

Texas Drivers Handbook
SAMPLE Written Exam
(Instructor: Parent name)

1) What is the minimum age at which you can get a Class C driver license without either driver education or being a hardship case ?

18

2) How much is the maximum fine for a first conviction of driving without a license ?

\$ 200

3) What type of restrictions may be placed on your license ?

Restrictions are used to improve the safety of your driving, make you a better driver

A – With Corrective Lenses

B – Licensed or Front Seat Passenger Age 21 or Over

C – Daytime Only

D – Not to Exceed 45 Miles Per Hour

E – No Expressway Driving

I – Motorcycle Not to Exceed 250cc

J – Licensed Motorcycle Operator Age 21 or Over in Sight

K – Moped

L – Vehicles Without Airbrakes, Applies to Vehicles Requiring CDL

M – CDL Intrastate Commerce Only

P – Stated on License

Q – Licensed Front Seat Passenger Age 21 or Over, Vehicle Above Class B

R – Licensed Front Seat Passenger 21 or Over, Vehicle Above Class C

S – Outside Mirror or Hearing Aid

T – Automatic Transmission

U – Applicable Prosthetic Devices

V – Applicable Vehicle Devices

W – Power Steering

4) In what direction should you turn your wheels when parking uphill without a curb ?

Turn Your Wheels to the Right

5) What action should you take if you fail to receive a renewal notice card reminding you that your driver license is about to expire ?

You need to renew your license in person at any Texas Drivers License Office

6) On a one way street, what color is the broken lane marker ?

White

7) Describe the yield sign ?

An equilateral triangle, red & white with "YIELD" in the middle of the sign. The sign tells you the road you are on joins with another road ahead. Slow down or stop if necessary so you can yield the right of way to vehicles on the roadway

8) What does a narrow bridge sign look like and how should the driver react when he sees one ?

The narrow bridge sign means the bridge ahead is not as wide as the road. Slow down and use caution

9) What is the shape of a Keep Right sign and how should the driver react when he sees one ?

A black & white vertical rectangle. The driver should stay to the right of the roadway, sign, etc.

10) Which sign tells you to slow down because you are approaching a double curve ?

11) What does a DO NOT PASS sign mean ?

Do Not Pass Other Vehicles

12) Which sign tells you to keep in the right hand lane when driving slow ?

Slower Traffic Keep Right

13) What does YIELD RIGHT OF WAY mean ?

**To give way first, to allow another to pass first on the roadway
(Vehicles or Pedestrians)**

**14) Describe the equipment required on passenger cars by state
law ?**

Brakes (Foot Brake & Parking Brake)

**Lights (Two Headlights, Two Tail Lights – Except vehicles
manufactured prior to 1960 require only One Tail Light)**

**Brake Lights (Two Brake Lights – Except vehicles manufactured prior
to 1960 require only One Brake Light)**

Turn Signals (Except vehicles manufactured prior to 1960)

License Plate Light (White Light)

Reflectors (Two Red Reflectors)

Parking Lights (White or Amber on the front, Red to the Rear)

Horn (Must be heard by a distance of 200 feet)

**Muffler (All 1968 or later model vehicles must be equipped with an
exhaust emission system to help reduce air pollution)**

Safety Glass (All new cars must have safety glass)

**License Plates (License Plates on the front and the rear of the
vehicle)**

Windshield Wipers (For safety in bad weather)

**Rearview Mirror (Located as to reflect a view of the highway for a
distance of at least 200 feet to the rear of the vehicle)**

Slow-Moving Vehicle Emblem (Farm Tractors & Machinery, Road Construction Machinery, Vehicles designed to travel at 25 miles per hour or less)

Front Seat Belts (If seat belt anchorages were part of the original equipment on the vehicle)

Tires (Must have a minimum tread depth of 2/32nds of an inch)

Fuel Cap

15) What is the purpose of an exhaust emission system ?

