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| A red and white triangular sign at an intersection means | | | | |
|  |  | Slow down if an emergency vehicle is approaching. |  |  |
|  |  | Look both ways as you cross the intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | Always come to a full stop at the intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | [Slow down and be prepared to stop if necessary.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-1) |  |  |
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| A rectangular-shaped sign is | | | | |
|  |  | School crossing sign. |  |  |
|  |  | Railroad crossing sign. |  |  |
|  |  | Stop sign. |  |  |
|  |  | [Speed limit sign.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-2) |  |  |
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| A diamond-shaped sign is a | | | | |
|  |  | [Road hazard sign.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-3) |  |  |
|  |  | Interstate route sign. |  |  |
|  |  | School crossing sign. |  |  |
|  |  | Speed limit sign. |  |  |
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| What are the colors of the warning signs that indicate hazards ahead, such as curves in the road or narrow bridges | | | | |
|  |  | Black letters or symbols on a white background. |  |  |
|  |  | [Black letters or symbols on a yellow background.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-4) |  |  |
|  |  | White letters or symbols on a blue background. |  |  |
|  |  | White letters or symbols on a green background. |  |  |
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| What are the colors of a sign which tells you the distance to the next exit of a highway | | | | |
|  |  | Yellow with black letters. |  |  |
|  |  | Black with white letters. |  |  |
|  |  | Red with white letters. |  |  |
|  |  | [Green with white letters.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-5) |  |  |
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| Road sign 4What does this road sign mean | | | | |
|  |  | Slow down and prepare to stop only if cars are approaching you. |  |  |
|  |  | [Come to a full stop, then go when it is safe to do so.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-6) |  |  |
|  |  | Proceed carefully through the intersection, not always stopping. |  |  |
|  |  | Stop only for traffic on an intersecting road. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Road sign 5This sign is a warning that you are approaching | | | | |
|  |  | An intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | A crosswalk. |  |  |
|  |  | [A railroad crossing.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-7) |  |  |
|  |  | A blasting zone. |  |  |
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| Which of the following must you obey over the other three | | | | |
|  |  | A steady red light. |  |  |
|  |  | [A policeman.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-8) |  |  |
|  |  | A stop sign. |  |  |
|  |  | A flashing red light. |  |  |
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| As you near an intersection, the traffic light changes from green to yellow. Your best action would be to | | | | |
|  |  | Speed up to beat the red light. |  |  |
|  |  | Apply the brakes sharply to stop. |  |  |
|  |  | Be prepared to stop in the center of the intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | [Be prepared to stop before the intersection.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-9) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| You may cross a double solid yellow line | | | | |
|  |  | To pass a slow moving truck. |  |  |
|  |  | [To turn into a driveway.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-10) |  |  |
|  |  | To pass a car if traffic permits. |  |  |
|  |  | Under no conditions. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| You may cross a single solid white line in the highway | | | | |
|  |  | Whenever you want to. |  |  |
|  |  | [If traffic conditions require.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-11) |  |  |
|  |  | Only to turn into a driveway. |  |  |
|  |  | Only to make a u-turn. |  |  |
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| A traffic light which has a green arrow and a red light means that | | | | |
|  |  | You may only drive straight ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | [You may drive only in the direction of the green arrow.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-12) |  |  |
|  |  | You must wait for a green light. |  |  |
|  |  | Vehicles moving in any direction must stop. |  |  |
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| What does a flashing yellow light mean | | | | |
|  |  | Merging traffic. |  |  |
|  |  | [Proceed with caution.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-13) |  |  |
|  |  | Pedestrian crossing. |  |  |
|  |  | Come to a full stop. |  |  |
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| An intersection has a stop sign, crosswalk, but no stop line. You must stop | | | | |
|  |  | [Before the crosswalk.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-14) |  |  |
|  |  | 50 feet before the intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | Where you think the stop line would be. |  |  |
|  |  | With your front wheels in the crosswalk. |  |  |
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| You come to an intersection which has a flashing red light. You should | | | | |
|  |  | [Come to a full stop, then go when safe to do so.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-15) |  |  |
|  |  | Stop only if cars are approaching the intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | Stop only if cars are already in the intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | Slow down and be prepared to stop if necessary. |  |  |
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| Which of the following is used on some highways to direct drivers into the proper lanes for turning | | | | |
|  |  | Flashing red lights. |  |  |
|  |  | Flashing yellow lights. |  |  |
