Speed up to clear the intersection as quickly as possible.
- B Stop. If a stop cannot be made safely, proceed with caution.
- C Sound horn loudly to warn pedestrians and other drivers that they are driving through the intersection.
- D Continue through the intersection without slowing or stopping.

### Question 9

**CORRECT**

Before driving a motorcycle, responsible motorcyclists begin by:

- A Installing safety bars for passengers to hold.
- B Checking the motorcycle thoroughly to ensure it is in proper working condition.
- C Ensuring the motorcycle is equipped with a spare helmet.
- D Purchasing a case of repair tools in case the motorcycle breaks down.

#### Question 9 Explanation:

Since the degree of damage experienced in motorcycle accidents is greater than with other motor vehicles, it is essential to perform a thorough inspection of the motorcycle to ensure that it is safe to drive.

### Question 10

**CORRECT**

Never change lanes without:

- A Sounding the horn loudly first.
- B Changing gears.
- C Signaling and decreasing speed.
- D Signaling, checking your mirrors and doing a shoulder check.

### Question 11

**CORRECT**

What should motorcyclists do when a vehicle is approaching to pass?

- A Maintain lane placement.
- B Drive in the center of their lane.
- C Drive in the left tire track of their lane.
- D Drive in the right tire track of their lane.

**Question 11 Explanation:**

Moving from the blocking position toward the center of the lane helps maintain a safe distance from passing vehicles. By keeping out of harm's way in this manner, motorcyclists are safer and less likely to be struck by passing vehicles.

### Question 12

**CORRECT**

A broken center line on a roadway indicates that drivers may:

- A Never pass
- B Pass at any time.
- C Pass only during daylight hours.
- D Pass if the way is clear.

### Question 13

**CORRECT**

Why should lane splitting be avoided?

- A It prevents cars from changing lanes.
- B It results in motorcyclists driving too close to other vehicles; drivers do not expect motorcyclists between lanes.
- C It is a danger to novice drivers, but experienced drivers are permitted to do so.
- D It is dangerous when carrying a passenger, but otherwise safe to do.

**Question 13 Explanation:**

Lane splitting refers to driving between vehicles in adjacent lanes (ie. along the white line between lanes). It is very dangerous because the slightest shift in position from any of the other vehicles can result in an accident since there is very little room for the motorcyclist to maneuver.

### Question 14

**CORRECT**

What is meant by the term 'push-steering', also known as 'counter-steering'? (Choose 2)

- A It refers to counting the required number of seconds needed in order to complete a turn properly.
- B It refers to steering against the push of the wind to cut down on resistance.
- C It refers to applying forward pressure on the handlebar of the turning side.
- D It refers to the manner in which both the rider and the motorcycle lean in the direction in which the motorcyclist intends to turn.

**Question 14 Explanation:**

Applying forward pressure on the handlebar of the turning side causes the motorcycle to lean, while pushing on the other handlebar and applying the throttle causes the motorcycle to straighten and finish the turn.

### Question 15

**CORRECT**

If the headlights of the motorcycle do not switch on automatically with the engine, when is it mandatory to switch them on?

- It is mandatory to have them switched on at all times, even in daylight hours.
- B It is mandatory to turn them on during the period from ½ hour prior to sunset till ½ hour before sunrise.
- C It is mandatory to turn them on if it starts to rain.
- D It is mandatory to turn them on whenever visibility is poor or conditions make it necessary to do so.

#### Question 15 Explanation:

Lights come on automatically with newer models, but the lights must be switched on manually for older motorcycles. Keep headlights and taillights switched on at all times for greater visibility, and so that you do not need to switch them on while driving.

### Question 16

**CORRECT**

How can use of drugs, consumption of alcohol, or fatigue affect motorcyclists?

- A They reduce motorcyclists' anxiety so that motorcyclists can drive calmly and carefully.
- They reduce motorcyclists' skill and ability to drive properly and safely.
- C They increase motorcyclists' ability to drive during rain showers.
- D They increase motorcyclists' ability to drive at night.

#### Question 16 Explanation:

Any type of drug, illegal or prescribed, can impair motorcyclists' ability to drive. Fatigue slows reflexes, and can make driving dangerous. Consuming alcohol makes driving a motorcycle especially dangerous.

### Question 17

**CORRECT**

What is the best way of obtaining a clear view of everything on the road?

- A By looking far enough ahead on the road: ½ block to 1 block ahead when driving in the city and as far ahead as possible when on highways.
- B Paying attention to and keeping track of surroundings enables motorcyclists to drive defensively and reduces the likelihood of the unexpected, which can cause accidents.
- All answers are correct.
- D By looking around in each direction all the time and not lingering on any one sight for more than 2 seconds..

#### Question 17 Explanation:

Pay attention to surroundings and keep a track of them to reduce any chance of surprises.

### Question 18

**CORRECT**

What is the significance of slowing down when driving behind other vehicles after dark?

- It increases distance from other vehicles; other drivers can see the motorcycle better.
- B It decreases distance from other vehicles; other drivers can see the motorcycle better.
- C None of them.
- D It helps maintain an equal distance from the vehicle ahead of the motorcycle.

#### Question 18 Explanation:

Slowing down and maintaining a greater distance from vehicles in front is advised, especially when roads are wet and intense glare hampers other drivers' ability to identify a motorcycle amongst all the traffic.

### Question 19

**CORRECT**

How can motorcyclists communicate with other drivers?

- All answers are correct.
- B By using brake lights and the horn if required.
- C By using turn signals and shoulder checks.
- D By making eye contact with other drivers.

#### Question 19 Explanation:

Communicating well with other drivers is essential for safe driving. In any given situation, motorcyclists must use appropriate methods to communicate with other drivers; in most cases, more than one method must be used to communicate well.

### Question 20

**CORRECT**

How can motorcyclists enhance visibility when approaching an intersection?

- By reducing speed, and by moving away from vehicles or other objects that might block other drivers' view of the motorcycle.
- B By increasing speed when approaching the intersection so that others on the road see the motorcycle earlier.
- C None of them.
- D By reducing distance from other vehicles when approaching the intersection so they can see the motorcycle better.

#### Question 20 Explanation:

Reducing speed as the motorcycle approaches the intersection gives the motorcyclist time to assess the intersection and react in case of other drivers' errors.

### Question 21

**CORRECT**

A high-speed wobble can be effectively managed by:

- A Applying the brakes as quickly as possible.
- B Applying the rear brakes only so that all the stopping power is at the back of the motorcycle.
- C Accelerating while gripping the handlebars firmly to resist the wobble.
- Slowly decreasing the speed of the motorcycle.

#### Question 21 Explanation:

Maintain a firm grip on the handlebars. Reduce speed by closing the throttle. Do not apply the brakes, since that only makes the motorcycle more difficult to control. Never increase speed when the motorcycle is wobbling.

### Question 22

**CORRECT**

What are the risks posed to motorcyclists by large vehicles?

- A Large vehicles possess small blind spots.
- B Large vehicles block significant amounts of slush and snow from the motorcyclist.
- C Large vehicles roll forward after the brakes are applied and the vehicle has stopped.
- Large vehicles make wide turns.

#### Question 22 Explanation:

Remain a good distance from large vehicles, especially when they are about to turn. Large vehicles make wide turns, and have large blind spots. Moving into the space that opens up as a large vehicle swings out to make its turn could result in the motorcyclist being hit, since the driver of the large vehicle will most likely not be able to see the motorcycle.

### Question 23

**CORRECT**

What is the importance of keeping both feet on the footrests while driving?

- A It enables motorcyclists to maintain balance and keep control over the motorcycle.
- B It enables motorcyclists to reach the foot controls better.
- C It enables motorcyclists to rest their feet, especially on long trips.
- D It provides motorcyclists a comfortable position while driving.

**Question 23 Explanation:**

Always keep both feet on the footrests for better control. Motorcyclists must not drag their feet on the ground at any time while driving.

### Question 24

**CORRECT**

What is the best way to learn to ride a motorcycle?

- A By studying a motorcycle training manual.
- B By learning from a friend who knows how to drive.
- C By enrolling for a motorcycle riding and safety course authorized by the Ministry of Transportation.
- D None of them.

**Question 24 Explanation:**

A motorcycle training course designed and/or authorized by the Ministry will ensure new drivers learn the necessary skills and develop the know-how to drive safely. Most courses provide the Level 1 exit test as part of the course and reduce the length of time needed at the M2 level.

### Question 25

**CORRECT**

What must be done when changing gears on a motorcycle?

- A The clutch must be engaged.
- B The engine kill switch must be used.
- C The clutch must be disengaged.
- D The tachometer must be disengaged.

**Question 25 Explanation:**

The clutch is the lever on the left handlebar of the motorcycle. You must disengage the clutch when changing gears.

### Question 26

**CORRECT**

How often should a motorcyclist check the mirrors while driving?

