

NEW BRUNSWICK DRIVER'S BEGINNER PRACTICE TEST (SAMPLE)

STUDY GUIDE



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Introduction

Preparing for a certification exam can feel overwhelming, but with the right tools, it becomes an opportunity to build confidence, sharpen your skills, and move one step closer to your goals. At Examzify, we believe that effective exam preparation isn't just about memorization, it's about understanding the material, identifying knowledge gaps, and building the test-taking strategies that lead to success.

This guide was designed to help you do exactly that.

Whether you're preparing for a licensing exam, professional certification, or entry-level qualification, this book offers structured practice to reinforce key concepts. You'll find a wide range of multiple-choice questions, each followed by clear explanations to help you understand not just the right answer, but why it's correct.

The content in this guide is based on real-world exam objectives and aligned with the types of questions and topics commonly found on official tests. It's ideal for learners who want to:

- Practice answering questions under realistic conditions,
- Improve accuracy and speed,
- Review explanations to strengthen weak areas, and
- Approach the exam with greater confidence.

We recommend using this book not as a stand-alone study tool, but alongside other resources like flashcards, textbooks, or hands-on training. For best results, we recommend working through each question, reflecting on the explanation provided, and revisiting the topics that challenge you most.

Remember: successful test preparation isn't about getting every question right the first time, it's about learning from your mistakes and improving over time. Stay focused, trust the process, and know that every page you turn brings you closer to success.

Let's begin.

How to Use This Guide

This guide is designed to help you study more effectively and approach your exam with confidence. Whether you're reviewing for the first time or doing a final refresh, here's how to get the most out of your Examzify study guide:

1. Start with a Diagnostic Review

Skim through the questions to get a sense of what you know and what you need to focus on. Your goal is to identify knowledge gaps early.

2. Study in Short, Focused Sessions

Break your study time into manageable blocks (e.g. 30 – 45 minutes). Review a handful of questions, reflect on the explanations.

3. Learn from the Explanations

After answering a question, always read the explanation, even if you got it right. It reinforces key points, corrects misunderstandings, and teaches subtle distinctions between similar answers.

4. Track Your Progress

Use bookmarks or notes (if reading digitally) to mark difficult questions. Revisit these regularly and track improvements over time.

5. Simulate the Real Exam

Once you're comfortable, try taking a full set of questions without pausing. Set a timer and simulate test-day conditions to build confidence and time management skills.

6. Repeat and Review

Don't just study once, repetition builds retention. Re-attempt questions after a few days and revisit explanations to reinforce learning. Pair this guide with other Examzify tools like flashcards, and digital practice tests to strengthen your preparation across formats.

There's no single right way to study, but consistent, thoughtful effort always wins. Use this guide flexibly, adapt the tips above to fit your pace and learning style. You've got this!

Questions

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- 1. Before making a left turn from a one-way street, where must you position your vehicle?**
 - A. In the center of the road
 - B. Close to the left side of the roadway
 - C. On the right side
 - D. Anywhere within the lane
- 2. How should you react if you are being tailgated?**
 - A. Accelerate to create space
 - B. Change lanes or slow down to allow more space
 - C. Make sudden stops to alert the driver
 - D. Ignore it and maintain your speed
- 3. If there are continuity lines to the right of your vehicle in your lane, what must you do?**
 - A. Change lanes immediately
 - B. You are not required to do anything unless you want to exit
 - C. Slow down and prepare to stop
 - D. Merge right to avoid crossing the lines
- 4. What should you do if you encounter a red light while approaching an intersection?**
 - A. Speed up to clear the intersection
 - B. Stop and wait for the green light
 - C. Proceed if the intersection is clear
 - D. Honk your horn to alert others
- 5. What is the legal blood alcohol concentration (BAC) limit for drivers over 21 years old in most jurisdictions?**
 - A. 0.08%
 - B. 0.05%
 - C. 0.10%
 - D. 0.12%

- 6. Before changing lanes, what must you always do?**
- A. Signal your intention only
 - B. Check the side mirror only
 - C. Signal, check the rear view mirror and check blind spots
 - D. Look for pedestrians only
- 7. Why is it important to stop at the intersection edge when no specific stopping line is present?**
- A. To ensure you have a clear view of oncoming traffic
 - B. To avoid being in the way of cyclists
 - C. To stay in line with other vehicles
 - D. To wait for a traffic light change
- 8. What should you do if you encounter a vehicle turning left while you are on the shoulder?**
- A. Pass the vehicle on the left side
 - B. Drive straight ahead without stopping
 - C. Drive on the paved shoulder to pass
 - D. Alert the driver to hurry up
- 9. How should you handle a tire blowout while driving?**
- A. Hold the steering wheel firmly and slow down gradually
 - B. Quickly apply the brakes sharply
 - C. Turn the steering wheel sharply to regain control
 - D. Speed up to maintain balance
- 10. When can a flashing or revolving red light be used on a police vehicle?**
- A. During traffic stops
 - B. At all times
 - C. When responding to emergencies
 - D. Only in low visibility conditions

Answers

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1. B
2. B
3. B
4. B
5. A
6. C
7. A
8. C
9. A
10. C

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Explanations

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1. Before making a left turn from a one-way street, where must you position your vehicle?