|  |  | White lines on the side of the road. |  |  |
|  |  | [White arrows in the middle of the lanes.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-16) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| You may not cross a single broken white (or yellow) line | | | | |
|  |  | [When to do so would interfere with traffic.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-17) |  |  |
|  |  | When turning left into a driveway. |  |  |
|  |  | When the car in front is disabled. |  |  |
|  |  | When passing to the right on a one-way street. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| When the road is marked with a solid yellow line and a broken yellow line on your side you may pass | | | | |
|  |  | Only in an emergency. |  |  |
|  |  | If you are on an expressway. |  |  |
|  |  | [If traffic is clear.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-18) |  |  |
|  |  | Only at an intersection. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| A solid white line on the right edge of the highway slants in towards your left. That shows that | | | | |
|  |  | There is an intersection just ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | You are approaching a construction area. |  |  |
|  |  | You will be required to turn left just ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | [The road will get narrower.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-19) |  |  |
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| What vehicles must stop at all railroad crossings | | | | |
|  |  | Pick up trucks. |  |  |
|  |  | [School buses and passenger buses carrying passengers.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-20) |  |  |
|  |  | Motorcycles. |  |  |
|  |  | Vehicles towing a trailer. |  |  |
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| What is the appropriate action to take when approaching a railroad crossing that does not have signals (such as lights or crossing gates) | | | | |
|  |  | Always bring the car to a complete stop. |  |  |
|  |  | [Slow down and be prepared to stop.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-21) |  |  |
|  |  | Do nothing; all railroad crossings have signals. |  |  |
|  |  | Increase speed to get across the tracks quickly. |  |  |
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| If traffic prevents you from crossing all the way across a set of railroad tracks, you may proceed only when | | | | |
|  |  | An approaching train is not moving fast enough to be a danger. |  |  |
|  |  | [There is room for your vehicle on the other side.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-22) |  |  |
|  |  | At least one-half of your vehicle can cross the tracks. |  |  |
|  |  | No trains are in sight. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| If an approaching train is near enough or going fast enough to be a danger, you must | | | | |
|  |  | Slow down and proceed with caution. |  |  |
|  |  | [Not cross the tracks until the train has completely passed.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-23) |  |  |
|  |  | Cross the tracks at your own risk. |  |  |
|  |  | Find an alternative route across tracks. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| You may drive around or under a gate that is being lowered or raised at a railroad crossing | | | | |
|  |  | As long as an approaching train is not too close. |  |  |
|  |  | If your vehicle can do so without damaging the gate. |  |  |
|  |  | If you first look carefully in both directions. |  |  |
|  |  | [Under no circumstances.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter04-manual.htm#chap4-24) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| You are waiting in the intersection to complete a left turn. You should | | | | |
|  |  | Signal and keep your wheels turned to the left. |  |  |
|  |  | [Signal and keep your wheels straight.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-1) |  |  |
|  |  | Flash your headlights so the driver will let you get through. |  |  |
|  |  | Drive around the rear of a car if it blocks you. |  |  |
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| Drivers left arm down imageThe driver's left arm and hand are extended downward. This hand signal means that the driver plans to | | | | |
|  |  | Turn left. |  |  |
|  |  | Turn right. |  |  |
|  |  | [Stop.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-2) |  |  |
|  |  | Start up. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Drivers left arm upward imageThe driver's left hand and arm are extended upward. This hand signal means that the driver plans to | | | | |
|  |  | Turn left. |  |  |
|  |  | [Turn right.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-3) |  |  |
|  |  | Come to a stop. |  |  |
|  |  | Go straight ahead. |  |  |
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| You have the right-of-way when you are | | | | |
|  |  | Entering a traffic circle. |  |  |
|  |  | Backing out of a driveway. |  |  |
|  |  | Leaving a parking space. |  |  |
|  |  | [Already in a traffic circle.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-4) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| When you want to make a right turn, your car must be | | | | |
|  |  | Near the center of the street. |  |  |
|  |  | Close to the left side of the street. |  |  |
|  |  | [Close to the right side of the street.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-5) |  |  |
|  |  | Past the center of the intersection when you begin to turn. |  |  |
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| You want to turn left at an intersection. The light is green but oncoming traffic is heavy. You should | | | | |
|  |  | Use the next intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | Wait at the crosswalk for traffic to clear. |  |  |
|  |  | [Wait in the center of the intersection for traffic to clear.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-6) |  |  |
|  |  | Take the right-of-way since you have the light. |  |  |