- A Every 8-10 seconds.
- B Every 11-13 seconds.
- C Every 2-4 seconds.
- D Every 5-7 seconds.

**Question 26 Explanation:**

Checking mirrors frequently helps motorcyclists keep track of what is going on around them so they avoid surprises. It is essential to check the mirrors regularly during poor weather, when visibility is poor, on highways and while slowing down or turning.

### Question 27

**CORRECT**

Motorcyclists driving on an open road or a freeway should...

- A Ignore oncoming traffic.
- B Look as far ahead as they can see.
- C Keep an eye on the sides of the road as much as possible.
- D Avoid shifting lanes at all times.

#### Question 27 Explanation:

It is important to look far ahead to be prepared for potential problems. This gives drivers more time to react, helps prevent panic, and reduces the likelihood of rash decisions that could result in accidents.

### Question 28

**CORRECT**

What should motorcyclists do if they need to make a sudden stop on a wet/slippery surface?

- A Motorcyclists should smoothly apply the front and rear brakes at the same time.
- B Motorcyclists should smoothly apply the front brake.
- C Motorcyclists should shift gears, and continue driving since it is not safe to stop.
- D Motorcyclists should smoothly apply the rear brake.

#### Question 28 Explanation:

Motorcyclists should always apply both brakes smoothly at the same time. This ensures safer, more efficient stopping. Do not apply the brakes in a sudden, jerky manner.

### Question 29

**CORRECT**

When a motorcyclist raises his left arm with the arm bent upward at the elbow, what does it signify?

- A The motorcyclist is leaving the highway.
- B The motorcyclist intends to turn left.
- C The motorcyclist intends to turn right.
- D The motorcyclist is reducing speed and/or intends to stop.

#### Question 29 Explanation:

If a motorcycle does not have indicator signals, or if they fail to work, motorcyclists must use proper hand signals to communicate with other drivers on the road.

### Question 30

**CORRECT**

What is the minimum time it takes to obtain a full M license?

- A 60 days.
- B 90 days.
- C 22 months.
- D 120 days.



### Question 1

**CORRECT**

While attempting to shift lanes or make a turn, how should a motorcyclist alert other drivers on the road?

- A The motorcyclist should alert other drivers by using the appropriate turn signal.
- B The motorcyclist should alert other drivers by waving hands to signal the direction.
- C The motorcyclist should alert other drivers by applying the rear brake before taking action.
- D The motorcyclist should alert other drivers by revving the engine loudly.

#### Question 1 Explanation:

Using the appropriate turn signal is important as it alerts others on the road so that they are able to move accordingly. Whether or not other vehicles are nearby, it is important to use turn signals while turning or changing lanes.

### Question 2

**CORRECT**

What consideration should be kept in mind while driving a motorcycle in foggy conditions?

- A The motorcyclist should stop as soon as fog develops, in case it becomes too dense for clear visibility.
- B The motorcyclist should drive at high speeds to pass the fog quickly.
- C The motorcyclist should reduce speed, and turn on fog lights if applicable.
- D The motorcyclist should keep high beams on for maximum visibility.

#### Question 2 Explanation:

It isn't necessary to stop for light fog, but if the fog becomes so thick that visibility is compromised, it is advisable to find a safe place to stop and wait for visibility to clear. Driving slowly gives the motorcyclist more reaction and stopping time if needed. Low beams should be used to avoid reflective glare caused by high beams.

### Question 3

**CORRECT**

When may a motorcyclist pass on a shoulder?

- A A motorcyclist may do so only when a vehicle is moving towards the left, and there is an unpaved shoulder on the right side.
- B A motorcyclist may do so if a vehicle is turning left and there is a paved shoulder on the right side.
- C A motorcyclist may do so when the vehicle ahead of the motorcyclist is driving under 40 km/h.
- D A motorcyclist may pass on a shoulder at any time when it is safe to do so.

#### Question 3 Explanation:

Ideally motorcyclists should only pass on the left. However, it is acceptable to pass on the right at times when the other vehicle is turning towards the left and the shoulder is paved.

### Question 4

**CORRECT**

A flashing red signal light at an intersection indicates drivers must:

- A Slow down and proceed with caution.
- B Slow down and yield right-of-way to vehicles approaching from the left or right.
- C Signal light is out of order, proceed with caution.
- D Stop and proceed only when it is safe to do so.

### Question 5

**CORRECT**

If another vehicle is following too closely, what should a motorcyclist do?

- A The motorcyclist should brake and force the other driver to change lanes.
- B The motorcyclist should speed up, reducing the distance between motorcycle and the vehicle ahead to try to get away from the vehicle that is following too closely.
- C The motorcyclist should increase the space between the motorcycle and any vehicle in front.
- D The motorcyclist should use the appropriate blocking position to ensure the other driver doesn't get too close.

#### Question 5 Explanation:

Widening the gap between the motorcycle and the vehicle ahead provides more reaction time for both the motorcyclist and the vehicle behind, and reduces the danger of a multi-vehicle pileup. It is advisable to shift lanes when possible and let the vehicle behind pass.

### Question 6

**CORRECT**

7. What is the best way of maximizing your safety on the road when a vehicle front of you is turning left?

- A Slow down, quickly gauge the surroundings, move to the left and be prepared to react to other vehicles that may be ahead of you in that lane.
- B None of the above will maximize safety on the road.
- C Maintain current speed, quickly gauge the surroundings, move to the right and be prepared to react to other vehicles that may be ahead of you in that lane.
- D Slow down, quickly gauge the surroundings, move to the right and be prepared to react to other vehicles that may be ahead of you in that lane.

#### Question 6 Explanation:

Collisions between motorcycles and cars turning left usually take place because car drivers are unable to see motorcyclists. Slow down and stay alert. Always be prepared to react to the actions of other vehicles already present in the lane when making a lane change.

### Question 7

**CORRECT**

Most motorcycles have a foot pedal. Which brake does this foot pedal control?

- A It controls the brakes of the rear wheel.
- B It controls the brakes of the front wheel.
- C The pedal is not connected to the brakes of either wheel.
- D The pedal controls the brakes of both the front and rear wheels.

#### Question 7 Explanation:

The foot pedal controls the rear brake, but other controls are not always the same on every motorcycle; it is important to learn the placement and function of all controls on a motorcycle before riding it.

### Question 8

**CORRECT**

Why should motorcyclists ensure a large cushion of space around the motorcycle?

- A It helps other drivers maintain a clear view of the motorcyclist: this can prevent accidents.
- B It allows the motorcyclist time to respond to any difficult situations that may arise.
- C All answers are correct.
- D It allows the motorcyclist time to shift positions on the road if a problem occurs ahead.

#### Question 8 Explanation:

The larger the amount of space a motorcyclist maintains with other vehicles on the road, the safer the motorcyclist will be.

### Question 9

**CORRECT**

What are the effects of alcohol consumption on a motorcyclist?

- A It has no effect whatsoever on the motorcyclist.
- B It hampers the motorcyclist's sense of judgment and concentration and impairs the motorcyclist's driving skills.
- C It improves the motorcyclist's driving skills because it enables the motorcyclist to think clearer.
- D It helps the motorcyclist become more relaxed, thus improving the motorcyclist's driving ability.

**Question 9 Explanation:**

Drinking alcohol will impair judgment and increase the possibility of accidents. It is not safe to drink and drive, regardless of the vehicle being used.

### Question 10

**CORRECT**

When a motorcyclist is turning left from a passing lane into a passing lane, which tire track position should be adopted?

- A The left tire track position.
- B The tire track position is not significant as long as the motorcyclist feels comfortable making the turn.
- C The right tire track position.
- D The center tire track position.

**Question 10 Explanation:**

It is essential to adopt a blocking position when making turns. The blocking position for turning left from a passing lane into a passing lane is the right tire track, as this effectively blocks vehicles from entering the passing lane.

### Question 11

**CORRECT**

Which part of a wet road is usually the most slippery?

- A The center of the lane.
- B The left tire track.
- C The right tire track.
- D The pavement beside the curb of the lane.

**Question 11 Explanation:**

The center of the lane is the slickest section because oil tends to be spilled in that area. Roads can become slick in any area where there is debris, mud, dirt, oil or gravel. Motorcyclists are advised to steer clear of slick road parts.

### Question 12

**CORRECT**

When a motorcyclist turns left from a curb lane into a curb lane, which tire track position should be used?

- A The left tire track position.
- B The tire track position is not significant as long as the motorcyclist is comfortable and at ease.
- C The center tire track position.
- D The right tire track position.

**Question 12 Explanation:**

It is important to maintain a blocking position when driving a motorcycle from a curb lane into a curb lane. When turning left, maintain a left tire track position and when turning right, maintain a right tire track position.

### Question 13

**CORRECT**

What role is played by good traction when a motorcyclist is driving on slippery surfaces?

