
READY, SET, PERMIT
GET READY FOR YOUR INSTRUCTION PERMIT
ENTER PRESENTER MODE AND THEN HIT START BELOW
START

Safe Driving: Hand Position

If your steering wheel was a clock, where should your hands go?

A. 8 and 4

C. 10 and 2

B. 9 and 3

D. Just 12



Safe Driving: Hand Position

If your steering wheel were a clock, where should your hands go?

A. 8 and 4 CORRECT!



- This is a change from the "10 and 2" position a lot of adults were taught. It's now considered safer because it keeps your hands and arms clear of the airbag if it deploys.
- Hold the wheel with your fingers and thumbs, not your palms.
- Sit straight but relaxed. A tense grip actually slows your reaction time.

NEXT QUESTION

Safe Driving: Hand Position

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✗ **Nope! Try Again.**




TURN SIGNALS

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How far before a turn should you signal in West Virginia?

A. 50 ft

C. Only if a car is nearby

B. 200 ft

D. 100 ft



Turn Signals

How far before a turn should you signal in West Virginia?

D. 100 ft
is correct!



Signal before turning,
changing lanes,
entering/exiting a highway, or
pulling away from a curb.

Cancel it once you're done.
A blinker left on confuses
everyone around you.



NEXT QUESTION

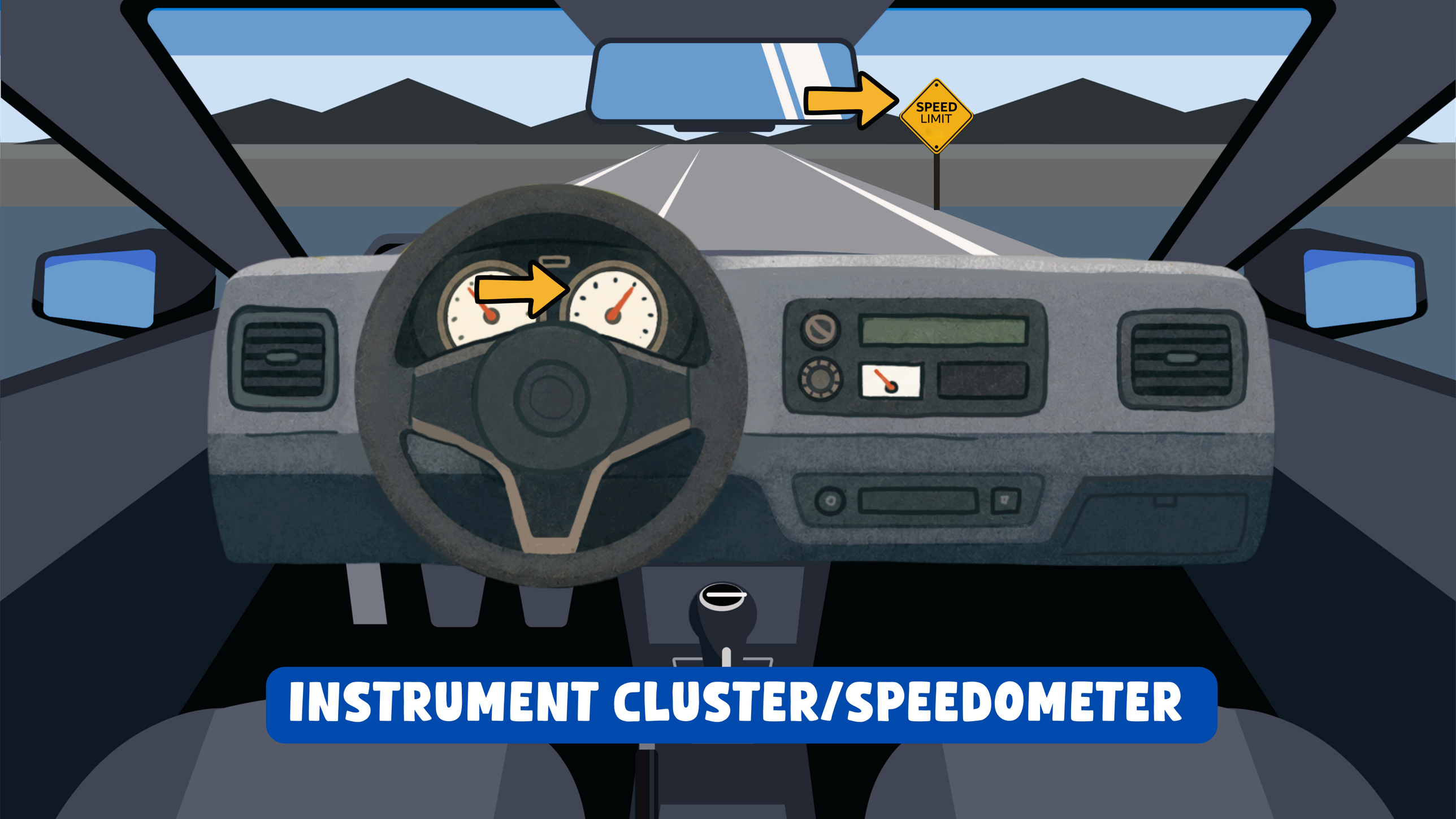
Turn Signals

How far before a turn should you signal in West Virginia?



✗ Nope! Try Again.




SPEED
LIMIT
INSTRUMENT CLUSTER/SPEEDOMETER

Speed Limits in School Zones

What's the speed limit in a WV school zone when kids are present?

A. 15 mph

B. 25 mph

C. 35 mph

D. 45 mph



Speed Limits in School Zones

What is the speed limit in school zones in West Virginia?

A. 15mph is correct!



School zones are reduced-speed areas designed to help protect students around schools.

When children are present, the speed limit is 15 mph. Slowing down gives you more time to react and helps keep everyone safer.



NEXT QUESTION

Speed Limits in School Zones