To help reduce air pollution

16) Describe the types of equipment which Texas state law specifically forbids on passenger cars driven within the state ?

A red light showing from the front (Except on an emergency vehicle)

A bell, siren or exhaust whistle (Except on an emergency vehicle)

A muffler cutout

Anything that extends more than three inches beyond the left side or six inches beyond the right side of the body, running board or fenders of your car

Flashing red lights on the front (Except on an emergency vehicle, school bus and church bus)

A vehicle must not be modified or weighted in such a manner that the body is below the lowest part of the rims of the wheels

17) How should you react when a traffic officer tells you to do something which is ordinarily considered to be against the law ?

You must obey the traffic officer at all times

18) Once the brakes have been applied, about how many feet does a car which was going 70 miles per hour travel before it comes to a stop ?

387 Feet to Stop

19) When is it necessary to stop before proceeding when you overtake a school bus loading or unloading children ?

Stop when the bus is displaying alternately flashing red lights

20) About how many feet will the average driver going 50 miles per hour travel from the moment he sees danger until he hits the brakes ?

110 Feet

21) Within how many feet of a crosswalk may you park when parking near a corner ?

Do not park within 20 feet of the crosswalk (Must be over 20 feet from the crosswalk or corner)

22) What is the state speed limit for automobiles in an urban district ?

30 Miles Per Hour

23) Does a posted speed limit of 55 miles per hour mean that you may drive 55 miles per hour on that highway under all conditions ?

No. During periods of heavy traffic, inclement weather, low visibility or other poor driving conditions, speed must be adjusted so that accidents will be avoided

24) You should never drive on the left half of the roadway when you are within how many feet from an intersection, bridge or railroad crossing ?

Never drive on the left half of the roadway within 100 feet of an intersection, bridge or railroad crossing

25) What should you do if you discover you are in the wrong lane to make a turn as you enter an intersection ?

Do not turn, continue straight ahead through the intersection

26) When two cars meet at the intersection of a two lane road with a four lane road, which one must yield the right of way ?

Vehicle on the two lane road must yield the right of way

27) If you are driving and hear a siren coming, what should you do ?

Pull to right edge of the roadway if possible and stop. If traffic is too heavy to do so, slow down and leave a clear path for the emergency vehicle

28) What is the first thing that should be done when a car starts to skid ?

Take your foot off the gas pedal / accelerator

29) At what time of day should your headlights be turned on ?

Turn your headlights on one-half hour after sunset to one-half hour before sunrise or any other time when persons or vehicles cannot be seen clearly for at least 1,000 feet

30) Under what conditions may your drivers license be suspended ?

(A Conviction Of):

Driving While Intoxicated (DWI) by use of alcohol or drugs

Drug Offense

Intoxication Manslaughter

Failure To Stop & Render Aid

Causing the death or serious injury of anyone while operating a motor vehicle

Any offense punishable as a felony under the motor vehicle laws of Texas

Overtaking and passing a school bus (Subsequent Conviction)

Boating While Intoxicated

Evading Arrest

Driving While License Invalid

Altered / Unlawful Use of Driver License

Displaying or possessing a driver license or identification card that fictitious or altered

Lending a driver license or identification card to someone else

Possessing more than one valid driver license or identification card

Providing false information or documents when applying for a driver license

Making, selling, or possessing a document deceptively similar to a driver license or identification card issued by the Department of Public Safety

Graffiti

Fictitious license plate, registration certificate or safety inspection sticker

Fraudulent government records

(After An Opportunity For A Proper Hearing For):

Driving While License Suspended

Causing a serious accident while operating a motor vehicle

Becoming incompetent to drive

Repeated violations of traffic laws (4 or more convictions for moving violations occurring separately within any 12 month period or 7 or more with any 24 month period)

Habitual reckless or negligent driving

Permit unlawful or fraudulent use of one's driver license

Violating a driver license endorsement requirement

Two or more convictions for violating a driver license restriction

Failure to comply with the terms of a citation issued by another state that is a member of the Nonresident Violator Compact of 1977