- A Good traction helps the motorcyclist maintain proper balance without falling.
- B Good traction enables the motorcycle to brake without falling.
- C Good traction enables the motorcyclist to steer without falling.
- All answers are correct.

#### Question 13 Explanation:

Since a motorcycle has only two wheels, traction plays a significant role in ensuring that balance is maintained and the motorcycle remains upright. It helps the motorcyclist keep firm control over the motorcycle and minimizes the chances of slipping/ falling.

### Question 14

**CORRECT**

What does it mean when a motorcyclist holds his left arm parallel to the ground, bent at the elbow so it points down to the ground?

- A The motorcyclist intends to leave the highway.
- B The motorcyclist intends to turn left.
- The motorcyclist intends to reduce speed or stop.
- D The motorcyclist intends to turn right.

#### Question 14 Explanation:

If a motorcycle does not have indicator signals, or if they fail to work, motorcyclists must use proper hand signals to communicate with other drivers on the road.

### Question 15

**CORRECT**

What tire track or blocking position should a motorcyclist use when turning right in a wide lane?

- A The motorcyclist should use the left tire track.
- B The choice of blocking position or tire track is not significant as long as the motorcyclist feels comfortable and at ease.
- C The motorcyclist should use the center tire track.
- The motorcyclist should use the right tire track.

#### Question 15 Explanation:

One should block the lane according to the turn one intends to take. The stop line of a wide lane is at a greater distance than usual. This creates the need to shift to the right tire track. It is best to angle the bike also, as this makes the motorcycle more visible to others on the road.

### Question 16

**CORRECT**

When a bus enters a road from a bus bay just as a motorcyclist is coming up to the bay, which vehicle has the right-of-way?

- A The first vehicle to the merging point has the right of way.
- The bus has the right of way.
- C The motorcyclist has the right of way.
- D Both vehicles should stop. The drivers should use hand signals to communicate which has the right of way.

#### Question 16 Explanation:

Motorcyclists, and all vehicles on the road, must give right of way to any bus that has signaled the intention to come out of a bus bay and is moving forward.

### Question 17

**CORRECT**

What is the significance of the lane or blocking position and which is the best position to maintain when driving a motorcycle?

- A Lane position provides safety for the motorcyclist. Motorcyclists should drive only in the left tire track position to prevent vehicles from entering their lane.
- B Lane position provides protection and safety to the motorcyclist. Motorcyclists should drive in the middle of the lane to ensure they can block vehicles from both sides.
- C Lane position determines safety and security on the road. Motorcyclists should choose their lane positions with care, according to the specific road and traffic conditions at the time.
- D Lane position ensures security for the motorcyclist. Motorcyclists should always drive in the right tire track position, not the left tire track position, to ensure they are seen by all drivers.

#### Question 17 Explanation:

Safety on the road is guaranteed by visibility. In order to be clearly visible to all vehicles on the road, motorcyclists need to maintain appropriate lane positions. The correct lane position depends on the situation - at times the left tire track is the correct position, while at other times, the right tire track is the correct position. Choose a lane position according to the current state of the traffic so that everyone on the road can see you properly and so that you can effectively block other vehicles from entering your lane.

### Question 18

**CORRECT**

A flashing amber traffic light at an intersection indicates drivers must:

- A Continue at the same speed.
- B Stop if making a right turn.
- C Slow down and proceed with caution.
- D Stop if making a left turn.

### Question 19

**CORRECT**

What kind of risk is posed when motorcyclists overdrive their headlights? (Choose 2)

- A None of the mentioned risks are true.
- B The motorcyclist risks injury since the motorcycle is travelling faster than the field of vision provided by the headlights.
- C The motorcyclist runs the risk of being rear-ended because other drivers cannot see the headlights.
- D The motorcyclist runs the risk of not having enough distance to stop safely in case of an emergency

#### Question 19 Explanation:

It is important to drive more cautiously at night so that, if the need arises, there is sufficient stopping distance between the motorcycle and any vehicle/object ahead on the road. Driving at a speed that is appropriate for the conditions ensures that the motorcyclist can see ahead properly, have a clear line of vision, and have safe stopping distance when needed.

### Question 20

**CORRECT**

Why is it important to always wear protective face gear while riding a motorcycle?

- A It helps to keep the face warm during the cold weather.
- B It adds an aesthetic touch and helps fight harmful effects of the sun.
- C It acts as a shield for the face and prevents any debris or objects from flying into the eyes.
- D It helps secure and protect eyeglasses.

### Question 21

**CORRECT**

Which of the following tips does not apply to driving in the rain?

- A Transfer between moves efficiently, in a smooth manner, to avoid skidding.
- B Maintain proper lane position and steer clear of debris, oil and grease on the road.
- C Wear brightly-coloured clothing and reflective gear so that you are visible to others on the road.
- D Apply only the front brake to avoid skidding.

**Question 21 Explanation:**

Motorcyclists should always apply both brakes together in a smooth matter, even on wet roadways.

### Question 22

**CORRECT**

Why are motorcyclists advised against driving in the center of a lane?

- A All answers are correct.
- B Motorcyclists actually should drive in the center of a lane so that they can maintain maximum distance from cars on each side.
- C The center of a lane is not a safe driving position: oil accumulates in the center lane and it can get slippery and dangerous when wet.
- D The center of a lane is not safe because gravel collects there and provides too much traction.

**Question 22 Explanation:**

Oil dripping from other vehicles on the road collects in the center of a lane and it gets especially slick when the road is wet. Gravel can also be found in the center of a lane, further reducing traction.

### Question 23

**CORRECT**

It is important to apply the brakes as needed before...

- A Switching on signal lights.
- B Driving into an intersection.
- C Shifting between gears.
- D Entering a turn.

### Question 24

**CORRECT**

When about to make a turn, how should a motorcyclist prepare a passenger?

- A The motorcyclist should ask the passenger to lean less if the turn is extreme.
- B The motorcyclist should ask the passenger to leaner further over in case it is an extremely sharp turn.
- C The motorcyclist should ask the passenger to lean along with the motorcyclist and motorcycle as it moves around the corner.
- D The motorcyclist should tell the passenger to grip the safety bar.

**Question 24 Explanation:**

Even if the passenger drives motorcycles, it is the motorcyclist's duty to inform the passenger what to do ahead of time to ensure the safety of both the motorcyclist and the passenger.

### Question 25

**CORRECT**

What is meant by the phrase 'lane splitting'?

- A It refers to two motorcycles driving in the same lane.
- B It refers to driving on the line between lanes of traffic.
- C All answers are correct.
- D It refers to a car and a motorcycle driving in the same lane.

**Question 25 Explanation:**

Lane splitting is very dangerous: other drivers on the road will not be expecting a vehicle in this spot, which could cause an accident.

### Question 26

**CORRECT**

What is the risk posed to motorcyclists from turbulence caused by large vehicles? (Choose 2)

- A Turbulence caused by large vehicles is only a problem when a motorcyclist is driving at slow speeds.
- B Turbulence caused by large vehicles can negatively affect the motorcyclist's balance, creating risk to the motorcyclist when trying to pass the large vehicle.
- C Turbulence caused by large vehicle can negatively affect the motorcyclist's ability to maintain firm control on the motorcycle, creating risk to the motorcyclist while passing the large vehicle.
- D Turbulence caused by large vehicles can actually be helpful in providing a forward pull on the motorcycle.

**Question 26 Explanation:**

It is imperative to maintain extra care when passing large vehicles. Learning the art of passing large, heavy vehicles is extremely important, especially while driving at high speed when turbulence is greatest.

### Question 27

**CORRECT**

What is the most dangerous position to be in when driving a motorcycle on the road?

- A Immediately alongside a vehicle.
- B The blind spot of another vehicle on the road.
- C Behind a large vehicle.
- D Ahead of another vehicle.

**Question 27 Explanation:**

Blind spots are very dangerous. Stay clear of blind spots as much as possible. Motorcyclists are strongly advised not to drive in another vehicle's blind spot, and to ensure that no other vehicle is driving in their own blind spot.

### Question 28

**CORRECT**

Two vehicles reaching an uncontrolled intersection at approximately the same time must provide right-of-way to:

- A The vehicle approaching from the left.
- B The vehicle approaching from the right.
- C The vehicle that was driving the fastest.
- D The vehicle that was driving the slowest.

## Question 29

**CORRECT**

What is the relationship between cold weather and tire pressure?

- A Cold weather causes tire pressure to increase.
- B Cold weather causes tire pressure to alternately decrease and increase.
- C Cold weather causes tire pressure to decrease.
- D Cold weather does not cause any difference in tire pressure.

**Question 29 Explanation:**

It is important to inspect tire pressure every time the bike is used, and especially when it is cold outside.

## Question 30

**CORRECT**

While applying the brakes forcefully, it is important to...

- A There is nothing important to do, because applying the brakes forcefully has little or no effect on the motorcycle.
- B Maintain an upright, vertical position and stay straight.
- C Angle the motorcycle to the left.
- D Angle the motorcycle towards the right.

