



Minnesota Trucking Driving Championships

Written Examination

June 25, 2022

Instructions

The written examination tests a contestant's general knowledge of the trucking industry, safety, security, health and wellness, driving rules and regulations, as well as first aid measures and fire safety.

All of the questions are taken from ***Facts for Drivers 2022***. The written examination consists of 40 multiple choice questions. Please mark each question on your WHITE answer bubble sheet with either A, B, C, or D. Select the answer which best answers the question. Fill in the oval completely. ****ONLY A FEW QUESTIONS INCLUDED FOR EXAMPLE – ANSWERS IN BOLD**

You will have a maximum of 60 minutes to complete the written examination. You will be notified when there are 10 minutes remaining.

No cell phones, electronic devices, or personal items are permitted in the written examination area.

When you are finished with the written test double check the marks you have made on your answer sheet and then quietly bring your test booklet and answer form to the written test proctor.

Contestant Name: _____

Contestant Class: _____

Contestant Number: _____

Section I – The Trucking Industry

1. How many miles of highways and roads are there in the United States? (Page 26)
 - a. **Over 4.19 million**
 - b. Over 6 million
 - c. Over 2.5 million
 - d. Over 3.67 million

2. **What year** did the Federal Aviation Authorization Act **go into effect** that prohibits States from enacting or enforcing any law or regulation affecting the prices (rates), routes, or services of any motor carrier of property (except household goods)? (Page 22)
 - a. 1994
 - b. 1985
 - c. **1995**
 - d. 2001

Section II – Safety and Security

1. What does SAP stand for? (Page 59)
 - a. Substance Abuse Positive
 - b. Substance Abuse Program
 - c. **Substance Abuse Professional**
 - d. Substance Abuse Positive

2. A 2009 Virtual Tech Transportation Institute study found that texting truck drivers increased their risk of a “safety-critical driving event” by how many times? (Page 50)
 - a. **23.2 times**
 - b. 34.5 times
 - c. 5.9 times
 - d. 6.7 times

Section III – First Aid & Health

1. What are symptoms of shock? (page 139)
 - a. Cool, clammy skin, possibly blue or gray.
 - b. Low blood pressure with a weak and rapid pulse.
 - c. Feelings of nausea and chest pains.
 - d. **All of the above.**

2. What should you NOT do when treating Third-Degree Burns (page 121)
 - a. Gently cover the area of the burn.
 - b. Immerse the large severe burn in cold water**
 - c. Elevate the burned body part(s) above heart level
 - d. Check for signs of breathing.

Section IV – Fire Safety

1. What is the safest way to get through a smoke-filled area? (Page 166)
 - a. Run
 - b. Crawl on hands and knees**
 - c. Spin around
 - d. Bend over

2. Upon arrival, what safety feature should a driver look for at a self-service fueling facility. (Page 164)
 - a. Emergency shut-off for the pumps**
 - b. Fuel nozzle cap
 - c. Store attendant
 - d. Fire extinguisher