Failure to complete a DWI education program within 181 days if completion is a term of probation upon conviction of DWI

Failure to complete a repeat offender alcohol education program as required when convicted of DWI

Failure to complete a drug education program as required upon conviction of a drug offense

Failure to provide medical information when requested

Failure to take or pass an examination when requested

Fleeing or attempting to flee from a Police Officer

Has committed an offense in another state, which if committed in this state would be grounds for suspension or revocation

Fail to stop for a school bus (Second Conviction)

Violates a Probation Order set by a previous hearing

(Convictions or Failure to comply with the following offenses of persons under 21 years of age includes):

Alcoholic Beverage Code Offense (Minor in Possession, Attempt To Purchase Alcohol by a Minor, Purchase of Alcohol by a Minor, Consumption of Alcohol by a Minor, Misrepresentation of Age by a Minor)

Health and Safety Code Violations (Failure to complete an alcohol or tobacco awareness class when required)

Family Code Violations (Delinquent Conduct by a Minor or Juvenile, Truancy)

Failure to appear or default in payment of a fine for a traffic or a non-traffic violation

Repeated violations of traffic laws (2 or more convictions for moving violations occurring separately within any 12 month period for a driver who has a provisional driver license, 1 or more convictions for a moving violation if the driver holds a 60 day hardship, Minor's Restricted Driver License) license

31) What is carbon monoxide and how may it be harmful to drivers ?

A deadly gas produced by cars. Do Not:

Leave a car motor running in a garage

Leave the car vents open when following closely behind another vehicle

Leave the motor running and the windows closed while the car is parked

Drive with a defective muffler or exhaust system

Operate the heater or air conditioner in a parked car with the windows closed

32) Describe what you should do if you have a blowout while driving ?

Do not slam on the brakes

Take your foot off the gas and gently apply the brakes

Steer straight ahead to a stop

33) What should you do when driving down a steep grade in a car with standard transmission ?

Use a low gear to help slow your vehicle down

34) What should you do if you damage an unattended vehicle ?

Immediately stop and locate the operator or owner of the unattended vehicle and give that person the name and address of the operator and owner of the vehicle that struck the unattended vehicle

OR

Leave in a conspicuous place (or securely attach in a plainly visible way) on the unattended vehicle a written notice giving the name and address of the operator and the owner of the vehicle that struck the unattended vehicle and a statement of the circumstances of the collision

35) When are accident reports required ?

When a crash results in injury to or the death of a person or damage to the property of any one person to an apparent extent of \$ 1,000 or more, you must make a written report of the crash and file the report with the Texas Department Public of Safety no later than the 10th day after the date of the crash

36) If you are required to show proof of financial responsibility for the future, how many years must such proof be kept ?

2 Years

37) What type of sign warns you to watch right and left for cross traffic ?

38) Describe the emblem which identifies vehicles which travel at speeds of 25 miles per hour or less ?

The "Slow Moving Vehicle Emblem" is an equilateral triangle, 16" wide x 14" high, The border is dark red highly reflective / beaded material. The center of the emblem is yellow-orange fluorescent material

39) In which gear should you drive when driving down a steep hill ?

Use a low gear

40) What qualifications must one have to teach a beginner to drive ?

The instructor must be the student's parent, step-parent, grandparent, step-grandparent, foster parent or legal guardian appointed by a court of competent jurisdiction. A power of attorney is not legally sufficient

The instructor must have a valid Texas drivers license for the preceding three years; or if active duty U.S. military personnel or spouse, a valid drivers license from state of permanent residency or last duty station for the preceding 3 years is allowed

The instructor cannot have a conviction (Including a probated sentence) of criminally negligent homicide or driving while intoxicated. In addition, the instructor must not have had their driving privileges suspended, revoked or forfeited in the past three years for traffic related violations

The instructor must not be disabled due to mental illness. Questions as to mental instability will be forwarded to the Medical Advisory Board for determination

41) If the person is under 18, when does his provisional license expire ?