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| When two vehicles enter an intersection from different highways at the same time, which vehicle must yield the right-of-way | | | | |
|  |  | Either one. |  |  |
|  |  | [Vehicle on the left.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-7) |  |  |
|  |  | Vehicle on the right. |  |  |
|  |  | Neither one. |  |  |
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| You must yield the right-of-way to an approaching vehicle when you are | | | | |
|  |  | Already in a traffic circle. |  |  |
|  |  | Already in an intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | Going straight ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | [Turning left.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-8) |  |  |
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| You come to an intersection which is blocked by other traffic. You should | | | | |
|  |  | Go slowly until the traffic ahead moves. |  |  |
|  |  | Get as close as possible to the other car. |  |  |
|  |  | [Stay out of the intersection until you can pass through.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-9) |  |  |
|  |  | Sound your horn to make the cars move up. |  |  |
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| You drive along a street and hear a siren. You cannot immediately see the emergency vehicle. You should | | | | |
|  |  | Keep driving until you see the vehicle. |  |  |
|  |  | [Pull to the curb and look to see if it is on your street.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-10) |  |  |
|  |  | Slow down but don't stop until you see it. |  |  |
|  |  | Speed up and turn at the next intersection. |  |  |
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| You want to turn right at the next intersection. You should begin to use your turn signal | | | | |
|  |  | At least 50 feet before the turn. |  |  |
|  |  | When you reach the intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | [At least 100 feet before the turn.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-11) |  |  |
|  |  | As soon as you see cars behind you. |  |  |
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| You are making a left turn from a two-way street into a one-way street. When you have completed the turn your car should be | | | | |
|  |  | In the right lane of the street. |  |  |
|  |  | In the center of the street. |  |  |
|  |  | [In the left lane of the street.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-12) |  |  |
|  |  | In the lane with the least traffic. |  |  |
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| What should you do when you are going to enter a roadway from a private road | | | | |
|  |  | Blow your horn to warn cars you are entering the roadway. |  |  |
|  |  | Stop with part of the car on the roadway to warn other drivers. |  |  |
|  |  | Drive out fast to merge smoothly with the traffic. |  |  |
|  |  | [Yield the right-of-way to pedestrians and roadway traffic.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter05-manual.htm#chap5-13) |  |  |
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| What does it mean when a school bus is stopped and its red lights are flashing | | | | |
|  |  | You may pass if no children are on the road. |  |  |
|  |  | [You may not pass while the red lights are flashing.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter06-manual.htm#chap6-1) |  |  |
|  |  | You may pass if you are facing the front of the bus. |  |  |
|  |  | You may pass if it is on the other side of a divided highway. |  |  |
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| You may pass another vehicle on the right if it is waiting to | | | | |
|  |  | Turn right. |  |  |
|  |  | [Turn left.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter06-manual.htm#chap6-2) |  |  |
|  |  | Park at the curb. |  |  |
|  |  | Turn into a driveway on the right. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| The car behind you begins to pass you. You should | | | | |
|  |  | Maintain your speed so traffic will flow smoothly. |  |  |
|  |  | Pull to the right and stop so he can pass. |  |  |
|  |  | [Slow down slightly and stay in your lane.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter06-manual.htm#chap6-3) |  |  |
|  |  | Blow your horn to allow him to pass. |  |  |
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| When you want to overtake and pass another vehicle you should | | | | |
|  |  | Wait for a signal from the other driver. |  |  |
|  |  | Change lanes quickly so the other driver will see you. |  |  |
|  |  | [Signal and pass when safe to do so.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter06-manual.htm#chap6-4) |  |  |
|  |  | Stay close behind so you need less time to pass. |  |  |
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| In general, you should pass vehicles going in the same direction as you are going | | | | |
|  |  | On the right. |  |  |
|  |  | [On the left.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter06-manual.htm#chap6-5) |  |  |
|  |  | Only if the other driver signals it is safe. |  |  |
|  |  | Whenever you have the opportunity to do so. |  |  |
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| In which of the following situations is passing always forbidden | | | | |
|  |  | The vehicle ahead is making a left turn. |  |  |
|  |  | You are on a one-way street which has two lanes. |  |  |
|  |  | [The vehicle ahead is stopped for a pedestrian in a crosswalk.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter06-manual.htm#chap6-6) |  |  |
|  |  | The vehicle ahead is going to park parallel to the curb. |  |  |
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| After you have passed a car you should return to the right lane when you | | | | |
|  |  | [See the front bumper of the other car in your mirror.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter06-manual.htm#chap6-7) |  |  |
|  |  | Have put your turn signal on. |  |  |
|  |  | Have turned your headlights on. |  |  |
|  |  | See the other car's headlights come on. |  |  |