**Question 30 Explanation:**

It is important to remain straight and as vertical as possible while braking forcefully because this strengthens the traction of the motorcycle and traction is needed to maintain balance and control of the motorcycle.

## Question 1

**CORRECT**

What causes wobbling in motorcycles?

- A All answers are correct.
- B Wobbling can be caused by worn out steering parts.
- C Wobbling can be caused by loose wheel bearings.
- D Wobbling can be caused by loose spokes.

**Question 1 Explanation:**

If the motorcycle begins to wobble, do not accelerate. Maintain a firm grip on the handlebars and slow down steadily until it is safe to stop.

## Question 2

**CORRECT**

In a situation where a number of motorcyclists are travelling with each other, in what way should they drive?

- A The motorcyclists should adopt a staggered formation.
- B The motorcyclists should drive one behind the other in a line.
- C The motorcyclists should drive next to each other, but in separate lanes.
- D The motorcyclists should drive next to each other.

**Question 2 Explanation:**

A staggered formation allows motorcyclists to drive close to each other in a group but prevents them from driving too close or alongside one another. Using staggered formation, motorcyclists ensure they have enough room in which to safely manoeuvre.



### Question 3

**CORRECT**

If the engine locks or freezes, what should a motorcyclist do?

- A Pull over and fill the gas tank.
- B Pull over and wait till the engine cools down before adding oil to it.
- C Pull over and add windshield wiper fluid.  
Pull over and wait till the engine cools down before adding gasline antifreeze to it.

**Question 3 Explanation:**

Motorcycles should be inspected before each use. Regular maintenance helps ensure safe operation of a motorcycle. Keeping the correct amount of oil in the engine is essential.

### Question 4

**CORRECT**

Unless otherwise posted, the maximum speed limit on 2-lane highways outside of towns, cities, villages or built-up areas is:

- A 50 km/h
- B 80 km/h
- C 40 km/h
- D 100 km/h

### Question 5

**CORRECT**

In case a need arises for a motorcyclist to stop the motorcycle while making a turn, the following process should be used:

- A The motorcyclist should only use the front brakes.
- B The motorcyclist should quickly speed up to avoid other vehicles on the road, then pull over to the side of the road before stopping.
- C The motorcyclist should use both the front brakes and the rear brakes simultaneously.
- D The motorcyclist should only use the rear brakes.

**Question 5 Explanation:**

If a stop must be made during a turn, it is important to use both brakes. Remember to use all fingers to pull in the clutch and the front brakes so that there are no shudders and shakes. Downshifting can sometimes be used as an alternative as well.

### Question 6

**CORRECT**

When a motorcyclist is in need of assistance, how should the motorcyclist alert other drivers on the road?

- A The motorcyclist should pull the bike off to the side of the road and stand beside it with the engine running.
- B The motorcyclist should pull the bike off to the side of the road and ensure that the tail light is on.
- C The motorcyclist should pull the bike off to the side of the road and switch on the high beam.
- D The motorcyclist should pull the bike off to the side of the road, and place his or her helmet on the ground, near the back of the parked motorcycle.

**Question 6 Explanation:**

If it is necessary to pull off the road, be sure to park the motorcycle as far away from driving lanes as possible. The motorcyclist should move even further from the road if possible: standing right beside the motorcycle could be dangerous as sometimes vehicles parked alongside the roadway are sideswiped by passing traffic. Placing a helmet on the ground near the back of the parked motorcycle is a sign for assistance needed.

## Question 7

**CORRECT**

What should a motorcyclist do if the motorcycle wheels begin to lock while braking?

- A Employ the rear brakes only.
- B Employ the front brakes only.
- C Apply threshold braking.
- D Speed up by applying the throttle.

### Question 7 Explanation:

Applying the brakes too hard and too fast can cause the wheels to lock. Threshold braking is a way to stop quickly without causing the wheels to lock. It involves applying both brakes at the same time, then quickly releasing before the point where the wheels lock up, then quickly repeating the process to enable the motorcycle to quickly and safely stop without locking the wheels.

## Question 8

**CORRECT**

Why are motorcyclists advised against shifting gears while turning? (Choose 2)

- A Shifting gears while turning can cause the rear wheel to lock if the downshifting is jerky; this can result in a serious accident.
- B Shifting gears while turning is safe as long as the motorcycle is moving quickly.
- C Shifting gears while turning is safe as long as the motorcycle is moving slowly.
- D Shifting gears while turning may cause an increase in speed, which leads to loss of traction in the rear wheel, which can result in dangerous skidding.

### Question 8 Explanation:

To avoid skidding, motorcyclists are advised to shift gears after completing a turn, not during it.

## Question 9

**CORRECT**

If a motorcyclist decides to change to the left lane while driving, what should the motorcyclist do before changing lanes?

- A Use the left mirrors to carefully check the left lane before changing to it.
- B Use the right mirrors to carefully check the left lane before changing to it.
- C Reduce speed, shift gears, then brake while changing lanes, to ensure that the vehicle in front is not hit.
- D Signal, check left mirror, and do a shoulder check to make sure that all is clear and it is safe to change lanes.

### Question 9 Explanation:

Mirrors only give a partial view of the road; there are blind spots even with motorcycles. It is important to perform a shoulder check before changing lanes, even if the mirror suggests the lane is clear.

## Question 10

**CORRECT**

A highly skilled motorcyclist has which of the following qualities?

- A The ability to always drive at a lesser speed than other drivers on the road.
- B The ability to always be ready for the errors of the other drivers.
- C The ability to react properly, when prepared in advance to do so.
- D The ability to drive faster and at a greater speed than others on the road.

### Question 10 Explanation:

Being prepared for any kind of circumstance on the road is one of the biggest hallmarks of a skilled motorcyclist. The ability to anticipate and respond appropriately to dangerous situations is what separates good drivers from average and not-so-good ones. It is important to be able to anticipate and be ready for all suddenly-changing circumstances in order to respond properly. Anticipating dangers before they occur can also prevent panic and nervousness, both of which can further complicate situations where the motorcyclist already faces danger.

### Question 11

**CORRECT**

How often should motorcyclists check mirrors while driving on a freeway?

- A Every 2-4 seconds.
- B Every 1-2 seconds.
- C Every 5-10 seconds.
- D Every 15-20 seconds.

**Question 11 Explanation:**

Frequent mirror checks enable motorcyclists to be aware of their surroundings, helping to ensure safer driving. Motorcyclists are permitted to drive on freeways only after acquiring the M2 license.

### Question 12

**CORRECT**

When entering a freeway, what is the right time to turn on the turn signal?

- A When the motorcyclist reaches the exit ramp, from where the turn signal is visible to the other traffic on the freeway.
- B When the motorcyclist reaches the entrance ramp and the freeway traffic is able to see the turn signal.
- C The moment the motorcyclist reaches the acceleration lane and becomes visible to the other traffic on the freeway.
- D Motorcyclists are not required to use a turn signal when entering a freeway.

**Question 12 Explanation:**

It is important to ensure that you are clearly visible to all the other drivers on the freeway. Using the turn signal at the entrance ramp ensures that freeway traffic can see the motorcycle, and you, as early as possible.

### Question 13

**CORRECT**

When approaching an intersection where the road is blocked with traffic, a motorcyclist should:

- A Stop before entering the intersection, waiting until traffic ahead moves on and the way is clear.
- B Honk the horn to warn cars ahead to move on.
- C Move slowly into the intersection, and wait until the traffic ahead moves on before proceeding through the intersection.
- D Keep as close as possible to the car ahead to prevent other vehicles from entering the same lane.

### Question 14

**CORRECT**

At what level should cargo be kept on a motorcycle?

- A Cargo should be kept high to prevent a change in gravity and to avoid any interference with the motorcycle's balance.
- B It doesn't matter where cargo is placed, as long as the motorcyclist checks on it regularly.
- C Cargo should be kept low to prevent a change in gravity and to avoid any interference with the motorcycle's balance.
- D None of these statements is correct.

**Question 14 Explanation:**

Cargo must be secured in a low position. If cargo must be placed on both sides of the motorcycle, be certain to distribute the weight of the cargo evenly on both sides so that balance will not be affected.

## Question 15

**CORRECT**

What should a motorcyclist do if the throttle becomes stuck while driving?

- A The motorcyclist should put more force on the throttle to increase speed, apply the clutch and use the kill switch to turn the engine off.
- B The motorcyclist should ease off the throttle, apply the clutch, wait for the bike to slow down and jump off when it is safe to do so.
- C The motorcyclist should ease off the throttle, apply the clutch, and use the kill switch to turn the engine off once the bike has slowed down.
- D None of the above is correct.

### Question 15 Explanation:

It is not safe to jump off a motorcycle when it is in motion. If the motorcycle is not equipped with a kill switch, pull in the clutch, maintain control of the bike until it comes to a stop, then switch off the engine. Braking can be used to help slow and stop the bike more quickly if it is safe to do so.