It expires on the applicant's next birth date occurring after the date of the issuance

42) When parked parallel, your curbside wheels must be no more than how many inches from the curb ?

No more than 18 inches from the curb

43) When following another car, what is a good rule to determine the distance at which you should follow behind them ?

Stay at least 2 seconds behind the vehicle ahead of you. In bad weather, increase the time to 4 seconds

44) To what agency and within what time period, must a change of address be reported for drivers license purposes ?

Change of address must be reported to a DPS Drivers License Office within 30 days

45) What effect does the use of marijuana and amphetamine have on driving ?

It will impair the drivers concentration, judgement and the sensory and perceptual skills needed for careful driving

46) What is the penalty for being convicted of Driving While Intoxicated ?

0 to \$2,000 fine and 72 hours to 180 days in jail. Drivers License can be suspended for 90 days to 365 days

47) What does a green arrow showing with a red light mean ?

Proceed carefully in the direction of the arrow after yielding the right of way to other vehicles and pedestrians

48) How should you react to a flashing red light ?

Stop completely before entering the crosswalk or intersection, then proceed when you can do so safely. Vehicles on the intersecting roadway may not have to stop

49) Which sign tells you to watch out for a train ?

50) Describe the sign which warns you to slow down for a winding road ?

51) What sign indicates that the road that you are on merges with another ?

52) What kind of sign warns you that the highest safe speed for the turn ahead is 25 miles per hour ?

53) Describe the sign that tells you to watch for cross traffic ahead ?

54) What type of sign warns you that you should slow down for a sharp rise in the roadway ?

55) Describe the type of sign which would let you know that you were on a short state highway in a city or urban area ?

A Loop Sign

56) What is the maximum number of inches that you may lawfully allow an object to extend beyond the left fender of your car ?

3 inches

57) Under what conditions must you always stop ?

If a train is approaching, STOP

If red lights are flashing at a railroad crossing, STOP

If railroad crossing arms have been lowered, STOP

58) What should you do when coming onto a street from a private alley or driveway ?

Stop prior to the sidewalk, yield the right of way to all approaching vehicles and pedestrians

59) If a child runs into the road 45 to 50 feet ahead of your car, what is the highest speed from which you can stop with good brakes without hitting him ?

Less than 20 miles per hour

(* Less than 15 miles per hour is the best answer if it is listed *)

60) How close to a fire plug may a vehicle lawfully park ?

Must be over 15 feet from a fire plug (Not within 15 feet)

61) What does a posted speed limit of 55 miles per hour mean ?

That is the maximum speed permitted on the roadway for daytime and nighttime

62) What is the maximum speed limit for passenger cars on Texas highway numbered by this state or United States outside an urban district ?

70 Miles Per Hour

63) Under what circumstances should you never attempt to pass a car ahead of you ?

When pavement markings prohibit driving on the left (No Passing Zone)

When there are two or more traffic lanes in each direction

When within 100 feet (About 5 car lengths) of or crossing an intersection or railroad crossing

When on a hill, curve, or any other place where vision is limited

When within 100 feet of a bridge, viaduct or tunnel

64) Under what conditions are overtaking and passing to the right not permitted ?

Do not pass on the right by driving off the paved portion of the highway

65) When a driver is waiting to make a left turn, what is the procedure he should take when the light turns green ?

Yield the right of way if other traffic is approaching from the opposite direction

66) What precautions should a driver take at uncontrolled intersections ?

You shall yield the right of way to any vehicle has entered the intersection on your right or is approaching the intersection from the right. If the road to your right is clear, or is approaching vehicles are far enough from the intersection to make your crossing safe, you may proceed. Make sure there are no approaching vehicles from the left. You may legally have the right of way, but you should be sure the other driver yields to you before you proceed

67) What regulations should a bicycle rider observe ?

