C-150/152 Normal Checklist

PREFLIGHT

Inside Cockpit

Maintenance Squawks - CHECKED
Tach/Hobbs - RECORDED
Doc's (AROW) - AVAILABLE
Weight & Balance - COMPUTED
Control Lock - RELEASE
Ignition Switch - OFF
Electrical Switches - OFF
Master Switch - ON
Fuel Quantity - CHECK
Flaps - EXTEND
Pitot Heat - CHECK
Master Switch - OFF
Fuel Selector - ON

Empennage

Tail Tiedown - DISCONNECT Control Surf. - FREE & SECURE Antennas - CHECK

Right Wing

Aileron - FREE & SECURE Flap - SECURE Wing Tiedown - DISCONNECT Main Wheel/Tire - CHECK Fuel Quick Drain Valve DRAIN & CHECK
Fuel Qty - CHECK VISUALLY
Fuel Cap – SECURE

Nose

Fuel Quick Drain Strainer DRAIN & CHECK
Engine Oil – 5-6 QTS
Air Inlets - CHECK CLEAR
Prop/Spinner - CHECK
Air Filter - CHECK
Landing/Taxi Light - CHECK
Nose Wheel Strut/Tire - CHECK
Left Static Source – CHECK

Left Wing

Fuel Quick Drain Valve DRAIN & CHECK
Fuel Qty - CHECK VISUALLY
Fuel Cap - SECURE
Main Wheel/Tire - CHECK
Fuel Tank Vent - CHECK CLEAR
Stall Warning - CHECK CLEAR
Wing Tiedown - DISCONNECT
Aileron - FREE & SECURE
Flap - SECURE
Tiedowns/Chocks/Towbar FINAL CHECK

BEFORE START

Preflight inspection - COMPLETE
Pax Briefing - COMPLETE
Seats/Belts - ADJUST & LOCK
Circuit Breakers - CHECK IN
Electrical Equip. - OFF
Carb Heat - OFF
Fuel Selector - ON

STARTING ENGINE

Mixture - RICH
Throttle - OPEN ¼ IN.
Primer - 0-3 TIMES
Prop Area - CLEAR
Master Switch - ON
Beacon/Nav lights - ON AS REQ'D
Ignition Switch - START
Oil Pressure - CHECK
Flaps - RETRACT

TAXI CHECK

Brakes - CHECK Flight Instruments - CHECK

RUNUP

Brakes - HOLD Seats/Belts - UPRIGHT & SECURE Cabin Doors - CLOSED & LOCK'd

Flight Contrls - FREE & CORRECT Flight Instruments - CHECK & SET

Fuel Quantity - CHECK

Mixture - BEST POWER

Fuel Selector - RECHECK ON

Elevator Trim - TAKEOFF

Throttle - 1700 RPM

Magnetos - TEST

Carb Heat - TEST

Suction Gauge - CHECK

Eng Instruments/Ammeter - CHECK

Throttle - CHECK IDLE

Throttle Friction - ADJUST

Strobe Lights - AS DESIRED

Radios/Avionics - SET

Wing Flaps - 0° - 10°

WHEN CLEARED T/O:

Lights – ON

Transponder – ALT

Time – RECORD (cross country)

NORMAL TAKEOFF

Wing Flaps - 0^0 - 10^0

Mixture - RICH BLW 3000'

Oil Pressure - CHECK ON ROLL

Elevator Cont - LIFT NOSEWHEEL

AT 50 KIAS

Vy - 67 KIAS

Wing Flaps – RETRACT

SHORT FIELD TAKEOFF

Wing Flaps - 10^0

Brakes - APPLY

Mixture - RICH BLW 3000'

Throttle - FULL OPEN

Brakes - RELEASE

Elevator Cont - SLIGHT TAIL LOW

Climb Speed - 55 KIAS UNTIL

CLEAR OF OBST

Wing Flaps - RETRACT

SOFT FIELD TAKEOFF

Wing Flaps - 10^0

Brakes - APPLY SPARINGLY

Mixture - RICH BLW 3000'

Throttle - FULL OPEN

Elevator Cont - TAIL LOW

Accel - STAY IN GRND EFFECT

Climb Speed - 55 KIAS UNTIL

CLEAR OF OBST

Wing Flaps - RETRACT

ENROUTE CLIMB

Throttle - FULL OPEN

Flaps - RETRACT

Airspeed - 70-80 KIAS

Mixture - LEAN ABV 3000'

CRUISE

Power - 2100-2400 RPM

Mixture - LEAN

DG - SET TO COMPASS

DESCENT

Power - AS DESIRED

Mixture - ADJUST

Carb Heat - AS REQ'D

BEFORE LANDING

LCGUMPFS check:

Landing Light - ON

Carb Heat - ON

Gas - BOTH

Undercarriage - N/A

Mixture - RICH BLW 3000'

Props - N/A

Flaps - AS REQ'D

Seatbelts - SECURE

NORMAL LANDING

Airspeed - 60 KIAS Wing Flaps - AS DESIRED Touchdown - MAIN WHEELS 1st Brakes - USE SPARINGLY

SHORT FIELD LANDING

Airspeed - 55 KIAS Wing Flaps - FULL DOWN Power - IDLE AFTER CLR OBST Touchdown - MAIN WHEELS 1st Wing Flaps - RETRACT Brakes - APPLY HEAVILY

SOFT FIELD LANDING

Airspeed - 55 KIAS Wing Flaps - FULL DOWN Touchdown - MIN AIRSPEED Landing Roll - LOWER NOSE WHEEL GENTLY

BALKED LANDING

Throttle - FULL OPEN
Carb Heat - OFF
Pitch - PITCH FOR CLIMB
Wing Flaps - RETRACT TO 20⁰
Climb Speed - 55 KIAS
Wing Flaps - 10⁰ UNTIL CLR OBST
THEN RETRACT IF ABV
60 KIAS

AFTER LANDING

Wing Flaps - RETRACT Carb Heat - OFF Landing Light / Strobes - OFF Trim - TAKEOFF Transponder - STANDBY

SECURING AIRCRAFT

Parking Brake - SET
Radios - OFF
Mixture - IDLE CUTOFF
Electrical Equip / Master Sw. - OFF
Ignition Sw. - OFF
Control Lock - INSTALL
Fuel Selector - AS DESIRED
Flight Plan - CLOSE

PASSENGER BRIEFING

- 1) Exit Doors and Windows --Location and Operation
- 2) Seatbelt Use and Operation
- 3) Seat/Seatback Operation (Upright For T/O and Landings)
- 4) Fire Extinguishers
- 5) Open Water Ditching Procedures if Applicable
- 6) Oxygen Use and Operation
- 7) Traffic Tell Pilots if on a Potential Collision Course
- 8) Anything Abnormal (Noises,

Fire, Etc.) - Tell Pilots

- 9) No Smoking
- 10) Don't Touch Controls

V SPEEDS

Vr = 50	Vx = 55
Vy = 67	Va = 104
Vs1 = 40	Vso = 35
Vfe = 85	$V_{no} = 111$
Vne = 149	Best Glide $= 60$