## Question 16

**CORRECT**

A motorcyclist should keep the mirrors positioned in such a way that the motorcyclist can:

- A See the lane that is behind them very clearly.
- B There is no need to use mirrors when driving in heavy traffic.
- C See the lane next to them very clearly.
- D See as much as possible of the adjacent lane and a substantial part of the lane behind them.

### Question 16 Explanation:

Motorcyclists need to use their mirrors properly to ensure they are aware of their surroundings. Mirrors help motorcyclists see traffic around them, giving them greater safety. Motorcyclists should check mirrors every 5 to 7 seconds. Even after checking the mirrors, it is important for motorcyclists to do a shoulder check to visually confirm the traffic situation in advance of any action, be it turning, slowing down, changing lanes and so on.

## Question 17

**CORRECT**

When a motorcyclist carries a passenger, the extra rider's weight affects the motorcycle and...

- A Will help the motorcyclist to maintain better control and balance.
- B Will result in the motorcycle responding more quickly than usual.
- C Will not have any affect at all on the motorcycle.
- D Will result in the motorcycle reacting more slowly than usual.

### Question 17 Explanation:

The responsiveness of a motorcycle is directly related to the weight it is carrying. The heavier the passenger, the slower the vehicle will respond. Accelerating, turning, and decelerating will all be slower than usual.

## Question 18

**CORRECT**

How far away from the closest gate or rail should a motorcyclist stop when nearing a railway crossing with a train approaching?

- A At least 1 metre away.
- B At least 15 metres away.
- C At a distance of 50 meters.
- D At least 5 metres away.

### Question 18 Explanation:

To ensure safety, always stop a good distance - 5 metres at least - from the train tracks when the barrier is down and/or the lights are flashing. Motorcyclists should never attempt to cross around or under gates that have been lowered for an approaching train. Motorcyclists must drive on only after the gates have been raised and it is safe to do so.

### Question 19

**CORRECT**

What should motorcyclists take into consideration at railway crossings?

- A** Motorcyclists should drive at an angle of 45 degrees minimum to parallel tracks running in their direction.
- B** All answers are correct.
- C** Motorcyclists should be alert on approach to railway crossings since specific vehicles are required to stop as part of company policy.
- D** Motorcyclists should drive slowly, be careful, keep an eye on the surroundings, and note the signals, lights, gates and flag-persons (if present).

#### Question 19 Explanation:

Railway crossings are potentially hazardous due to the fact that trains travel much faster than they seem, and cannot stop quickly. It can take 2 km or more for a train to stop even when brakes are fully applied. Never depend on a train to be able to stop on time to avoid you, and drive on only once the train has passed. Other hazards at railway crossings may include having to stop for other vehicles, and the loss of traction which can occur because train tracks are slippery at all times, and more so when they are wet.

### Question 20

**CORRECT**

How should you react if debris or some other flying object hits you? (Choose 2)

- A** Maintain a firm grip on the handlebars and continue to look up and ahead while still on the road.
- B** Speed up to avoid other flying objects.
- C** Stop and pull off the road at once.
- D** Get off the road as soon as it is safe to do so.

#### Question 20 Explanation:

Even with protective headgear, motorcyclists can be distracted and potentially hurt by debris or flying objects. Be prepared and do not panic. Panic can cause motorcyclists to make potentially fatal driving errors. Maintain a firm grip on the handlebars, drive until there is a safe place to pull over and stop, then assess any damage.

### Question 21

**CORRECT**

To what style of driving does the phrase 'staggered formation' refer?

- A** It refers to a group of motorcyclists driving at large distances from one another in order to increase the following distance between vehicles so that there is less risk to other drivers on the road or to the motorcyclists themselves.
- B** It refers to a group of motorcyclists driving in different lanes of the road to maintain a lot of distance between the motorcycles so that there is less risk to other drivers on the road or to the motorcyclists themselves.
- C** It refers to a group of motorcyclists driving in a line one behind another so that there is less risk to other drivers on the road or to the motorcyclists themselves.
- D** It refers to a group of motorcyclists driving slightly behind and in the opposite tire track to one another so that there is less risk to other drivers on the road or to the motorcyclists themselves.

### Question 22

**CORRECT**

If the front tire blows out when on the road, a motorcyclist should...

- A** Shift to the left side as much as possible.
- B** Shift to the right side as much as possible.
- C** Shift to the front as much as possible.
- D** Shift to the back as much as possible.

### Question 23

**CORRECT**

A driver entering a highway via an entrance ramp must:

- A Honk the horn, then proceed with caution.
- B Signal and accelerate, then merge smoothly with highway traffic.
- C Signal and drive slowly in order to avoid an accident.
- D Use the appropriate hand signal, then take the right-of-way.

### Question 24

**CORRECT**

What is black ice?

- A Black ice is a mixture of snow and ice covering the asphalt.
- B Black ice is a frozen mixture of mud and snow covering the asphalt.
- C Black ice is the term given to recently-paved asphalt that is still wet.
- D Black ice is a thin layer of ice covering the asphalt.

### Question 25

**CORRECT**

What is required for a motorcyclist with an M1 license to carry a passenger?

- A A motorcyclist with an M1 license may carry a passenger only if the passenger has an M2 or full M license.
- B A motorcyclist with an M1 license is not permitted to carry a passenger under any circumstances.
- C A motorcyclist with an M1 license may carry a passenger if the motorcycle is properly equipped with a passenger seat.
- D A motorcyclist with an M1 license may carry a passenger if the passenger wears a helmet.

### Question 26

**CORRECT**

Besides a properly-equipped motorcycle, what is required for a motorcyclist to tow a trailer?

- A A valid motorcycle license.
- B A valid motorcycle license, a trailer permit and a registered trailer.
- C A valid motorcycle license and a trailer permit.
- D A valid motorcycle license, a registered trailer, trailer plates and a trailer permit.

**Question 26 Explanation:**

Special care should be taken when towing a trailer with a motorcycle. The trailer must have a mandatory white plate light, two red reflectors on the rear and a red tail light.

### Question 27

**CORRECT**

If the engine seizes while in use, what should the motorcyclist do?

- A The motorcyclist should apply the clutch in order to disengage the engine from the rear wheel.
- B The motorcyclist should turn on the four-way flashers.
- C The motorcyclist should apply the brakes as hard and as quickly as possible, then pull over and stop.
- D The motorcyclist should downshift in order to slow the motorcycle down.

## Question 28

**CORRECT**

Why should motorcyclists not share lanes with other vehicles?

- A By driving close to other vehicles, motorcyclists can remain in the company of the rest of the traffic, which is safer, so lane sharing is actually a good thing.
- B Both the second and the third statement are correct.
- C Lane sharing is useful: two vehicles are more visible than one, so it is safer for motorcyclists to share lanes.
- D In driving too close to other vehicles, motorcyclists put themselves at risk of collisions and accidents, so lane sharing should be avoided.

**Question 28 Explanation:**

Traffic lanes are not meant to be used by two vehicles at the same time – there isn't enough room. When two vehicles attempt to share lanes, they become too close to one another, increasing the risk of collision. Lane sharing should be avoided; motorcyclists are advised to maintain proper blocking position to ensure that other vehicles do not attempt to enter their lane.

## Question 29

**CORRECT**

How does driving over metal gratings, worn out roads or grooved pavement affect the driving of a motorcycle?

- A It creates a sense of loss of control over the motorcycle.
- B All answers are correct.
- C It results in a balanced and even driving experience.
- D It results in an airlifting experience.

**Question 29 Explanation:**

Any time an uneven road surface results in a feeling of loss of control or shakiness, it is important to maintain a strong grip on the handlebars and avoid sudden movements or rash reactions.

## Question 30

**CORRECT**

If a motorcyclist misses the correct freeway exit, what should the motorcyclist do?

- A The motorcyclist should slow down, move onto the shoulder, turn the motorcycle around, drive back carefully along the shoulder and take the missed exit.
- B The motorcyclist should slow down, move onto the shoulder, back up and take the exit ramp that was missed.
- C The motorcyclist should perform a u-turn on the freeway, carefully drive back, and take the missed exit.
- D The motorcyclist should maintain freeway speed, continue driving, and take the next exit.

**Question 30 Explanation:**

Stopping on a freeway is dangerous. Backing up or driving in the wrong direction is illegal, unless under the direction of a traffic officer. If an exit is missed, continue driving until the next exit, where it is safe to pull off the highway and plan an alternate route. In most places where there is an off-ramp, there is a corresponding on-ramp for the opposite direction, providing a safe way to travel back to the missed exit. Alternatively, local roads can be used to get back to the correct exit.

## Question 1

**CORRECT**

What method should a motorcyclist use to avert a collision?