A bicycle is a vehicle and any person operating a bicycle has the rights and duties applicable to a driver operating a vehicle, unless it cannot, by its nature apply to a person operating a bicycle. A bicyclist should always obey all traffic laws, signs and signals. Never ride opposite the flow of traffic. Stop at all stop signs and stop at red lights

68) Under what conditions should headlights be used ?

You must use your headlights between one-half hour after sunset to one-half hour before sunrise, or any other time when persons or vehicles cannot be seen for at least a 1,000 feet

69) You should dim your lights when your are within how many feet of an approaching car ?

Within 500 feet of an approaching vehicle

70) What type of lighting should cars used when parked on the highway at night ?

Leave your parking lights or lower beam headlights on

71) Which lights should you use when you are driving in a fog ?

Dim Headlights

72) When are you required to show proof of financial responsibility ?

Proof of financial responsibility must be presented to the proper authorities at the time a person applies for a driver license, registers a motor vehicle or obtains a motor vehicle inspection certificate

Every owner and / or operator of a motor vehicle in Texas is required, as a condition of driving, to furnish upon request, evidence of financial responsibility to a law enforcement officer or to another person involved in a crash

73) When needed, how may one show proof of financial responsibility ?

A liability insurance policy in at least the minimum amounts required by the state

A standard proof of liability insurance form promulgated by the Texas Department of Insurance and issued by a liability insurer that includes the name of the insurer, the

insurance policy number, the policy period, the name and address of each insured

The policy limits or a statement that the coverage of the policy complies with at least the minimum amounts of liability insurance required by the Act

A certificate or copy of certificate issued by the state comptroller that shows the owner of the vehicle has on deposit with the treasurer money or securities in at least the amount (\$ 55,000) required by the Texas Transportation Code

A certificate or copy of a certificate issued by the Department of Public Safety that shows that the vehicle is a vehicle for which a bond is on file with the Department as provided by TRC

A copy of a certificate issued by the county judge of a county in which the vehicle is registered that shows the owner of the vehicle has on deposit with the county judge, cash or a cashier's check in at least the amount (\$ 55,000) required by TRC

A certificate issued by the Department that shows a person has more than twenty-five vehicles registered in his or her name, qualifies as a self-insurer in accordance with TRC

74) What sign warns you that you must slow down ?

75) What circumstances may lead possible loss of your license ?

Suspension / revocation action from another state

Parental authorization withdrawn (For individuals under 18 years of age)

Incomplete driver education

Voluntary surrender for medical or insurance purposes

False statement on application

Delinquent child support

Requirement for a deep lung breath analysis mechanism (Interlock Device)

Failure to repay any overpayment of food stamps or financial assistance

Mentally incapacitated

Chemically dependent

Fail to review annually – classified sex offender

76) In addition to mufflers, what new equipment is required on all cars manufactured in 1968 or after ?

Two Tail Lights

Two Brake Lights

Electric Turn Signals

Two Red Reflectors

Safety Glass

Fuel Cap in Good Condition

77) Why are seatbelts important ?

They prevent you from being thrown from your car (Your chances of being killed are five times greater if you are thrown from your car)

They prevent you from hitting the dashboard too hard

Help you maintain better control of your car

78) What is meant by defensive driving ?

Protecting yourself and others from dangerous and unexpected driving situations by using a space management system

79) What are the different classes of licenses and age requirements for each ?

A) Instruction Permit:

A permit issued without a photograph for the purposes of permitting a student driver to legally practice when accompanied by a licensed driver who is at least 21 years of age and has had at least one year driving experience and who is occupying the seat beside the driver.

Minimum Age: 15 With Driver Education

B) Provisional License:

All original licenses, other than an Instruction Permit, issued to persons under 18 years of age will be marked "Provisional". The license will expire on the applicant's next birth date occurring after the date of issuance. Licensees under 21 years old will have "Under 21" printed on the license

C) Classified Driver License:

Class A, B, C and M licenses are issued to persons who are exempt from obtaining a Commercial Driver License or

persons who are not required to obtain a Commercial Driver License

Class A Driver License permits a person to drive any vehicle or combination of vehicles with a gross combination weight rating of 26,001 pounds or more, provided the gross vehicle weight rating of the vehicle(s) being towed is in excess of 10,000 pounds; including a vehicle included in Class B or Class C, except a motorcycle or moped.