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| You are driving in the middle lane on a three lane expressway. A car begins to pass you on the right. The actions of that driver are | | | | |
|  |  | Wrong because “pass to the left” is a firm rule. |  |  |
|  |  | Wrong because he's passing you in your “blind spot”. |  |  |
|  |  | OK as long as he does it on a limited access highway. |  |  |
|  |  | [OK if no signs forbid passing on the right.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter06-manual.htm#chap6-8) |  |  |
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| A “no standing” sign at a certain location means | | | | |
|  |  | You may never stop your vehicle there. |  |  |
|  |  | You may park there if the driver remains in the vehicle. |  |  |
|  |  | [You may stop temporarily to pickup or discharge passengers.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter07-manual.htm#chap7-1) |  |  |
|  |  | You may stop to load or unload merchandise. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| A “no parking” sign at a certain location means | | | | |
|  |  | You may never stop your vehicle there. |  |  |
|  |  | [You may stop temporarily to load or unload passengers.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter07-manual.htm#chap7-2) |  |  |
|  |  | You may park there if the driver remains in the vehicle. |  |  |
|  |  | You may leave your vehicle unattended for less than 5 minutes. |  |  |
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| A “no stopping” sign means that, unless directed to do so by a policeman, you may stop only | | | | |
|  |  | Long enough to unload packages. |  |  |
|  |  | [To avoid conflict with other traffic.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter07-manual.htm#chap7-3) |  |  |
|  |  | To discharge passengers. |  |  |
|  |  | For less than 5 minutes. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| You may never park | | | | |
|  |  | On a one-way street. |  |  |
|  |  | At the entrance of a building. |  |  |
|  |  | [In a crosswalk.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter07-manual.htm#chap7-4) |  |  |
|  |  | Within 50 feet of a fire hydrant. |  |  |
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| Assuming that the street is level, what should you do after you have finished parallel parking in a space between two other cars | | | | |
|  |  | Leave your front wheels turned toward the curb. |  |  |
|  |  | Make sure your car almost touches the car behind you. |  |  |
|  |  | Move as far forward in the space as possible. |  |  |
|  |  | [Straighten your front wheels and leave room between cars.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter07-manual.htm#chap7-5) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| If you are parked parallel to the curb, you may get out of the car on the traffic side | | | | |
|  |  | During the daytime when other drivers can see you. |  |  |
|  |  | When the traffic light at the closest intersection turns red. |  |  |
|  |  | [When you won't interfere with oncoming vehicles.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter07-manual.htm#chap7-6) |  |  |
|  |  | If you use your four-way flasher first. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Before you leave a parking space which is parallel to the curb you should | | | | |
|  |  | Sound your horn. |  |  |
|  |  | Turn on your four-way flasher. |  |  |
|  |  | [Look for traffic by turning your head.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter07-manual.htm#chap7-7) |  |  |
|  |  | Look for traffic by using your inside rear-view mirror. |  |  |
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| A driver may park in a space reserved for people with disabilities if the vehicle displays license plates for the disabled | | | | |
|  |  | Regardless of who is in the vehicle. |  |  |
|  |  | Only if the driver is disabled. |  |  |
|  |  | [And is carrying the disabled person named on the registration.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter07-manual.htm#chap7-8) |  |  |
|  |  | If someone in the driver's immediate family is disabled. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| In a parking space reserved for people with disabilities, a non-disabled driver | | | | |
|  |  | May park in an emergency. |  |  |
|  |  | May not park, but stop in an emergency. |  |  |
|  |  | May not park or stop, but may stand in an emergency. |  |  |
|  |  | [May neither park, stop nor stand.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter07-manual.htm#chap7-9) |  |  |
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| Minimum speed signs are designed to | | | | |
|  |  | [Keep traffic flowing smoothly.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter08-manual.htm#chap8-1) |  |  |
|  |  | Show current local road conditions. |  |  |
|  |  | Test future traffic signal needs. |  |  |
|  |  | Assure pedestrian safety. |  |  |
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| On a New York State highway where there is no posted speed limit, the fastest you may legally drive is | | | | |
|  |  | 50 |  |  |
|  |  | [55](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter08-manual.htm#chap8-2) |  |  |
|  |  | 60 |  |  |
|  |  | 65 |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| One of the rules of defensive driving is | | | | |
|  |  | Look straight ahead as you drive. |  |  |
|  |  | [Stay alert and keep your eyes moving.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter08-manual.htm#chap8-3) |  |  |
|  |  | Expect that other drivers will make up for your errors. |  |  |
|  |  | Be confident that you can avoid danger at the last minute. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| A safe speed to drive your car | | | | |
|  |  | Is the posted speed limit. |  |  |
|  |  | Is less than the posted speed limit. |  |  |
|  |  | [Depends on the weather and road conditions.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter08-manual.htm#chap8-4) |  |  |
|  |  | Depends on the mechanical skill of the driver. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Seat belts can be most effective as injury preventive devices when they are worn by | | | | |