- A Increase speed rapidly to get around the collision, then come to a stop.
- B Slowly tilt your motorcycle in the direction you want to turn and drive around the collision with care.
- C Quickly lean the motorcycle in the direction you want to turn and drive around the collision.
- D All answers are correct.

**Question 1 Explanation:**

Leaning the motorcycle in the direction you wish to travel enables you to change direction quickly. This is known as the counter-steering method.

## Question 2

**CORRECT**

A motorcyclist is stopped behind a vehicle at an intersection. The motorcyclist notices another vehicle quickly approaching from behind; the other vehicle's speed poses the risk of the motorcycle being hit. The motorcyclist should be prepared to...

- A Accelerate into the intersection.
- B No action is needed; the vehicle behind is required by law to stop at the intersection.
- C Move out of the lane and pull alongside the vehicle ahead.
- D Pull closer to the vehicle ahead.

### Question 2 Explanation:

Even when stopped at an intersection it is important to be aware of other drivers and take appropriate action as needed to avoid collisions.

## Question 3

**CORRECT**

What should a motorcyclist do if the chain breaks? (Choose 2)

- A Apply the brakes hard and fast in order to stop the motorcycle immediately.
- B Speed up and continue driving.
- C Hold the handlebars firmly to maintain control of the motorcycle.
- D As soon as it is safe to do so, pull off the road.

### Question 3 Explanation:

Chains can break when they are over-extended; this can result in skidding. Be sure to keep control of the motorcycle and move off the road as soon as it is safe to do so. When applying the brakes, always do so in a smooth manner. It is not safe to apply the brakes hard and fast; this could result in skidding, or in being hit from behind by other motorists who would not be expecting such an action.

## Question 4

**CORRECT**

Upon approaching a stop sign, what does the law require motorcyclists to do before entering the intersection?

- A Slow down, and if the way is clear, proceed.
- B Stop, and when it is safe to do so, proceed.
- C Slow down, honk the horn and proceed.
- D Stop, honk the horn, then proceed.

## Question 5

**CORRECT**

How does cold weather affect motorcycles?

- A It increases the temperature of the engine oil.
- B It results in the brake fluid freezing.
- C It decreases the tire pressure.
- D It results in the handlebars freezing.

## Question 6

**CORRECT**

If visibility is becoming increasingly poor due to foggy conditions, motorcyclists should:

- A Move off the road, find a safe place to park, and wait until the fog clears up before attempting to continue driving.
- B Turn the motorcycle flashers on, pull over, and park in the left lane.
- C Shift to the fast lane and drive quickly to get out of the fog.
- D Drive at a reduced speed and use the horn to alert other drivers of their presence.



### Question 7

**CORRECT**

Is it permissible to carry passengers with an M1 license?

- A It is permissible when driving a moped below 60 km/h.
- B It is permissible when driving a moped.
- C It is permissible when driving a motorcycle below 60 km/h.
- D No, it is against the law to carry passengers with an M1 license.

**Question 7 Explanation:**

It is illegal for M1 drivers to carry passengers at any time. Passengers are never permitted on mopeds.

### Question 8

**CORRECT**

When driving a motorcycle, it is dangerous to attempt to...

- A Adjust the mirrors.
- B Switch on the motorcycle's four-way flashers.
- C Carry a passenger.
- D Glance at other vehicles on the road.

**Question 8 Explanation:**

Mirrors must be properly adjusted so that the driver is able to keep track of traffic around the motorcycle. Do not attempt to adjust the mirrors when driving; be sure they are properly adjusted before driving. Even with properly-adjusted mirrors, and a mirror check, it is important to do a shoulder check before changing lanes.

### Question 9

**CORRECT**

When approaching an intersection, a motorcyclist notices a vehicle pulled over toward the curb. The motorcyclist should...

- A Accelerate and shift to the left tire track.
- B Decrease speed and shift to the left tire track.
- C Accelerate and shift to the right tire track.
- D Decrease speed and shift to the right tire track.

**Question 9 Explanation:**

Shift to the left tire track to be more visible to the other driver. Slow down, be prepared to stop or take appropriate evasive manoeuvres if necessary.

### Question 10

**CORRECT**

If a motorcyclist completes a safety course at the M2 level, how is the waiting period for applying for an M license affected?

- A It reduces the waiting period by 6 months.
- B It reduces the waiting period by 1 month.
- C It reduces the waiting period by 2 months.
- D It reduces the waiting period by 4 months.

### Question 11

**CORRECT**

If a vehicle suddenly stops in front of a motorcyclist or suddenly cuts the motorcyclist off by entering the lane too closely in front, what should the motorcyclist do to avert an accident?

- A Apply both brakes immediately and stop as quickly as possible.
- B Honk the horn to alert the other driver.
- C Apply the front brakes immediately, and stop as quickly as possible.
- D Adjust speed, and change lanes if necessary.

## Question 12

**CORRECT**

When changing the colour of a motorcycle, what is the motorcyclist required to do?

- A** Inform the Driver and Vehicle License Issuing Office within 6 days of the change.
- B** Inform the Driver and Vehicle License Issuing Office within 60 days of the change.
- C** Apply for a new Drive Clean emissions test.
- D** Adhere to all road safety standards; no other action is needed.

**Question 12 Explanation:**

A license plate and a vehicle permit are required to register a motorcycle. The vehicle permit contains an exact description of the motorcycle; any change to the appearance of the motorcycle must be registered.

## Question 13

**CORRECT**

Which of the following is required for registering or renewing the registration of a motorcycle?

- A** Proof that one owns the motorcycle which is being registered.
- B** None of these proofs are required.
- C** Proof that one owns a helmet.
- D** Proof of valid insurance coverage.

**Question 13 Explanation:**

Providing false proof of insurance is a felony; consequences could include a large fine, a license suspension, or confiscation of the motorcycle in question.

## Question 14

**CORRECT**

Which mirrors give drivers the impression that objects are farther away than they actually are?

- A** Convex mirrors.
- B** Broken mirrors.
- C** Tinted mirrors.
- D** Flat mirrors.

## Question 15

**CORRECT**

Which documents must be carried at all times when driving a motorcycle?

- A** A driver's license, proof the motorcycle is insured (ie. the pink liability insurance card), and a vehicle registration card.
- B** Proof the motorcycle is insured (ie. the pink liability insurance card).
- C** None of them.
- D** A valid class M driver's license.

## Question 16

**CORRECT**

What is the minimum depth of the tire tread recommended for motorcycle tires?

- A** 1.5 mm
- B** 2.5 mm
- C** 0.5 mm
- D** 3.5 mm

**Question 16 Explanation:**

The traction and the braking ability of your motorcycle will be negatively affected in case of improper tire tread. The tire tread should be even and a minimum depth of the tire tread should be 1.5mm to ensure best braking.

### Question 17

**CORRECT**

On a paved road with two lanes, which part of the road will accumulate a greater amount of sand and gravel?

- A Along the edge of the road.
- B In the right and left tire tracks.
- C Across the entire road.
- D In the centre of the road.

#### Question 17 Explanation:

The edges of the road collect the most gravel, sand and debris. Winds and the tires of fast-moving vehicles send the gravel, sand and debris to the side. Motorcyclists should steer clear of road edges when entering or leaving a freeway or when making turns at intersections.

### Question 18

**CORRECT**

Are motorcyclists from other provinces permitted to drive in Ontario?

- A Yes, provided they are at least 18 years of age and have a valid driver's license.
- B Yes, provided they are at least 18 years of age and have a valid motorcycle license.
- C Yes, provided they are at least 21 years of age and have a valid driver's license.
- D Yes, provided they are at least 16 years of age and have a valid motorcycle license.

### Question 19

**CORRECT**

According to the law in Ontario, motorcyclists and passengers are required to...

- A Wear officially certified motorcycle helmets. The helmet chin-strap must be securely fastened.
- B Stop driving at night.
- C Wear brightly-coloured apparel at all times.
- D Carry a tool kit at all times.

### Question 20

**CORRECT**

What type of helmet offers motorcyclists the best protection?

- A None of the helmets listed qualify.
- B A half-faced helmet.
- C A full-faced helmet.
- D All helmets provide the same level of protection as long as they are strapped securely on the motorcyclist's head.

### Question 21

**CORRECT**

What are the 3 steps to driving over objects safely?

- A Grip the handlebars firmly, maintain a straight path and use the footrests to rise slightly above the seat.
- B Grip the handlebars firmly, curve to one side and accelerate smoothly.
- C Grip the handlebars firmly, curve to one side and use the footrests to rise slightly above the seat.
- D Grip the handlebars firmly, maintain a straight path, then use the threshold braking system.

### Question 22

**CORRECT**

A red signal light with a green arrow showing indicates:

- A Drivers must stop; pedestrians may proceed in the direction of the arrow.
- B Drivers must stop and wait for a regular green signal before turning in the direction of the arrow.
- C Drivers must come to a full stop, then proceed through the intersection in the direction of the arrow.
- D Drivers may proceed with caution in the direction of arrow.

