

Parents Behind The Wheel Lesson Checklist.

Students Name: _____

Drivers Permit Number: _____ State: _____ Zipcode: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

Lesson 1: Date: _____

Instructor: _____ Day/Night

Explained Demo Evaluated Passed

Explained	Demo	Evaluated	Passed	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pre- Start
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gauges, controls
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hand signals
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Start engine
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Putting vehicle in motion
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stopping
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Backing straight*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Backing around a corner*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Left turns
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Right turns
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lateral maneuvers - Move to curb*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lateral maneuvers - Move into traffic*

Emphasized skills* are those that can be practiced extra, at the end of the lesson, if the lesson is completed early.

Lesson 2: Date: _____

Instructor: _____ Day/Night

Review Previous skills - first (5-10 mins.)

Explained Demo Evaluated Passed

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Reference points
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Speed control
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lane position
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cover brake
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Alley turnabout - Right side*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Alley turnabout - Left side*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Y turnabout
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Uncontrolled intersection*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Securing and leaving

Lesson 3: Date: _____

Instructor: _____ Day/Night

Review Previous skills - first (5-10 mins.)

Explained	Demo	Evaluated	Passed	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Angle parking
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Perpendicular parking
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Parking uphill*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Parking downhill*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Parallel parking*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lane changing*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Following distance
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Scanning skills
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Multi-Lane intersection

Lesson 4: Date: _____

Instructor: _____ Day/Night

Review Previous skills - first (5-10 mins.)

Explained	Demo	Evaluated	Passed	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Passing on a two lane highway
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lane control
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Freeway merging*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Freeway exiting*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Passing, multi-lane

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Lesson 5: Date: _____

Instructor: _____ Day/Night

Review Previous skills - first (5-10 mins.)

Explained Demo Evaluated Passed

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Oil check
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Critical tasks
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engine failure
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Brake failure*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stuck accelerator*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Off-road recovery*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Loss of forward vision*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Headlight failure
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hazard avoidance*
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Threshold braking

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Lesson 6: Date: _____

Instructor: _____ Day/Night

Review Previous skills - first (5-10 mins.)

Explained Demo Evaluated Passed

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Destination Drive (25 mins.)
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FINAL DRIVE TEST (25 mins.)

During the drive test, the student will perform all tasks listed at the end of the parents guide. The scoring sheet is on the next page.

Explained Demo Evaluated Passed

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Traffic rules obeyed
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Scanning skills
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Path of travel
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Speed control

Test Areas with Scoring

Subject	Scoring Range	Score	Subject	Scoring Range	Score
1. Backing around a corner			10. Lane Travel		
Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____	Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____
Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____	Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____
Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____	Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____
2. Parallel Parking			11. Following		
Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____	Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____
Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____	Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____
Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____	Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____
3. Park and start on a hill			12. Passing		
Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____	Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____
Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____	Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____
Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____	Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____
4. Starting			13. Right of Way		
Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____	Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____
Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____	Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____
Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____	Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____
5. Uncontrolled Intersection			14. Left Turns		
Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____	Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____
Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____	Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____
Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____	Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____
6. Traffic Control Devices			15. Right Turns		
Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____	Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____
Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____	Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____
Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____	Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____
7. Stop Signs/Flashing Light			16. General Driving		
Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____	Performance		
Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____	Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____
Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____	Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____
8. Traffic Signal Lights			Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____
Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____			
Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____	SUBTOTAL 2		_____
Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____			
9. Mechanical Operations			TOTAL SUBTRACTED		_____
Danger potential	(Y - N)	_____	<small>(Subtotal 1 + Subtotal 2)</small>		
Lack of skill	(1 - 2)	_____			
Congestion potential	(1 - 2)	_____	FINAL SCORE		_____
			<small>(100- Total Subtracted)</small>		

SUBTOTAL 1 _____

How to prepare for your Washington State Driving Test

Preparing for the knowledge examination.

- Study the state driver's license manual guide and the drivers guide test questions for the manual. (the drivers guide test questions are either attached or at the back of the state driver's license manual). Take the examination that comes with the manual to also get yourself ready.
- On the day of the examination, get a good nights rest, eat a good meal and plan on taking as much time as will be needed (usually 1/2 to 1 1/2 hours) for the examination. The reason many people fail the examination is because they rush through the examination.
- To pass the examination you must answer at a minimum 80% of the questions correctly.

Preparing for the drive test

- To pass the in-vehicle (behind the wheel) test you have to show the examiner that you have knowledge of the rules of the road and that you have mastered basic driving skills. The skills that you will want to spend extra time on are: Backing Around a corner, Parallel parking and making sure that you always do your signal mirror and headcheck when turning, changing lanes or pulling away or to a curb. Plus, be sure to practice all of those skills that are emphasized on your parent drive checklist.

When driving before the test

- Practice, Practice, Practice the emphasized skills.
- When driving in the car ask the person you're with to point out any areas you might need extra practice.
- Be alert for road signs and be sure that you understand them.
- Practice in the car that you are going to take the test in

Bring What You Need

- Driver's Permit
- Current Vehicle registration
- Proof of current insurance on the vehicle (they may ask for it)
- Enough money to pay for license and test fee
- Eye glasses or contacts if you wear them
- If parents divorced, proof of custody
- Birth certificate, Passport
- Social Security Card

Getting the vehicle ready

- No cracks in windshield.
- Brake lights work,
- Turn signals work.
- Lights, wipers and horn work,
- Mirrors, windshield clean.
- Registration is current
- Insurance is current

On the Driving Test

- Make sure you perform your pre-drive checks, which includes seat, mirrors and safety belt adjustment.
- Concentrate on your driving and listen carefully to any instructions from the examiner
- Don't chat with the examiner, stay focused
- Don't worry about what the examiner is writing
- Don't let a mistake rattle you so that you make worse mistakes, stay calm
- Use good judgment
- Remember to turn your wheel when parking, if asked to park, on a hill. Do this even if the hill is very small. Also, the only time you turn your wheel away from curb is when you are parking uphill with a curb. All other times (uphill w/o a curb, downhill with or w/o a curb), you turn the wheel toward the the curb.
- Remember that you can always re-test if you fail and don't make it. Don't be discouraged. You will be getting your license at some time