|  |  | The person driving the car. |  |  |
|  |  | Passengers when they are on a long drive. |  |  |
|  |  | All occupants of a car being driven on an expressway. |  |  |
|  |  | [Passengers and the driver whenever they are in the car.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter08-manual.htm#chap8-5) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| On long trips you can prevent drowsiness by | | | | |
|  |  | Turning on your car radio. |  |  |
|  |  | Slowing down so you can react better. |  |  |
|  |  | [Stopping at regular intervals for a rest.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter08-manual.htm#chap8-6) |  |  |
|  |  | Moving your eyes from side to side as you drive. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| What does alcohol do to your driving skills and judgement | | | | |
|  |  | It helps driving skills but harms your judgement. |  |  |
|  |  | [It harms both driving skills and judgement.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-1) |  |  |
|  |  | It has no effect on either driving skills or judgement. |  |  |
|  |  | It has no effect on judgement but it harms driving skills. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| What kinds of drugs, other than alcohol, can affect your driving ability | | | | |
|  |  | An allergy medicine. |  |  |
|  |  | Marijuana. |  |  |
|  |  | A cold remedy. |  |  |
|  |  | [All of these choices.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-2) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| What effect might alcohol and another drug have when combined in your blood | | | | |
|  |  | [Increase the effects of both.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-3) |  |  |
|  |  | Have no effect on driving ability. |  |  |
|  |  | Reduce the effects of the drug or medicine. |  |  |
|  |  | Reduce the effects of the alcohol. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Blood alcohol content (BAC) depends on each of the following except | | | | |
|  |  | Your body weight. |  |  |
|  |  | How much you drink. |  |  |
|  |  | How much time passes between drinks. |  |  |
|  |  | [How physically fit you are.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-4) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| What happens to your driver's license if you refuse to take a chemical test (breath or blood) | | | | |
|  |  | There is no evidence to find you guilty of drunk driving. |  |  |
|  |  | You cannot be arrested for drunk driving. |  |  |
|  |  | [Your driver's license will be taken away.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-5) |  |  |
|  |  | None of these choices. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| What are the consequences that can result from driving under the influence of alcohol or other drugs | | | | |
|  |  | Possible imprisonment. |  |  |
|  |  | A mandatory fine. |  |  |
|  |  | Driver license revocation. |  |  |
|  |  | [All of these choices.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-6) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| What is the only effective way to reduce your blood alcohol content (BAC) | | | | |
|  |  | Drinking coffee. |  |  |
|  |  | Exercising. |  |  |
|  |  | [Allow your body time to get rid of alcohol.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-7) |  |  |
|  |  | Taking a cold shower. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Drinking alcohol and driving is | | | | |
|  |  | A minor traffic safety problem. |  |  |
|  |  | [A serious traffic safety problem.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-8) |  |  |
|  |  | Safe if you only have a few drinks. |  |  |
|  |  | Only dangerous to the driver who drinks. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| A driver who is taking a non-prescription drug should | | | | |
|  |  | [Read the labels on the drug before driving.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-9) |  |  |
|  |  | Drink alcohol instead. |  |  |
|  |  | Continue to drive. |  |  |
|  |  | Drive only during daylight hours. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Which of the following does alcohol affect | | | | |
|  |  | Recovery from headlight glare. |  |  |
|  |  | Reaction time. |  |  |
|  |  | Judgement of distances. |  |  |
|  |  | [All of these choices.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-10) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Drinking coffee after drinking alcohol | | | | |
|  |  | Decreases blood alcohol content. |  |  |
|  |  | Cancels the effect of the alcohol. |  |  |
|  |  | [Has no effect on blood alcohol content.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-11) |  |  |
|  |  | Increases blood alcohol content. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| On average, the human body can dispose of the alcohol in 12 ounces of beer in about | | | | |
|  |  | [One hour.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-12) |  |  |
|  |  | One day. |  |  |
|  |  | Five minutes. |  |  |
|  |  | Five hours. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| A chemical test is used to measure | | | | |
|  |  | Reaction time. |  |  |
|  |  | [Blood alcohol content.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-13) |  |  |
|  |  | Vision. |  |  |
|  |  | Driving ability. |  |  |
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| Which of the following influence the effects of alcohol | | | | |
|  |  | The amount of food in the stomach. |  |  |
|  |  | The body weight of an individual. |  |  |
|  |  | How much time passes between drinks. |  |  |
|  |  | [All three choices.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-14) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| In this state, what BAC (blood alcohol content) is evidence of intoxication | | | | |
|  |  | 0.05% |  |  |
|  |  | 0.03% |  |  |
|  |  | 0.10% |  |  |
|  |  | [0.08%](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-15) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Which of the following does not happen after drinking | | | | |