### Question 23

**CORRECT**

What items are received upon registration of a motorcycle?

- A None of the answers is correct.
- B An insurance slip and a license plate.
- C A vehicle permit and a license plate.
- D An insurance slip and a vehicle permit.

### Question 24

**CORRECT**

When starting a motorcycle on an uphill incline, what should a motorcyclist avoid? (Choose 2)

- A Shifting into first gear.
- B Stalling.
- C Rolling backwards.
- D Shifting into first gear.

### Question 25

**CORRECT**

What is the role played by road race or clamp-on handlebars?

- A They reduce the capacity to execute good shoulder checks, but ensure the motorcyclist doesn't get tired quickly.
- B They increase the capacity to execute good shoulder checks.
- C They reduce the capacity to perform good shoulder checks and can cause the motorcyclist to tire easily.
- D They increase the capacity to execute good shoulder checks and ensure the motorcyclist doesn't get tired quickly.

### Question 26

**CORRECT**

A broken line to the left of a lane means:

- A Passing is not permitted at any time.
- B Passing is permitted if the lane is clear.
- C Passing is permitted only during daylight hours.
- D Passing is permitted at any time.

### Question 27

**CORRECT**

When making modifications to a motorcycle what must the motorcyclist first ensure?

- A Ensure that all modifications are made properly.
- B Ensure that the safety and performance of the motorcycle are not affected in any manner.
- All answers are correct.
- D Ensure that all modifications comply with the Highway Traffic Act.

**Question 27 Explanation:**

Assess the possible effects of modifications in advance. Some modifications can affect performance and safety, while others might not meet legal standards; if this is the case, the modifications must not be made.

### Question 28

**CORRECT**

Why is it important to drive with the wrists held low?

- A So that the speed is not suddenly decreased.
- B None of the statements is correct.
- C So that the brake is not applied mistakenly.
- So that the speed is not mistakenly increased.

### Question 29

**CORRECT**

What does a motorcyclist need to know when carrying a passenger?

- The motorcycle will respond slower due to the extra weight.
- B The motorcycle will respond more quickly due to the extra weight.
- C The motorcycle will respond more quickly due to the extra weight.
- D None of the statements is correct.

### Question 30

**CORRECT**

When preparing to drive an unfamiliar motorcycle, it is important to...

- A Wear a helmet.
- B Check the size of the motorcycle.
- C Check the style of the motorcycle.
- Check the brakes.

### Question 1

**CORRECT**

Wearing protective clothing helps to...

- A Protect passengers from insects.
- B Protect the motorcyclist from mosquito bites.
- Minimize and prevent injury caused by the impact of debris, wind and rain or a collision.
- D Prevent sunburns on bright summer days.

## Question 2

**CORRECT**

When riding with a group of motorcyclists, a staggered formation...

- A Is never recommended.
- B Must be used when travelling on a road with many curves.
- C Is recommended at all times.
- D Should not be used on curves, when turning, and when entering or exiting a highway.

## Question 3

**CORRECT**

Upshifting or downshifting on a curve:

- A Is better than shifting before the curve.
- B Is never an appropriate option.
- C Should only be done if it can be done smoothly.
- D Is the best way to control the motorcycle's speed on the curve.

## Question 4

**CORRECT**

If the back tire blows out, where should the driver's weight be shifted?

- A The weight should be alternated between the front and the back.
- B The weight should be shifted to the back.
- C The weight should be shifted to the front.
- D The weight should not be shifted.

### Question 4 Explanation:

If the back tire blows out, drivers should not shift their weight as this might unbalance the motorcycle, causing an accident. Drivers should maintain their position in order to maintain their balance.

## Question 5

**CORRECT**

What is the proper order of steps to start a motorcycle?

- A Turn the ignition switch to the ON position, ensure the engine kill switch is in the "OFF" position, change the gear to reverse, apply choke (if needed), pull in the clutch and press the starter button.
- B Turn the ignition switch to the ON position, ensure the engine kill switch is not in the "OFF" position, change the gear to neutral, apply choke (if needed), pull in the clutch and press the starter button.
- C Turn the ignition switch to the ON position, ensure the engine kill switch is in the "OFF" position, change the gear to neutral, apply choke (if needed), pull in the clutch and press the starter button.
- D None of these are the proper order.

### Question 5 Explanation:

If these steps are not followed correctly, the motorcycle will most likely not start. Once the engine starts, a motorcyclist should change to first gear keeping feet on the ground. Apply the throttle slightly, releasing the clutch slowly as the motorcycle begins to move forward. Move feet to the footrests, continue to release the clutch and accelerate as needed to drive forward. Shift to second gear using clutch and throttle appropriately when the motorcycle reaches the correct speed.

## Question 6

**CORRECT**

What are the dangerous outcomes that could occur when a driver takes a turn too fast? (Choose 2)

- A** The rider may panic, brake too hard cause the wheels to lock. This will cause the motorcycle to slide, and result in a crash.
- B** The driver's body will lean much more than necessary.
- C** The rider may lose control, causing the motorcycle to slide off the road and crash.
- D** None of these is correct.

### Question 6 Explanation:

Drivers must ensure that they slow down as much as needed before taking turns. Taking a turn too quickly is dangerous and results in many motorcycle accidents. Attempting to brake during the turn can also result in the driver having an accident.

## Question 7

**CORRECT**

When accelerating or applying the brakes, what should the motorcyclist do to maintain good grip and strong control over the motorcycle?

- A** Maintain as upright and vertical a position as possible.
- B** Angle the motorcycle towards the left.
- C** Angle the motorcycle towards the right.
- D** Move body weight as far back as possible.

### Question 7 Explanation:

Maintain control over the motorcycle by using the knees to grip the gas tank firmly. Hold onto the handlebars properly so that if the motorcycle bounces you will not lose control over it.

## Question 8

**CORRECT**

When driving a motorcycle in the passing lane, which tire track should the motorcyclist use?

- A** The left tire track.
- B** Motorcyclists should not drive in the passing lane.
- C** The right tire track.
- D** The centre tire track.

### Question 8 Explanation:

Use the right tire track. This ensures other drivers on the road can see the motorcyclist clearly and will help keep them from entering the lane in which the motorcyclist is driving at the time.

## Question 9

**CORRECT**

A solid line to the left of a lane means:

- A** Pass only when no traffic is in sight.
- B** Passing is permitted whenever the driver chooses to do so.
- C** Passing is not permitted because it is unsafe to do so.
- D** Overtake and pass with caution.

### Question 9 Explanation:

Always follow the rules of the road when attempting to pass other vehicles. Do not attempt to pass when oncoming traffic is too close to pass safely. Be sure to accurately judge the time and distance required to safely pass other vehicles.

### Question 10

**CORRECT**

What should motorcyclists do in a blind curve when the view of the path ahead is restricted?

- A** Adjust lane position to ensure that as much as possible of the road ahead is visible.
- B** Turn on the four-way flashers so the motorcycle will be visible to other drivers.
- C** Drive near the side of the road, as close to the edge of the road as possible.
- D** Drive in the centre of the road.

**Question 10 Explanation:**

Motorcyclists should always adjust lane position according to road conditions. When driving around a blind curve, keep an eye out for slick spots, road ruts, debris or bumps.

### Question 11

**CORRECT**

In what ways can motorcyclists make themselves more visible at night or at times when visibility is poor?

- A** By wearing dark-coloured clothing.
- B** By turning on headlights and taillights and by wearing brightly-coloured clothing and helmets.
- C** By wearing protective gear.
- D** By keeping the four-way flashers turned on at all times.

**Question 11 Explanation:**

Bright colours such as red and yellow are recommended. Reflective vests and reflective stripes on helmets and jackets are also beneficial.

### Question 12

**CORRECT**

Which lanes should be avoided when driving on a freeway and why?

- A** Lanes that are difficult to merge into. Motorcycles have a smaller profile, and are difficult for other drivers to see, even when the motorcycle's turn signal is on.
- B** The right lane when approaching an exit ramp. Other vehicles may not see the motorcycle and might cut off the motorcyclist as they exit.
- C** All answers are correct.
- D** The right lane when approaching an entrance ramp; this ensures the motorcyclist avoids the traffic that will be merging onto the highway.

**Question 12 Explanation:**

When driving on a freeway, it is important to ensure that other vehicles can see the motorcycle properly. Motorcyclists should think ahead and avoid situations that may endanger them.

### Question 13

**CORRECT**

Why is it dangerous to slow the motorcycle by only reducing the throttle or downshifting? (Choose 2)

- A** The brake lights will not turn on, making it dangerous to slow down because other drivers may not know the motorcycle is slowing.
- B** Downshifting in this way will strip the gears on the motorcycle.
- C** Slowing down in this way may result in the motorcycle being rear-ended.
- D** The motorcycle will accelerate before stopping.