Watch for school zone signs and be ready to slow down when children are present.



✗ Nope! Try Again.




REARVIEW MIRROR + WINDSHIELD

Following Distance

What's WV's rule of thumb for a safe following distance?

A. One car length per 10 mph

B. The 3-to-4 second rule

C. 50 feet, always

D. However close feels comfortable



Following Distance

What's WV's rule of thumb for a safe following distance?

B. The 3-to-4 second rule is correct!

Pick a fixed point (sign, tree, overpass).
When the car ahead passes it, count
“one-thousand-one, one-thousand-two..."

If you reach that point before hitting 3,
you're too close. Bump it to 4 seconds in rain/dark,
and 6 seconds on snow or ice.

NEXT QUESTION



Following Distance

What's WV's rule of thumb for a safe following distance?

 Nope! Try Again.


SIDE MIRRORS

Blind Spots

Before changing lanes, WV's manual says check your mirrors AND:

A. Sound your horn

B. Flash your lights

C. Do a head check over your shoulder

D. Slow to a stop



Blind Spots

Before changing lanes, WV's manual says check your mirrors AND:

C. Do a head check over your shoulder is correct!

Blind spots are officially defined as "areas on both sides of vehicles where you cannot see without turning your head."

Mirrors alone don't cover them. This is something examiners specifically watch for on the actual road test.



NEXT QUESTION

Blind Spots

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❌ Nope! Try Again.




RADIO/CLIMATE CONTROLS

Headlights in Rain

It's raining during the day and your wipers are on. Do you need headlights?

A. No, only after dark

B. Only in heavy rain

C. Only on the highway

D. Yes, even in daytime rain

Headlights in Rain

It's raining during the day and your wipers are on. Do you need headlights?

D. Yes, even in daytime rain is correct!

WV law requires headlights any time visibility is reduced—rain, fog, or smoke, daytime included.

Dim your brights within 500 ft of an oncoming car, 200 ft behind one you're following.