|  |  | Your reflexes and reaction time slow down. |  |  |
|  |  | Your judgement of speed and distance is distorted. |  |  |
|  |  | You are less alert. |  |  |
|  |  | [You calm down so you can concentrate.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-16) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| What effect does drinking alcohol and taking a prescription drug or over the counter medicine have | | | | |
|  |  | The medicine reduces the effect of the alcohol. |  |  |
|  |  | The alcohol will help the medicine cure the cold. |  |  |
|  |  | [The combination could multiply the effects of the alcohol.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-17) |  |  |
|  |  | No effect, they are different substances. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| If you drink alcohol socially, what helps insure safe driving | | | | |
|  |  | Drink coffee before driving. |  |  |
|  |  | [Ride home with a friend who has not been drinking.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-18) |  |  |
|  |  | Take a cold shower before driving. |  |  |
|  |  | Stop drinking one-half hour before driving. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Which of the following is true - People driving under the influence of alcohol are | | | | |
|  |  | Not a problem in New York State. |  |  |
|  |  | [Every driver's problem whether they drink or not.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-19) |  |  |
|  |  | A police enforcement problem only. |  |  |
|  |  | Only a problem to those who drink. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Which of the following statements is true about BAC (blood alcohol content) | | | | |
|  |  | [The “breathalyzer” is a test of a person's BAC.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter09-manual.htm#chap9-20) |  |  |
|  |  | A chemical test for BAC is needed for an alcohol conviction. |  |  |
|  |  | BAC levels are reduced by a person's physical fitness. |  |  |
|  |  | After drinking, coffee or a cold shower will lower your BAC. |  |  |
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| Why is driving on an expressway different from driving on an ordinary street | | | | |
|  |  | [You must think faster and handle your vehicle more effectively.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-1) |  |  |
|  |  | Trucks have to go slower on the expressways. |  |  |
|  |  | There is more of a tendency to exceed the speed limit. |  |  |
|  |  | There is more of a tendency to “tailgate.” |  |  |
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| Night driving is dangerous because | | | | |
|  |  | Some traffic signs are less visible at night. |  |  |
|  |  | More vehicles are on the road at night. |  |  |
|  |  | [The distance we can see ahead is reduced.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-2) |  |  |
|  |  | Street lights tend to blur our vision. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Which of the following statements applies to all driving emergency situations | | | | |
|  |  | Always slow down gradually. |  |  |
|  |  | Your first reaction is the best reaction. |  |  |
|  |  | [Think before you act.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-3) |  |  |
|  |  | Apply your brakes immediately. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| You have just left an expressway and are starting to drive on an ordinary highway. You should | | | | |
|  |  | Check your tires for correct pressure. |  |  |
|  |  | [Check your speedometer to keep at the lower speed limit.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-4) |  |  |
|  |  | Stay twice as far behind other cars. |  |  |
|  |  | Change gradually to the lower speed limit. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Your car starts to skid on a slippery road. You should | | | | |
|  |  | Brake quickly and keep the wheel straight. |  |  |
|  |  | Lock your brakes until you come to a full stop. |  |  |
|  |  | [Steer in the direction you want the front wheels to go.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-5) |  |  |
|  |  | Steer toward the side of the road to get off the wet pavement. |  |  |
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| Expressways have “expressway entrance lanes” (acceleration lanes) so that drivers can | | | | |
|  |  | Test their brakes before driving at expressway speeds. |  |  |
|  |  | Stop at the end to wait for a traffic opening. |  |  |
|  |  | [Reach the proper speed before blending with traffic.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-6) |  |  |
|  |  | Test the pickup of their cars. |  |  |
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| When you drive in heavy fog during daylight hours you should drive with your | | | | |
|  |  | Headlights off. |  |  |
|  |  | Parking lights on. |  |  |
|  |  | [Headlights on low beam.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-7) |  |  |
|  |  | Headlights on high beam. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| When driving at night, it is most important for you to | | | | |
|  |  | Use your high beams at all times. |  |  |
|  |  | [Drive within the range of your headlights.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-8) |  |  |
|  |  | Be ready to brake more quickly. |  |  |
|  |  | Watch for cars at intersections. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| If you drive past your exit on an expressway, you should | | | | |
|  |  | Pull onto the shoulder, then back up to the exit. |  |  |
|  |  | [Drive to the next exit and leave the expressway.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-9) |  |  |
|  |  | Make a u-turn at the nearest emergency turn area. |  |  |
|  |  | Make a u-turn at the next service area. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| When you get ready to leave an expressway, you should begin to use your turn signal | | | | |
|  |  | Just as you get to the exit ramp. |  |  |
|  |  | 50 feet before the exit ramp. |  |  |
|  |  | [100 feet before the exit ramp.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-10) |  |  |