- A. In the center of the road
- B. Close to the left side of the roadway**
- C. On the right side
- D. Anywhere within the lane

Positioning your vehicle close to the left side of the roadway before making a left turn from a one-way street is crucial for safety and proper maneuvering. This positioning allows you to make the turn into the closest lane of the road you are entering, which is typically the leftmost lane. It minimizes your risk of hitting pedestrians or vehicles that may be in the adjacent lanes and helps ensure a smooth transition into the new road. This positioning also indicates to other drivers your intention to turn left, contributing to the overall flow of traffic and enhancing safety by reducing confusion on the road. Ensuring that your vehicle is aligned correctly before executing the turn also helps in avoiding potential collisions with vehicles that might be crossing your path from the opposite direction or pedestrians who may be crossing at intersections.

2. How should you react if you are being tailgated?

- A. Accelerate to create space
- B. Change lanes or slow down to allow more space**
- C. Make sudden stops to alert the driver
- D. Ignore it and maintain your speed

When being tailgated, the best response is to change lanes or slow down to allow more space. This approach creates a safer driving environment for both you and the tailgating driver. By changing lanes, you can let the tailgater pass, which reduces the risk of a collision caused by their aggressive driving. If changing lanes isn't possible, gradually slowing down can encourage the tailgater to create more distance between your vehicles. This strategy not only improves your own safety by reducing stress but also minimizes the chances of a rear-end collision, which is a common risk associated with tailgating situations. Staying calm and managing the situation proactively fosters safer road conditions for everyone involved.

3. If there are continuity lines to the right of your vehicle in your lane, what must you do?

- A. Change lanes immediately
- B. You are not required to do anything unless you want to exit**
- C. Slow down and prepare to stop
- D. Merge right to avoid crossing the lines

When faced with continuity lines to the right of your vehicle in your lane, the situation indicates that those lines signify that you are approaching a point where a lane may lead to an exit or merge. In this context, you are not obliged to take any immediate action unless you plan to exit or merge into the right lane. This means that if you intend to stay in your current lane, you can continue driving without making abrupt changes or adjustments. The presence of continuity lines serves as guidance for drivers, and their primary function is to inform you of the upcoming roadway conditions. You should understand that these lines often indicate areas that might become changing zones, and while it's important to be aware, remaining in your lane without a need to exit is acceptable. Staying calm and driving with awareness is crucial, rather than feeling pressured to change lanes abruptly or adjust your speed unnecessarily. Taking no action unless you intend to exit or merge maintains traffic flow and reduces the risk of confusion or unsafe driving maneuvers.

4. What should you do if you encounter a red light while approaching an intersection?

- A. Speed up to clear the intersection
- B. Stop and wait for the green light**
- C. Proceed if the intersection is clear
- D. Honk your horn to alert others

When approaching an intersection and encountering a red light, the appropriate action is to stop and wait for the green light. This is a fundamental traffic law designed to ensure the safety of all road users. Stopping at a red light helps to prevent collisions with vehicles that have the right of way, as well as keeping pedestrians safe. Obeying traffic signals is crucial for maintaining order on the roads and allowing for smooth traffic flow. Waiting for the green light signifies that it is safe to proceed, ensuring that you are following the rules of the road and reducing the risk of accidents. It's important to remember that traffic lights are in place to coordinate the movement of vehicles and pedestrians, and honoring these signals helps keep everyone safe.

5. What is the legal blood alcohol concentration (BAC) limit for drivers over 21 years old in most jurisdictions?

- A. 0.08%**
- B. 0.05%
- C. 0.10%
- D. 0.12%

The legal blood alcohol concentration (BAC) limit of 0.08% for drivers over 21 years old is widely recognized because it has been established as a standard threshold above which impairment is often statistically associated with increased risk of accidents. This limit reflects a balance between allowing responsible drinking and ensuring road safety. At or above this BAC level, drivers may experience decreased coordination, slower reaction times, and impaired judgment, all of which significantly contribute to the dangers of driving. Most jurisdictions have adopted this limit in their regulations, aligning with research indicating that drivers operating at or above this level are more likely to be involved in crashes. While lower limits exist in some areas for various categories of drivers, such as novice or commercial drivers, the 0.08% mark remains the widely accepted restriction for the general adult population. This threshold emphasizes the importance of individual responsibility when consuming alcohol and reinforces the need to prioritize safety on the roads.