NEXT QUESTION

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WINDSHIELD / ROAD AHEAD

Pavement Markings

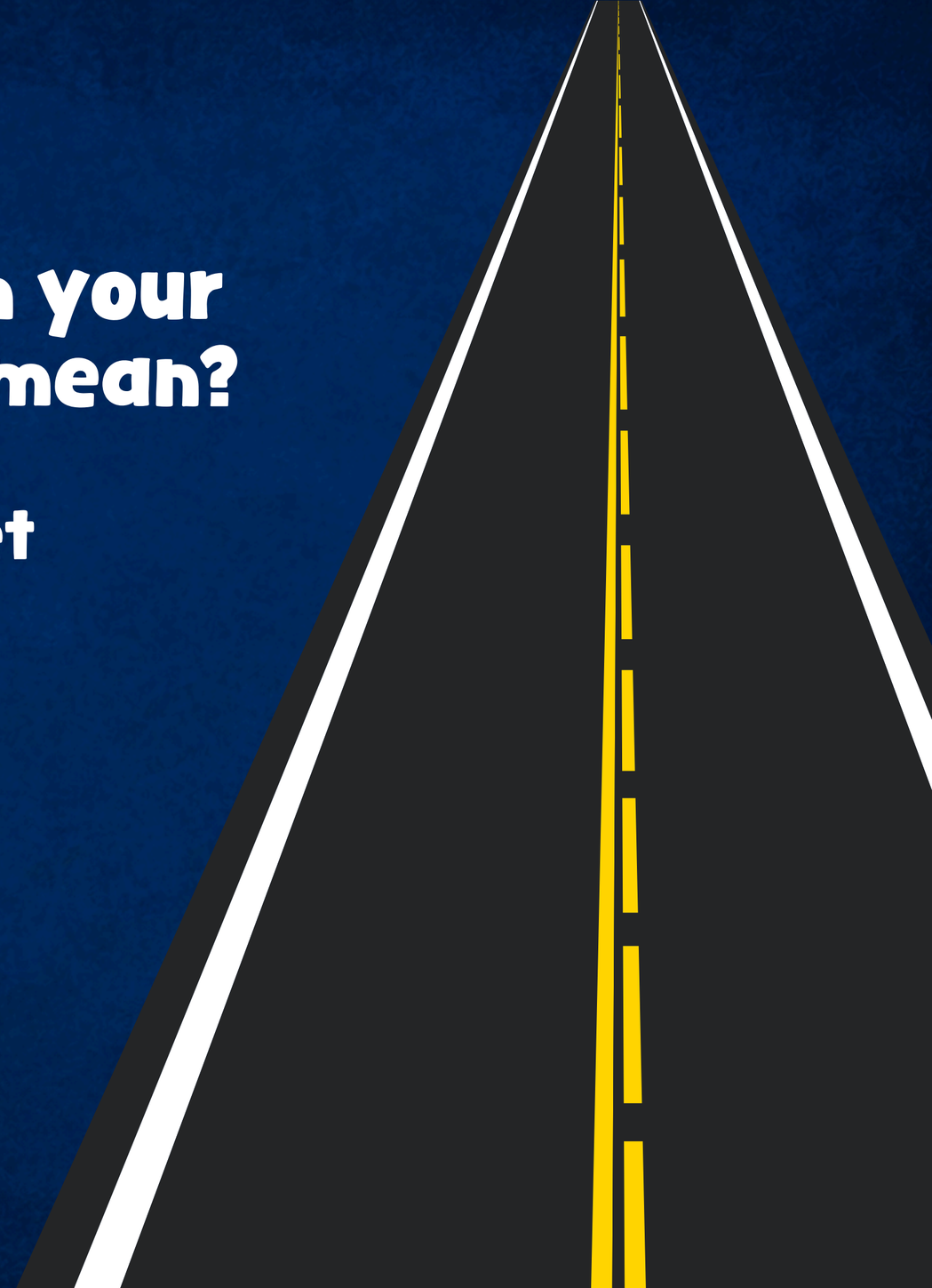
You see a broken yellow line on your side of the road. What does it mean?

A. No passing, ever

B. Passing is OK if it's safe

C. One-way street

D. You're in a turn lane



Pavement Markings

You see a broken yellow line on your side of the road. What does it mean?

