

Vermont DMV Cheat Sheet: Key Numbers

The numbers people mix up most often, on one page. Print it or save it as a PDF and review it before your test.

Knowledge test format

questions

20

correct to pass

16 (80%)

Learner's permit and teen license rules by state

Learner's permit from age	15 years old
Hold the permit at least	12 months
Supervised driving hours	40 hours
Of them at night	10 hours
Supervising driver at least	25 years old

Speed limits by state

Rural interstate (max)	65 mph
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Drunk driving laws by state: BAC limits

Drivers 21+	0.08%
Under 21	0.02%
Refusing a chemical test (1st time)	6 months

Parking distances by state

Fire hydrant	6 feet
Crosswalk at an intersection	20 feet
STOP sign or signal	30 feet
Railroad crossing	50 feet
Fire station driveway	20 feet
Wheels from the curb	12 inches

School bus, move over and bicycle passing laws by state

Passing a bicyclist	4 feet
If you cannot move over, slow by	20 mph

License renewal, insurance and points by state

Report a new address within

30 days

Every number is the answer to one of our practice questions and matches a quote from the official handbook. Rules change — check the latest handbook before your test.
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