**Question 13 Explanation:**

Motorcyclists should always ensure the brake lights turn on in order to alert drivers behind the motorcycle to the fact that the motorcycle is slowing down so that they will adjust their speed and not rear-end the motorcycle.



## Question 14

**CORRECT**

In addition to routine checks, which parts should be checked on a motorcycle every week?

- A The rims, wheels, shock absorbers, brakes, chain, stereo and all other hardware should be checked weekly.
- B Tire tread, shock absorbers, brakes, stereo, seat cover and all other hardware should be checked weekly.
- C The rims, wheels, shock absorbers, brakes, chain, tire tread and all other hardware should be checked weekly.
- D Tire tread, shock absorbers, paint, stereo, seat cover and all other software should be checked weekly.

### Question 14 Explanation:

Regular checks and repair of these parts, which can wear out over time, will help drivers avoid accident or injury. Drivers should also check the coolant and the battery of the motorcycle on a regular basis, depending upon the make of the motorcycle.

## Question 15

**CORRECT**

When should the headlights of the motorcycle be turned on?

- A They should be switched on only at night.
- B They should be on at all times, even during daylight hours.
- C They only need to be on between sunset and sunrise.
- D They should be switched on only during the day.

### Question 15 Explanation:

Headlights are important because they make the motorcycle more visible to other drivers on the road thus helping to prevent collisions.

## Question 16

**CORRECT**

What should a motorcyclist do if a large animal is on the road?

- A Drive into the animal in order to avoid skidding.
- B None of these actions should be taken.
- C Get off the moving motorcycle.
- D Carefully drive around it.

### Question 16 Explanation:

The first priority should be to try to brake and stop before reaching the animal. If that is not possible, try manoeuvring around it. Be certain to adjust speed before taking evasive action.

## Question 17

**CORRECT**

Checking the mirrors is especially needed when...

- A Planning to change lanes, make a turn, stop or slow down.
- B Embarking on a long trip.
- C Starting the motorcycle.
- D Halted at an intersection.

### Question 17 Explanation:

Checking mirrors when slowing down or stopping can alert the motorcyclist to danger in case vehicles behind do not adjust speed accordingly. Motorcyclists should always apply the brakes when slowing or stopping; this will help alert other drivers to the motorcycle's change of speed. When changing lanes or making turns, be sure to do a shoulder check after the mirror check. Even motorcycles have blind spots that cannot be seen by checking mirrors alone.

### Question 18

**CORRECT**

Weaving in and out of heavy traffic is:

- A A sign of inexperienced or aggressive drivers.
- B A common practice of experienced riders.
- C The fastest way to get to a destination.
- D The best way to pass stopped vehicles at an intersection.

**Question 18 Explanation:**

Weaving in and out of heavy traffic is dangerous and could result in an accident causing injury or death: it is the sure sign of a careless rider.

### Question 19

**CORRECT**

Where should a motorcyclist place a helmet if pulled off the road and in need of help?

- A The helmet should be hung on the handlebars.
- B The helmet should be fastened to the back of the motorcycle.
- C The helmet should be kept on so it does not have to be put on again.
- D The helmet should be placed on the ground near the motorcycle.

**Question 19 Explanation:**

Placing the helmet on the ground near the bike is a universal signal to alert other drivers that help is needed.

### Question 20

**CORRECT**

When pulling off the road, what steps should drivers take?

- A Ensure that the surface at the side of the road is hard and suitable to drive on.
- B Be certain to pull off the road at a spot away from moving traffic in order to avoid accidents.
- C Signal, perform a mirror and shoulder check before pulling off.
- D All the steps listed should be followed.

**Question 20 Explanation:**

Drivers should pull off the road when feeling tired or when needing to check anything. Ensure that the spot is away from the main road in order to reduce the possibility of being rear-ended or sideswiped by other vehicles.

### Question 21

**CORRECT**

At an intersection where turns to the left and right are permitted, what does a flashing green light indicate? (Choose 3)

- A Drivers may turn to the right if the way is clear.
- B Drivers may proceed after coming to a complete stop.
- C Drivers may turn to the left if the way is clear.
- D Drivers may proceed straight through if the way is clear.

### Question 22

**CORRECT**

When buying a used motorcycle privately, what should the purchaser get from the seller?

- A The seller's pink insurance liability slip.
- B A Used Vehicle Information package.
- C The vehicle permit and license plates.
- D The seller's driving license.

**Question 22 Explanation:**

The newly-purchased vehicle must be registered within 6 days at a Driver and License Issuing Office. At the time of registration, the purchaser must present a Used Vehicle Information package, usually provided by the seller, which includes required details about the vehicle.

### Question 23

**CORRECT**

On a freeway with three or more lanes, which lane(s) should motorcyclists avoid?

- A None of these answers is correct.
- B None of the lanes should be avoided, provided the motorcyclist is driving carefully.
- C The centre lane.
- D The left (passing) lane.

**Question 23 Explanation:**

The centre lane should be avoided since there is no blocking position in that lane. Motorcyclists should use the outer lanes (left if passing, right if driving with the flow of traffic); these lanes permit drivers to adopt an effective blocking position.

### Question 24

**CORRECT**

When driving in the right curb lane, which tire track should motorcyclists use?

- A The right tire track.
- B The centre tire track.
- C The left tire track.
- D Motorcyclists should not drive in the curb lane at any time.

**Question 24 Explanation:**

Use the left tire track. This ensures other drivers on the road can see the motorcycle clearly and will help keep them from entering the lane in which the motorcyclist is driving.

### Question 25

**CORRECT**

When two vehicles approach an intersection with a four-way stop at right angles to each other and at the same time:

- A Both vehicles may continue driving without needing to stop.
- B The fastest-moving vehicle should proceed first.
- C The vehicle approaching from the right should proceed first, after coming to a complete stop.
- D The vehicle approaching from the left should proceed first, after coming to a complete stop.

**Question 25 Explanation:**

The expression, "right of way", is a quick way to remember that the vehicle approaching from the right is to proceed first. Some drivers do not observe the 'right of way' rule; always enter the intersection carefully, and be aware of the actions of other drivers.

### Question 26

**CORRECT**

What are the main reasons for motorcycle collisions at intersections?

- A Other vehicles driving through the intersection on the green light.
- B Another vehicle entering the intersection from a side street into the way of the motorcyclist or another vehicle turning left into the motorcyclist's way.
- C Motorcyclists neglecting to use the back brakes.
- D Motorcyclists neglecting to keep headlights on at all hours.

**Question 26 Explanation:**

Many drivers are unable to see a motorcycle making its way towards them. To avoid collisions, enter an intersection slowly, keeping distance from vehicles or anything that could block others' view of the motorcycle.

### Question 27

**CORRECT**

Driving on the paved shoulder on the right side of the road is acceptable when...

- A Driving beside a large vehicle.
- B Passing a vehicle that is turning right.
- C There is a traffic jam.
- D Passing a vehicle that is turning left.

**Question 27 Explanation:**

Do not drive on the right shoulder if it has not been paved. The left shoulder, paved or not, must not be driven on under any circumstance.

### Question 28

**CORRECT**

In the unlikely event that a dog chases a motorcycle, what should the driver do? (Choose 2)

- A Get the dog out of the way by nudging it gently with a foot or the motorcycle, then focus on driving.
- B Continue driving; the motorcycle will outrun the dog after a short time.
- C Stop the motorcycle, honk the horn and yell loudly to scare the dog away.
- D Avoid kicking the dog; maintain control and balance.

**Question 28 Explanation:**

Avoid the temptation to focus on the dog. Remain focused on the road and maintain control while driving. If the dog persists, try altering the speed of the motorcycle. This might help confuse the dog, causing it to break off the chase.

### Question 29

**CORRECT**

To keep control over the motorcycle, motorcyclists should...

- A Avoid applying the brakes when making a turn.
- B Not attempt to downshift when stopping.
- C Not put on the headlights during daylight hours.
- D Never change lanes on the freeway.

**Question 29 Explanation:**

Always reduce speed sufficiently before entering a turn. Do all the braking needed before entering the turn.

### Question 30

**CORRECT**

When a driver has an M2, or M license, and is about to carry a passenger, what instructions should the driver give the passenger before attempting to drive?

- A After the motorcycle has started, instruct the passenger to get on, sit as close to the driver as possible, and hold the driver's waist firmly.
- B After the motorcycle has started, instruct the passenger to get on, sit towards the rear of the motorcycle, and hold the driver's shoulders firmly.
- C After the motorcycle has started, instruct the passenger to get on, sit towards the rear of the motorcycle, and hold the handlebars firmly.
- D After the motorcycle has started, instruct the passenger to get on, sit as close to the driver as possible, and hold the handlebars firmly.

**Question 30 Explanation:**

Passengers should also be instructed to keep their feet on the footrests, to lean when the driver leans, to refrain from sudden movement, and to avoid talking to the driver.