B. Passing is OK if it's safe

Yellow lines split opposite-direction traffic; white lines split same-direction traffic.

- Broken = pass when safe
- Solid = don't pass.
- A double broken yellow marks a reversible lane—the one spot you're ever allowed left of a yellow line.

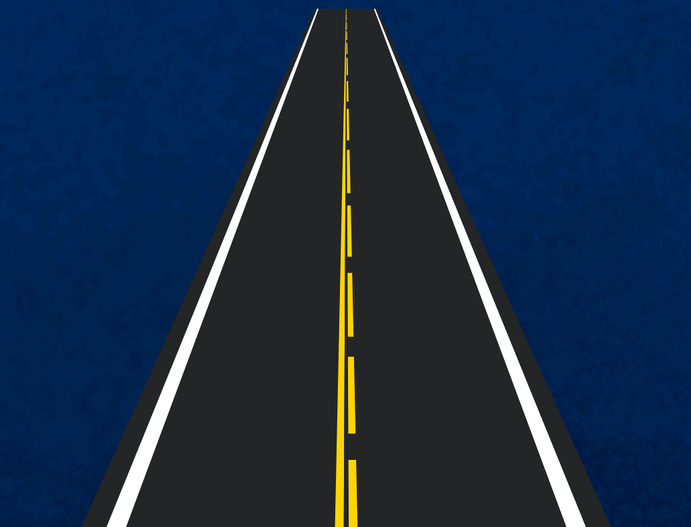


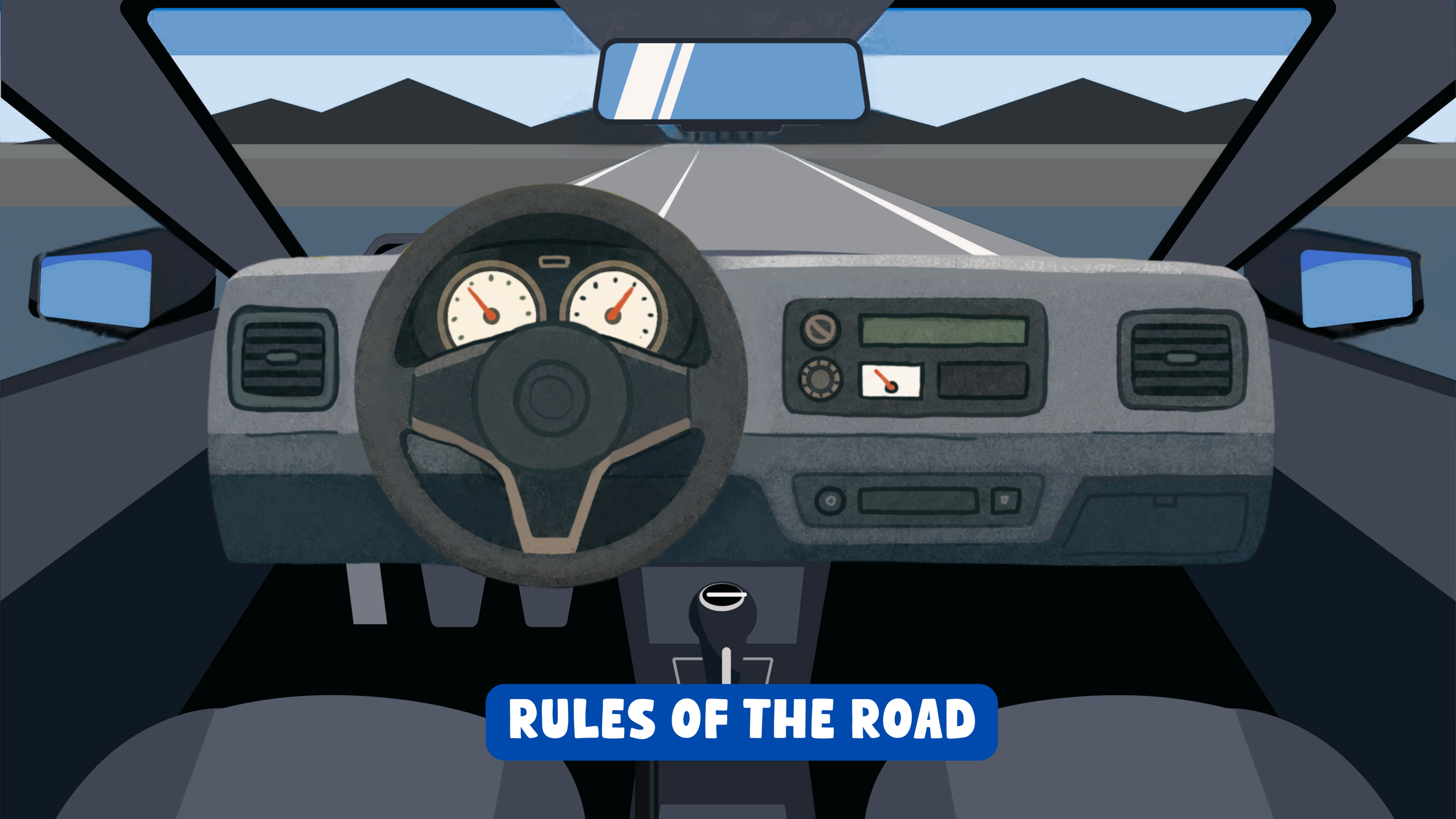
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RULES OF THE ROAD