|  |  | When you see cars behind you in the exit lane. |  |  |
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| If a tire blows out, the proper thing to do is | | | | |
|  |  | Speed up to gain traction and then pull to the right. |  |  |
|  |  | [Hold the steering wheel firmly, and ease up on the gas.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-11) |  |  |
|  |  | Apply the brakes, then shift into neutral. |  |  |
|  |  | Shift into neutral, then apply the brakes. |  |  |
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| When attempting to stop on a slippery road, the best action to take is to | | | | |
|  |  | Apply the brakes quickly and firmly. |  |  |
|  |  | [Apply the brakes in slow, steady strokes.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-12) |  |  |
|  |  | Shift to a lower gear, do not use the brakes. |  |  |
|  |  | Shift into neutral, do not use the brakes. |  |  |
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| When your right wheels run onto a soft shoulder what is the best way to get back on the highway | | | | |
|  |  | Apply the brakes firmly and steer gently to the left. |  |  |
|  |  | [Ease your foot off the gas and brake gently.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-13) |  |  |
|  |  | Steer hard to the left and then gently to the right. |  |  |
|  |  | Apply the brakes firmly and stop completely. |  |  |
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| If your brake pedal suddenly sinks to the floor, you should first | | | | |
|  |  | [Try to pump it to build up the pressure.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-14) |  |  |
|  |  | Shift into neutral and shut the engine off. |  |  |
|  |  | Try to raise it by hooking your toe under it. |  |  |
|  |  | Apply the parking brake hard to stop the car. |  |  |
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| When you drive at night you can reduce the problem of glare from the headlights of an approaching car by | | | | |
|  |  | [Looking to the lower right side of your lane.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-15) |  |  |
|  |  | Having the inside lights on to make the amount of light equal. |  |  |
|  |  | Looking at the spot on the lower edge of the steering wheel. |  |  |
|  |  | Wearing glasses with lightly tinted lenses. |  |  |
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| You are getting on a highway which has a very short entrance lane. The safest way for you to enter the flow of traffic would be to | | | | |
|  |  | Use as much ramp as possible to get up to cruising speed. |  |  |
|  |  | Use the left lane of the highway to get up to cruising speed. |  |  |
|  |  | [Wait for a large gap in traffic then speed up quickly.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter10-manual.htm#chap10-16) |  |  |
|  |  | Get up to cruising speed gradually so other cars will see you. |  |  |
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| A blind person legally has the right-of-way when crossing the street when he is | | | | |
|  |  | Wearing light-colored clothing. |  |  |
|  |  | [Led by a guide dog, or using a white or metallic cane.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter11-manual.htm#chap11-1) |  |  |
|  |  | Helped by another person. |  |  |
|  |  | Wearing dark-colored glasses. |  |  |
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| A bicyclist differs from a motorist in that he isn't required to | | | | |
|  |  | Obey the same traffic laws. |  |  |
|  |  | Signal all turns. |  |  |
|  |  | Report accidents resulting in serious injury. |  |  |
|  |  | [Insure the bicycle.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter11-manual.htm#chap11-2) |  |  |
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| On a road which has no sidewalks a pedestrian should walk on the | | | | |
|  |  | Side of the road which has the lightest traffic. |  |  |
|  |  | Same side of the road in which traffic is moving. |  |  |
|  |  | [Side of the road facing oncoming traffic.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter11-manual.htm#chap11-3) |  |  |
|  |  | Side of the road which has the heaviest traffic. |  |  |
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| A motorist should know that a bicyclist operating on a roadway must | | | | |
|  |  | [Ride on the right side of the road.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter11-manual.htm#chap11-4) |  |  |
|  |  | Ride on the side of the road facing traffic. |  |  |
|  |  | Ride on either side of the road. |  |  |
|  |  | Ride on the side of the road with the least traffic. |  |  |
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| What does a “slow moving vehicle” emblem look like | | | | |
|  |  | A square red sign. |  |  |
|  |  | A round green sign. |  |  |
|  |  | A diamond-shaped yellow sign. |  |  |
|  |  | [A triangular orange sign.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter11-manual.htm#chap11-5) |  |  |
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| Motorists should be aware that all bicycles used after dark must have | | | | |
|  |  | Reflective handlebar grips. |  |  |
|  |  | [Front headlight and red taillight.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter11-manual.htm#chap11-6) |  |  |
|  |  | White reflectors on the front and rear fenders. |  |  |
|  |  | Brake lights. |  |  |
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| A motorist approaching a bicyclist should | | | | |
|  |  | Speed up to pass him. |  |  |
|  |  | Proceed as usual. |  |  |
|  |  | Swerve into the opposite lane. |  |  |
|  |  | [Exercise extreme caution.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter11-manual.htm#chap11-7) |  |  |
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| You want to back out of your driveway. You see children playing nearby. Before you start to move your car you should | | | | |
|  |  | Race your motor to warn the children that you are moving. |  |  |
|  |  | Sound your horn so the children will hear you. |  |  |
