

# Saskatchewan Driver Education GDL Class 7 Learner 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. Don't worry about getting everything right, 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, and take breaks to retain information better.**

## 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.**

## 7. Use Other Tools

**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!**

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## **Questions**

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- 1. What should you do when approaching a yield sign?**
  - A. Speed up and proceed**
  - B. Stop completely**
  - C. Slow down and prepare to stop if necessary**
  - D. Ignore the sign**
- 2. When is it acceptable to use a mobile device while driving?**
  - A. When stopped at a red light**
  - B. When using hands-free technology**
  - C. Only when necessary for navigation**
  - D. When driving on long, empty roads**
- 3. How long is the vehicle impoundment for a second offence under the New Driver Roadside Administrative Licence Suspension Summary?**
  - A. 3 days**
  - B. 7 days**
  - C. 60 days**
  - D. 120 days**
- 4. What is the key purpose of defensive driving?**
  - A. To drive as fast as possible while avoiding obstacles**
  - B. To anticipate and respond to the actions of other road users**
  - C. To always have the right of way**
  - D. To ignore distractions while driving**
- 5. What does a stop line at an intersection signify?**
  - A. The end of the intersection**
  - B. The stopping point for vehicles at an intersection**
  - C. Where to yield to pedestrians**
  - D. The minimum distance to park**

**6. What is the consequence of ignoring the need to check blind spots?**

- A. Increased fuel efficiency**
- B. Higher likelihood of a collision with another vehicle or obstacle**
- C. Improved driving performance**
- D. Reduced insurance premiums**

**7. What is the impoundment period for each offence of contesting speed or racing with other vehicles?**

- A. 7 days**
- B. 15 days**
- C. 3 days**
- D. 30 days**

**8. What do green arrows indicate at traffic signals?**

- A. You can proceed in the direction indicated by the arrow**
- B. You must stop before proceeding**
- C. You should yield to other vehicles**
- D. It is safe to speed through the intersection**

**9. What are the restrictions on a Class 7 learner driver when operating a vehicle?**

- A. Must travel under 60 km/h**
- B. Must have a qualified supervisor and cannot drive at night**
- C. Can only drive with family members**
- D. Cannot use turn signals**

**10. What is the minimum fine for committing a Criminal Code offence by having over 40 mg of alcohol per 100 ml of blood?**

- A. \$1,250**
- B. \$2,250**
- C. \$1,000**
- D. No minimum fine**

## **Answers**

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

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## **Explanations**

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## 1. What should you do when approaching a yield sign?

- A. Speed up and proceed**
- B. Stop completely**
- C. Slow down and prepare to stop if necessary**
- D. Ignore the sign**

When approaching a yield sign, the appropriate action is to slow down and prepare to stop if necessary. A yield sign indicates that you must give the right-of-way to any vehicles or pedestrians in the intersection or on the road you are merging onto. By slowing down, you ensure that you can safely assess the traffic situation and determine whether it's necessary to stop. This measured approach not only adheres to the traffic laws but also promotes safety for yourself and others on the road. If there are no vehicles or pedestrians, you can proceed without stopping, but being prepared to stop is crucial to avoid potential accidents if others are present. Choosing to speed up and proceed would disregard the right-of-way rules and increase the risk of collisions. Stopping completely might be unnecessary if the road is clear but can create confusion or congestion if done at the wrong time. Ignoring the sign entirely disregards the rules of the road and places everyone involved in danger. Therefore, slowing down and preparing to stop aligns with safe driving practices when approaching a yield sign.

## 2. When is it acceptable to use a mobile device while driving?

- A. When stopped at a red light**
- B. When using hands-free technology**
- C. Only when necessary for navigation**
- D. When driving on long, empty roads**

Using a mobile device while driving is only acceptable when utilizing hands-free technology. This is because hands-free systems allow drivers to make phone calls or interact with their devices without needing to take their hands off the steering wheel or eyes off the road. These technologies help minimize distractions, which is crucial for maintaining focus and ensuring safety while driving. In many jurisdictions, laws specifically support the use of hands-free technology as it reduces the likelihood of accidents associated with manual handling of devices. The other scenarios may involve distractions that can detract from the attention necessary for safe driving. For example, stopping at a red light does not eliminate the risks associated with mobile device use. Using a device even momentarily can lead to a delayed reaction to changing traffic signals or unexpected events. Navigational use may be necessary, but if it cannot be executed hands-free, it could compromise driving safety. Lastly, driving on long, empty roads may foster a false sense of security that allows for distractions, which is still unsafe behavior.

### 3. How long is the vehicle impoundment for a second offence under the New Driver Roadside Administrative Licence Suspension Summary?

- A. 3 days
- B. 7 days**
- C. 60 days
- D. 120 days

The vehicle impoundment for a second offence under the New Driver Roadside Administrative Licence Suspension Summary is 7 days. Option A is incorrect because 3 days is typically the vehicle impoundment for a first offence. Option C is incorrect because 60 days is the vehicle impoundment for a third offence. Option D is incorrect because 120 days is the vehicle impoundment for a fourth and subsequent offence. Therefore, B is the correct answer for a second offence.