Level 1 Permit Rules

As a 15-year-old with a Level 1 instruction permit, when can you drive?

A. Only on weekends

B. Only with a parent, no other adult

C. 5:00 am–10:00 pm with a licensed adult 21+ in the front seat

D. Anytime, with any licensed adult



Level 1 Permit Rules

As a 15-year-old with a Level 1 instruction permit, when can you drive?

C. 5:00 am–10:00 pm with a licensed adult 21+ in the front seat is correct!



No sibling/guardian exception in WV like some states have. It must be a licensed driver 21 or older.

Two convictions during Level 1 means your permit gets revoked for 90 days, and you start completely over.

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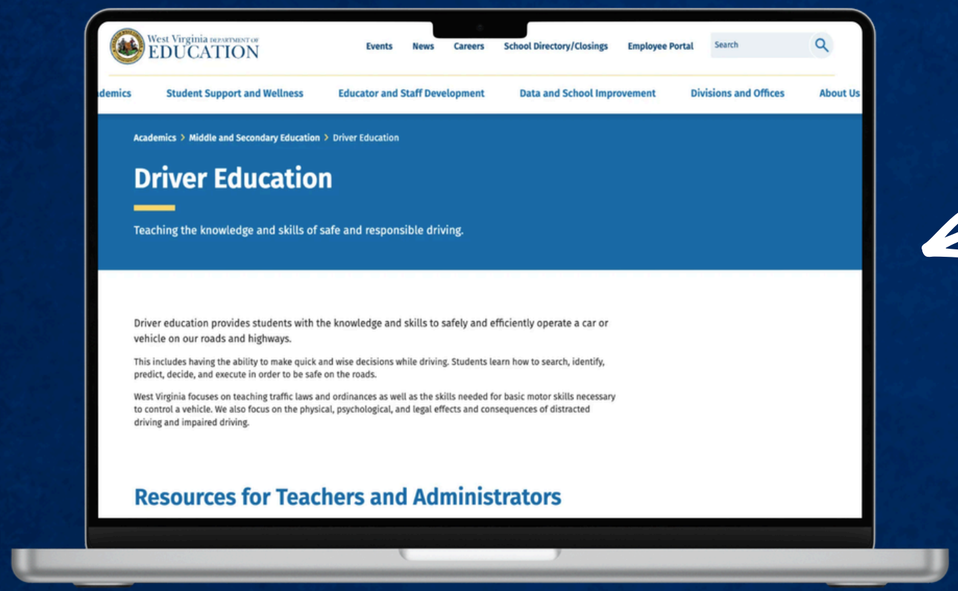
✗ Nope! Try Again.



How Did You Do?

Do you think you're ready to drive?





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You're all done! You can exit the game.