Minimum Ages: 18 or 17 with completion of an approved driver education course, including classroom and practical training or approval of minor's hardship application

Class B Driver License permits a person to drive:

A single unit vehicle with a gross vehicle weight rating of 26,001 pounds or more, and any such vehicle towing either a vehicle with a gross vehicle weight rating that does not exceed 10,000 pounds, or a farm trailer with a gross vehicle weight rating that does not exceed 20,000 pounds

A bus with a seating capacity of 124 passengers or more, including the driver

A vehicle included in Class C

Minimum Ages: 18 or 17 with completion of an approved driver education course, including classroom and practical training or approval of minor's hardship application

Class C Driver License permits a person to drive:

A single unit vehicle or combination of vehicles, that is not a Class A or B and

A single unit vehicle with a gross vehicle weight rating of less than 26,001 pounds, towing a trailer not to exceed

10,000 pounds gross vehicle weight rating or a farm trailer with a gross vehicle weight rating that does not exceed 20,000 pounds

Minimum Ages: 18 or 16 with completion of an approved driver education course, including classroom and practical training or 15 with approval of a minor's hardship application

Class M Driver License permits a person to drive a motorcycle or moped

Minimum Ages: Motorcycle – 18 or 16 with completion of an approved course of driver education (32 hours classroom and the 16 hour Department approved Basic Motorcycle Operator Training Course)

Moped: 15 years of age

Motor-driven cycle of 250cc or less: 15 with Department approval for a minor's hardship license, 15 with completion of an approved course of driver education (32 hours classroom and the 16 hour Department approved Basic Motorcycle Operator Training Course)

D) Commercial Driver License:

The holder of a Commercial Driver License may drive all vehicles in the class for which that license is issued and all lesser classes of vehicles except motorcycles and mopeds. Vehicles that require an endorsement may not be driven unless the proper endorsement appears on the license. Authorization to operate motorcycles must be shown on the Commercial Driver License.

Class A Commercial Driver License permits a person to drive any combination of vehicles with a gross combination weight rating of 26,001 pounds or more, provided the gross vehicle weight rating of the vehicle or vehicles being towed exceeds 10,000 pounds

Minimum Ages: 21 (Interstate commerce driving) or 18 (Intrastate Driving)

Class B Commercial Driver License permits a person to drive any single unit vehicle with a gross vehicle weight rating of 26,001 pounds or more, any one of those vehicles towing a vehicle that does not exceed 10,000 pounds gross vehicle weight rating and any vehicle designed to transport 24 passengers or more, including the driver

Minimum Ages: 21 (Interstate commerce driving) or 18 (Intrastate Driving)

Class C Commercial Driver License permits a person to drive any single vehicle or combination of vehicles that is not a Class A or B if either vehicle is designed to transport 16 to 23 passengers, including the driver or used in the transportation of hazardous materials that require the vehicle to be placarded under 49 C.F.R., Part 172, Subpart F.

Minimum Ages: 21 (Interstate commerce driving) or 18 (Intrastate Driving)

80) When is a bicyclist not required to ride on the right side of the roadway ?

When the bicyclist is overtaking and passing another vehicle proceeding the same direction

The bicyclist is preparing for a left turn at an intersection or onto a private road or driveway

There are unsafe conditions in the roadway such as fixed or moving objects, parked or moving vehicles, pedestrians, animals, potholes or debris

The lane is too narrow for a bicycle and a motor vehicle to safely travel side by side

The bicyclist is on a one-way roadway with two or more marked traffic lanes

81) When are bicyclist allowed to ride two abreast in a traffic lane ?