### 4. What is the key purpose of defensive driving?

- A. To drive as fast as possible while avoiding obstacles
- B. To anticipate and respond to the actions of other road users**
- C. To always have the right of way
- D. To ignore distractions while driving

The key purpose of defensive driving is to anticipate and respond to the actions of other road users. This approach is crucial because it emphasizes proactive awareness and strategic decision-making while driving. By being aware of potential hazards and the behavior of other drivers, pedestrians, and cyclists, a defensive driver can take appropriate actions to prevent accidents. This skill involves observing the surrounding environment, predicting what other road users might do, and being ready to react safely. For instance, noticing a vehicle that is not signaling its turn or a pedestrian who is poised to cross the street allows a defensive driver to adjust their speed or position accordingly. It's about being prepared for unexpected situations rather than simply reacting to them, which helps reduce the risk of collisions and enhances overall road safety.

### 5. What does a stop line at an intersection signify?

- A. The end of the intersection
- B. The stopping point for vehicles at an intersection**
- C. Where to yield to pedestrians
- D. The minimum distance to park

A stop line at an intersection signifies the exact location where vehicles must stop when approaching a stop sign or a traffic signal. This line ensures that drivers have a clear view of oncoming traffic and any pedestrians crossing the road. It helps maintain order and safety at intersections by giving clear instructions to drivers about where they should halt their vehicle. The stop line is typically painted on the pavement and is a crucial element in promoting safe driving practices. Its placement takes into account sightlines and pedestrian crossings, ensuring that vehicles do not obstruct the pedestrian paths. This is why the correct answer emphasizes the importance of the stopping point for vehicles. Understanding this concept is essential for safe driving and adhering to traffic regulations.

**6. What is the consequence of ignoring the need to check blind spots?**

- A. Increased fuel efficiency**
- B. Higher likelihood of a collision with another vehicle or obstacle**
- C. Improved driving performance**
- D. Reduced insurance premiums**

Checking blind spots is a crucial part of safe driving practices because blind spots are areas around a vehicle that the driver cannot see in mirrors. When a driver neglects to check these areas before changing lanes or merging, they risk missing the presence of other vehicles, cyclists, or obstacles. The consequence of ignoring blind spots is a substantially higher likelihood of a collision. If a driver moves into a lane without being aware of another vehicle in their blind spot, they can cause a traffic accident, potentially leading to injuries, vehicle damage, and increased insurance claims. In contrast, other options, such as improved driving performance, increased fuel efficiency, or reduced insurance premiums, do not result from ignoring the necessity to check blind spots. In fact, failure to ensure clear lanes can lead to increased costs and performance issues in driving overall. Thus, the focus on safety emphasizes the importance of consistently checking blind spots as a critical habit for all drivers.

**7. What is the impoundment period for each offence of contesting speed or racing with other vehicles?**

- A. 7 days**
- B. 15 days**
- C. 3 days**
- D. 30 days**

Impoundment periods for offences can vary, but in the specific case of contesting speed or racing with other vehicles, the impoundment period is likely to be longer than for other offences. Option A (7 days) and C (3 days) are too short, and likely to be given for lesser offences. Option B (15 days) may seem like a reasonable choice, but it is not as accurate as option D (30 days) which is likely to be the correct answer. This is because speed contests and racing can be seen as more reckless and dangerous behaviour, therefore warranting a longer impoundment period for the safety of others on the road. Remember to always adhere to speed limits and drive safely to avoid being in this situation.

## 8. What do green arrows indicate at traffic signals?

- A. You can proceed in the direction indicated by the arrow**
- B. You must stop before proceeding**
- C. You should yield to other vehicles**
- D. It is safe to speed through the intersection**

Green arrows at traffic signals signify that drivers are permitted to proceed in the direction that the arrow points, indicating that it is safe to move forward at that intersection. This means you can drive straight, turn left, or turn right, depending on the orientation of the arrow. The green arrow is a clear signal that you have the right of way, allowing you to move confidently without the need to stop or yield, provided it is safe to do so. The other options imply actions that are not applicable when a green arrow is displayed. For instance, a requirement to stop suggests that drivers should come to a halt before moving, which contradicts the purpose of the green arrow. Yielding indicates that drivers must give way to other vehicles or pedestrians, which is not necessary when a green arrow shows that it is your turn to proceed. Lastly, the suggestion to speed through the intersection is not only unsafe but also illegal, as it disregards traffic regulations intended to ensure safety.

## 9. What are the restrictions on a Class 7 learner driver when operating a vehicle?

- A. Must travel under 60 km/h**
- B. Must have a qualified supervisor and cannot drive at night**
- C. Can only drive with family members**
- D. Cannot use turn signals**

The restrictions placed on Class 7 learner drivers are designed to ensure safety and promote responsible driving as they gain experience. A primary requirement is that a learner driver must be accompanied by a qualified supervisor. This supervisor is generally an experienced driver who is at least 18 years old, holds a valid driver's license, and can provide guidance to the learner. Additionally, one significant restriction for Class 7 learners is the prohibition of driving at night. This rule is in place because nighttime driving presents additional challenges, including reduced visibility and increased risk of encountering impaired or unsafe drivers. By limiting night driving, the goal is to minimize these risks as learner drivers develop their skills and confidence. This approach not only supports the learner's personal growth but also helps ensure public safety on the roads. The combination of having a qualified supervisor and restricted nighttime driving creates a safer learning environment for new drivers.

**10. What is the minimum fine for committing a Criminal Code offence by having over 40 mg of alcohol per 100 ml of blood?**

- A. \$1,250**
- B. \$2,250**
- C. \$1,000**
- D. No minimum fine**

Having over 40 mg of alcohol per 100 ml of blood falls under the Criminal Code offence. The minimum fine for this offence is \$1,000, making option C the correct answer. Option A and B both have higher amounts than the minimum fine, making them incorrect. Option D states that there is no minimum fine, which is incorrect as there is a minimum fine specified for this offence.

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# 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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