6. Before changing lanes, what must you always do?

- A. Signal your intention only
- B. Check the side mirror only
- C. Signal, check the rear view mirror and check blind spots**
- D. Look for pedestrians only

Before changing lanes, it is essential to signal, check the rear view mirror, and check blind spots. Signaling your intention is necessary to alert other drivers of your maneuver; it is a crucial part of safe driving. Checking the rear view mirror allows you to see vehicles that may be behind you, ensuring you're aware of traffic approaching from the rear. Additionally, checking blind spots is vital because there are areas around your vehicle that may not be visible in your mirrors. This step helps to ensure that there are no vehicles, cyclists, or pedestrians in your blind spots that could pose a danger when you change lanes. By performing all these actions together, you significantly increase your safety and the safety of others on the road when making a lane change.

7. Why is it important to stop at the intersection edge when no specific stopping line is present?

- A. To ensure you have a clear view of oncoming traffic**
- B. To avoid being in the way of cyclists
- C. To stay in line with other vehicles
- D. To wait for a traffic light change

Stopping at the intersection edge when there is no specific stopping line is crucial because it allows drivers to maintain a clear view of oncoming traffic. This practice ensures that as a driver approaches the intersection, they can see any vehicles or pedestrians that may be crossing in front of them or coming from the side. By positioning the vehicle at the edge, drivers can safely assess the situation and make informed decisions about whether it is safe to proceed. The other options, while they may have their own importance in certain contexts, do not primarily address the fundamental safety concern of visibility that is paramount at intersections. For instance, avoiding the way of cyclists is significant, but the primary reason for stopping at the intersection edge is to ensure a better view of potential hazards. Aligning with other vehicles or waiting for a traffic light change is relevant but secondary to the need for clarity in one's surroundings when making critical driving decisions at an intersection.

8. What should you do if you encounter a vehicle turning left while you are on the shoulder?

- A. Pass the vehicle on the left side
- B. Drive straight ahead without stopping
- C. Drive on the paved shoulder to pass**
- D. Alert the driver to hurry up

When you encounter a vehicle turning left while you are positioned on the shoulder, it is important to navigate the situation safely and responsibly. Driving on the paved shoulder to pass the vehicle is the correct action because it allows you to maintain a safe distance from the turning vehicle and avoids the risk of collision. Using the shoulder to pass provides a clear path around the turning vehicle, ensuring that you do not interfere with their maneuver. This also prevents unnecessary delays and helps keep traffic flowing smoothly. It is important to ensure that the shoulder is wide enough and safe to use for a pass, as well as confirming that no other hazards or traffic are present. In contrast, simply passing the vehicle on the left side may not be safe, especially if the vehicle is in the process of turning, as it could lead to a dangerous situation. Driving straight ahead without stopping may not be prudent either, as it could impede the turning vehicle's movement. Lastly, alerting the driver to hurry up is not an advisable action, as it does not contribute to safety and could create stress for the other driver. Therefore, using the paved shoulder is the most practical and safe choice in this scenario.

9. How should you handle a tire blowout while driving?

- A. Hold the steering wheel firmly and slow down gradually
- B. Quickly apply the brakes sharply
- C. Turn the steering wheel sharply to regain control
- D. Speed up to maintain balance

Handling a tire blowout requires a calm and controlled response to ensure the safety of both the driver and passengers. One should hold the steering wheel firmly and slow down gradually in the event of a blowout. This action helps maintain control of the vehicle, preventing it from veering off course due to the loss of tire pressure. Gradually reducing speed allows the driver to safely maneuver the vehicle to the side of the road or a safe area without the risk of skidding or further loss of control. Sudden or sharp actions, such as quickly applying the brakes, can lead to loss of control, as can turning the steering wheel sharply. Additionally, speeding up to maintain balance is counterproductive and dangerous, as it can exacerbate the situation. Overall, the correct approach emphasizes maintaining control and safely slowing the vehicle.

10. When can a flashing or revolving red light be used on a police vehicle?

- A. During traffic stops
- B. At all times
- C. When responding to emergencies
- D. Only in low visibility conditions

A flashing or revolving red light on a police vehicle is primarily used when responding to emergencies. This is an essential safety measure that alerts other drivers and pedestrians to the presence of an emergency vehicle, allowing for a quicker and safer response to incidents requiring immediate attention. When these lights are activated, it signals to others on the road to yield the right of way, ensuring that the police can navigate through traffic efficiently while attending to urgent situations. The use of red lights is specifically regulated to enhance the visibility of law enforcement vehicles in the vicinity of emergencies, allowing officers to perform their duties effectively while ensuring public safety. While the other scenarios may allow for the presence of law enforcement, flashing or revolving red lights are not intended for routine traffic stops or solely for low visibility conditions, as those situations may not necessitate the same urgency and potential disruption to normal traffic flow.

Next Steps

Congratulations on reaching the final section of this guide. You've taken a meaningful step toward passing your certification exam and advancing your career.

As you continue preparing, remember that consistent practice, review, and self-reflection are key to success. Make time to revisit difficult topics, simulate exam conditions, and track your progress along the way.

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We wish you the very best on your exam journey. You've got this!

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