When they do not impede the normal and reasonable flow of traffic on the roadway. They must ride in a single lane

82) What are the three most common motorist caused car – bicycle accidents ?

A motorist turning left in the face of oncoming bicycle traffic

A motorist turning right across the path of the bicycle traffic

A motorist pulling away from a stop sign, failing to yield right of way to bicycle cross traffic

83) What are the penalties for minors (persons under the age of 21) convicted of Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol ?

First Offense: (17 years of age or older, but less than 21) Class C Misdemeanor, Punishable by a fine up to \$ 500, not less than 20 nor more than 40 hours of community service, Attendance in an Alcohol Awareness Course is required and if the minor is under 18, the parent may be required to attend the course. The minor's driver license will be suspended for 120 days

Second Offense: (17 years of age or older, but less than 21) Class C Misdemeanor, Punishable by a fine up to \$ 500, not less than 40 nor more than 60 hours of community service, The Alcohol Awareness Course may be required

Third Offense: (17 years of age or older, but less than 21) Class B Misdemeanor, Punishable by a fine not less than \$ 500 or more than \$ 2,000, not less than 40 nor more than 60 hours of community service and / or confinement in jail not to exceed 180 days

The court may not give deferred disposition on the third offense of DUI by a Minor

Any Offense DUI by a Minor: (10 years of age or older, but less than 17, Delinquent Conduct under the Family Code) Punishable by a fine up to \$ 500, not less than 40 nor more than 60 hours of community service and the minor's driver license may be suspended (or driving privilege denied)

84) What are the penalties for minors (persons under the age of 21) convicted of non-driving alcohol related offenses ?

Zero Tolerance Law: Provides sanctions for minors who commit offenses under the non-driving alcohol related offenses. Generally speaking, a minor may not purchase, attempt to purchase, falsely state they are 21 years of age or older or present any document that indicates that they are 21 years of age or older to a person engaged in the selling or serving of alcoholic beverages, consume or possess an alcoholic beverage. The penalty upon conviction of one of the above non-driving alcohol related offenses and for Public Intoxication for a minor is as follows:

1st Non-Driving Alcohol Related Offense by a Minor: Class C Misdemeanor, punishable by a fine up to \$ 500, 8 to 12

hours of community service and mandatory attendance of an alcohol awareness course. The minor's drivers license will be suspended (or his / her privilege denied if not licensed) for 30 days

2nd Non-Driving Alcohol Related Offense by a Minor: Class C

Misdemeanor, punishable by a fine up to \$ 500, 20 to 40 hours of community service and may be required to attend an alcohol awareness course. The minor's drivers license will be suspended (or his / her privilege denied if not licensed) for 60 days

3rd Non-Driving Alcohol Related Offense by a Minor (17 years of age

or older, but less than 21): Class B Misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not less than \$ 250 or more than \$ 2,000, not less than 40 no more than 60 hours of community service and / or confinement in jail not to exceed 180 days. The minor's drivers license will be suspended or his / her privilege denied for 180 days. Minors are not eligible for deferred disposition on the third and subsequent convictions

Beginning September 1st, 1999, a minor who is convicted of driving while his / her license is revoked because of a non-driving alcohol related offense is subject to the penalties of Driving While License Invalid (A fine of not less than \$ 100 or more than \$ 500 and confinement in jail for a term of not less than 72 hours or more than 6 months and suspension of your driver license or driving privilege will be automatically extended upon the licensee being convicted of operating a motor vehicle while suspended, canceled or revoked, such extended period of suspension will be for a like period of time as the original suspension, a subsequent conviction is a Class A misdemeanor)

A person who purchases an alcoholic beverage for a minor or who furnishes an alcoholic beverage to a minor can be

punished by a fine up to \$ 2000 and / or confinement in jail for up to 180 days. A person who sells a minor an alcoholic beverage can be punished by a fine up to \$ 4,000 and / or confinement in jail for up to 1 year