

Lesson 2

Drinking & Driving Quiz

(For questions one through four, match the **FACT** with the **QUESTION**)

QUESTIONS:	FACTS:
<p>1. What are the chances that anyone might be involved in an alcohol-related crash, even if that person makes the safe decision to never drink and drive?</p> <p>2. What kills the most teenagers in our country?</p> <p>3. How many people in our state have a DWI on their driving record?</p> <p>4. Of all fatal, teenage accidents in our country, how many of those involved the illegal use of alcohol?</p>	<p>a. Auto accidents are the leading cause of death for people between the ages of 16 and 20.</p> <p>b. Alcohol is responsible for 42% of all teen motor vehicle deaths.</p> <p>c. Approximately two in every five Americans will be involved in an alcohol-related crash.</p> <p>d. There are 387,000 Minnesotans with drunken-driving convictions and there are 80,000 with three or more.</p>

<p>Minnesota's "Not a Drop" law: <i>If an officer observes you operating or in physical control of a motor vehicle and determines that you've been drinking, you will lose your license for 30 to 180 days (depending on your driving record).</i></p> <p>5. Why was it necessary to develop such a strict law?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Because persons under the age of 21 make up 10% of all Minnesota drivers, but account for 15% of all fatal accidents. b. The driving ability of young drivers is more likely to be impaired by small amounts of alcohol than that of older drivers. c. Young drivers who have been drinking are more likely to be killed in traffic crashes, even if their BAC is under .08 percent. d. All of the above. <p>6. True or False ? "Operating or in physical control" of a motor vehicle is defined as: Being in the position to manipulate any of the controls that put a motor vehicle into operation. The vehicle does not have to be moving and the keys do not have to be in the ignition.</p> <p>7. When consuming alcohol, which of these mental and physical abilities does a person lose first, thus causing that person to make unsound decisions about how much to drink and how to get home?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Vision b. Reaction time c. Motor skills / coordination d. Judgment e. Attention f. Balance <p>8. Which of the following would be considered a misdemeanor?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. A person under 21 who attempts to purchase alcohol b. A person over the age of 21 consuming alcohol until their BAC is at or above .08 c. A person under 21 who possesses / carries alcohol d. All of the above e. Answers A and C only <p>9. True or False ? Alcohol is a stimulant that speeds up body functions.</p>	<p>10. How does a person's body eliminate 95% of the alcohol in it?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Exhalation b. Oxidation c. Urination d. Perspiration <p>11. What is the most effective way to get the car keys away from an intoxicated person?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. By threatening to call the police the moment that person drives away b. By rationally talking to the person before he or she begins to drink c. By physically wrestling the keys away from the potential drunken driver d. By letting the air out of that person's tires. <p>12. Who can you always count on for a ride no matter where you are or what time it is?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Your parents b. Your best friend c. A taxi cab d. Designated driver <p>13. If a law enforcement officer has probable cause to believe a driver is impaired and is operating (or in physical control) of a motor vehicle, the driver is required to submit to a blood, breath, or urine test. What law enables this?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Minnesota's "Not a Drop" law b. Attributed Cooperation Law c. Implied Consent Law d. Good Samaritan Law <p>14. True or False ? If a 30-year old person refused to take a breathalyzer while driving an ATV, he could have his driving privileges revoked for a full year.</p> <p>15. True or False ? Drinking coffee, taking cold showers, and exercise will help wake a person up, but not sober that person up.</p> <p>16. True or False ? It is possible to go to jail for up to seven years and have a fine of \$14,000 for drinking and driving.</p>
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<p>17. Which of the following would be considered a misdemeanor?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Any person who sells, furnishes, or gives any alcoholic beverage to someone under 21b. A person under 21 who claims to be 21 years of age or older, or uses a false / altered ID or driver's license.c. A person over 21 who claims to be under 21 years of age or younger.d. All of the abovee. Answers A and B only <p>18. Which of the following is NOT an indicator that a driver may be under the influence of alcohol?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Weaving or driftingb. Driving at a speed less than 10 miles per hour below the posted speed limitc. Driving with headlights off at nightd. Braking or signaling erraticallye. Using arm signals to indicate left and right turns <p>19. If you were to notice a car that displayed the warning signs of a drunken driver what is the safest thing to do?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Speed up and pass them so as to escape the hazard immediatelyb. Repeatedly honk your horn at the driver to alert them they may be under the influence of alcoholc. Slow down so you can control the situation, and perhaps stop and call the policed. Shut your lights off so the drunken driver can't see you, and then pass <p>20. True or False ? Alcohol affects all individuals the same way.</p> <p>21. True or False ? A standard shot has the same amount of alcohol as a standard mixed drink, beer, or glass of wine.</p> <p>22. Before anyone begins to drink alcohol, they should HALT, and think about four circumstances when it is unsafe to drink. HALT is an acronym for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Happy, Angry, Lonely, Tiredb. Hungry, Angry, Lonely, Tiredc. Hungry, Agitated, Lazy, Tiredd. Happy, Angry, Lonely, Tall <p>23. Which of the following does NOT have an impact on how alcohol affects an individual?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Genderb. Experience and agec. Body weightd. Geneticse. Blood type <p>24. True or False ? If you drink more than one standard drink per hour, your alcohol concentration will increase.</p> <p>25. True or False ? Alcohol is a common factor in teen suicide.</p>	<p>26. If an American were caught drinking and driving in another country, what would happen?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. People of that country would most likely let it slide because the entire world thinks very fondly of the U.S.b. The American citizen would be extradited back to the statesc. Whatever laws that country has in place would apply to the American (this may include execution)d. The American would serve an automatic one-year jail sentence <p>27. True or False ? The \$680 reinstatement fee and fines (up to \$3000) levied by the court are all a DWI convict would have to pay.</p> <p>28. True or False ? A person under 21 will not have their license suspended if their BAC is below .04.</p> <p>29. True or False ? The state has the right to seize your automobile after a DWI on your second offense if your BAC is .16 or if you have a child younger than 16 in the car.</p> <p>30. True or False ? A person with a provisional license will have their driving privileges suspended for an alcohol violation even if the violation wasn't driving related.</p> <p>31. True or False ? Alcohol is a depressant, which may cause loss of consciousness if a person drinks too much, and this may also lead to a person drowning in his or her own vomit.</p> <p>32. True or False ? Once a person has "passed out," the alcohol in his stomach will no longer have an effect on his or her body.</p> <p>33. True or False ? There are ways to beat the breathalyzer test (ie. placing copper pennies in one's mouth).</p> <p>34. True or False ? If two people of the same weight and same gender both consumed the same amount of alcohol, they would both reach the same percentage of alcohol in their blood.</p> <p>35. True or False ? A person's driving ability will be influenced after only one drink.</p> <p>36. List five safe alternatives to drinking and driving.</p> <p>37. If one were to have a social gathering that included alcohol, what precautions should be administered?</p> <p>38. Why is drinking and driving more of a problem for younger drivers than it is for older drivers?</p> <p>39. What is Vanessa's law?</p> <p>40. Why doesn't Canada, which is similar culturally and geographically, have the same problems with drinking and driving that we in the United States do?</p>
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