|  |  | [Walk to the back of the car to be sure the way is clear.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/chapter11-manual.htm#chap11-8) |  |  |
|  |  | Tell the children to stay away from the driveway. |  |  |
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| Road Sign 4This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | Slow down and prepare to stop only if cars are approaching you. |  |  |
|  |  | [Come to a full stop, then go when it is safe to do so.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign1) |  |  |
|  |  | Proceed carefully through the intersection, not always stopping. |  |  |
|  |  | Stop only for traffic on an intersecting road. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Road Sign 7This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | Pedestrians only. |  |  |
|  |  | Intersection ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | Hiking trails ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | [School crossing ahead.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign1) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Road sign 5This sign is a warning that you are approaching | | | | |
|  |  | An intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | A crosswalk. |  |  |
|  |  | [A railroad crossing.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign1) |  |  |
|  |  | A blasting zone. |  |  |
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| Road sign 1This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | Merging traffic is approaching from the right. |  |  |
|  |  | Winding road ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | [Right lane ends ahead, stay to the left.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign1) |  |  |
|  |  | Divided highway ahead. |  |  |
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| Road sign 3This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | One-way traffic |  |  |
|  |  | Intersection ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | [Merging traffic from the right.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign2) |  |  |
|  |  | Highway curves ahead. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Road sign 8This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | Divided highway ends. |  |  |
|  |  | One-way traffic ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | Two-way traffic ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | [Keep to the right.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign2) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Road sign 6This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | Continue at your current speed. |  |  |
|  |  | You must stop ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | Speeding is not allowed. |  |  |
|  |  | [There is a traffic signal ahead.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign2) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Road sign 9This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | Don't drink if you are going to drive. |  |  |
|  |  | [Slippery when wet.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign2) |  |  |
|  |  | Road curves ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | You are approaching a hill. |  |  |
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| Road sign 12This sign is used to prevent | | | | |
|  |  | Entrance to full parking lots. |  |  |
|  |  | Entrance to road construction areas. |  |  |
|  |  | Entrance to dead-end streets. |  |  |
|  |  | [Wrong-way entrance on one-way streets and expressway ramps.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign3) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Road sign 10This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | All traffic turn left. |  |  |
|  |  | [No left turn.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign3) |  |  |
|  |  | No U-turn. |  |  |
|  |  | Truck route to the left. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Road sign 16This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | Highway changes ahead to the right. |  |  |
|  |  | Hiking trails ahead to the right. |  |  |
|  |  | Hotel ahead to the right. |  |  |
|  |  | [Hospital ahead to the right.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign3) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Road sign 13This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | Four-lane traffic ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | Divided highway ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | [Two-way traffic ahead.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign3) |  |  |
|  |  | Intersection ahead. |  |  |
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| Road sign 2This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | Slow down if an emergency vehicle is approaching. |  |  |
|  |  | Look both ways as you cross the intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | Always come to a full stop at the intersection. |  |  |
|  |  | [Slow down and be prepared to stop if necessary.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign4) |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Road sign 15This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | No left turn. |  |  |
|  |  | No stopping. |  |  |
|  |  | [No U-turn.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign4) |  |  |
|  |  | Detour ahead. |  |  |
|  | | | | |
| Road sign 11This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | Divided highway ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | One-way traffic ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | Four-lane highway ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | [Divided highway ends.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign4) |  |  |
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| Road sign 14This sign means | | | | |
|  |  | Trucks under 18,000 lbs. allowed. |  |  |
|  |  | [Hill ahead.](http://www.dmv.ny.gov/dmanual/roadsigns.htm#sign4) |  |  |
|  |  | Truck stop ahead. |  |  |
|  |  | No trucks allowed. |  |  |
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