

## Passenger Test B

1. Commercial bus drivers must have a CDL if:
  - a) They drive a vehicle that has air brakes.
  - b) They drive a vehicle that is designed to carry more than fifteen (15) passengers including the driver.
  - c) They drive a vehicle that has a gross weight rating of more than 26,000 pounds
  - d) They drive a vehicle that is designed to carry more than nine passengers.
  
2. Carry on baggage cannot be stored:
  - a) On the seats
  - b) Under the seat
  - c) Behind the seats
  - d) In the aisle.
  
3. Buses may carry:
  - a) Small arms ammunition labeled ORM-D
  - b) Car batteries
  - c) Explosives
  - d) Class 1 poisons.
  
4. When arriving at the destination, the driver should announce:
  - a) The location
  - b) The next departure time
  - c) The reason for stopping
  - d) All of the above.
  
5. A disruptive passenger:
  - a) Should not be discharged where it would be unsafe for them.
  - b) Is not your responsibility
  - c) Should not be allowed on the bus
  - d) May be thrown off the bus.
  
6. If your bus leans toward the outside on a banked curve, you are:
  - a) Driving too slow
  - b) Driving on a wet surface
  - c) Driving too fast
  - d) Driving at the correct speed.

7. You must stop your bus between:

- a) 15 and 50 feet before a railroad crossing
- b) 5 to 10 feet before a railroad crossing
- c) 20 to 25 feet before a railroad crossing
- d) None of the above.

8. At the end of each shift you should:

- a) Report any defects
- b) Take all your personal belongings
- c) Inspect your bus
- d) All of the above.

9. The interlock system for the brake and accelerator on a transit coach may be used:

- a) To replace the rear door emergency buzzer
- b) As a safety feature when the exit door is open
- c) To replace the parking brake
- d) All of the above.

10. Your bus is disabled. The bus, with riders aboard, may be towed or pushed to a safe place only:

- e) If getting off the bus would be more risky for the riders
- f) By a tow truck with a GVWR of at least 27,000 pounds
- g) If the distance is less than 1 mile
- h) By another bus with its 4-way flashers on.

11. You may sometimes haul small arms ammunition, emergency shipments of drugs, or hospital supplies on a bus. The total weight of all such hazardous materials must not be greater than \_\_\_\_\_ pounds.

- a) 750
- b) 500
- c) 250
- d) 100.

12. How many seats not securely fastened to the bus are usually allowed?

- a) 0
- b) 1
- c) 2
- d) 3.

13. It is best to wear your seat belt:

- a) Only if your bus holds more than 27 people
- b) Only when you will be driving over 35 mph
- c) Only when driving on sand, gravel or ice covered roads
- d) At all times.

14. Which of the following types of cargo can never be carrier on a bus with riders?

- a) Tear gas
- b) Emergency hospital supplies
- c) Emergency drug shipments
- d) Small arms ammunition (ORM-D).

15. If a rider wants to bring a car battery or a can of gasoline aboard your bus, you should:

- a) Have the rider pay a second fare
- b) Instruct them to sit next to an open window
- c) Not allow them to do it
- d) Tell them they must go to the rear of the bus.

16. Some city transit buses may have a brake-door interlock system, this system:

- a) Should he used in place of the parking brake
- b) Releases the brakes
- c) Should he used in emergencies
- d) Works when the passenger exit doors are open.

17. When it is carried on a bus, hazardous material must be:

- a) Stored in the passenger compartment
- b) Labeled
- c) Packed in a yellow box.
- d) All of the above.

18. You have passed all the requirements for a “Class b” bus driver’s license. Which of these vehicles are you not licensed to drive?

- a) Class a bus
- b) Class b bus
- c) Class c bus
- d) All of these vehicles can he driven with a class b bus license.

19. Federal regulations set an axle weight limit of \_\_\_\_\_ pounds on a tandem axle (four feet apart).

- a) 26,000
- b) 32,000
- c) 34,000
- d) 40,000.

20. You must put a loaded bus into motion from a stopped position on a steep upgrade (4% or more). Which of these is the best technique to follow when you have a bus with a manual transmission?

- a) Accelerate hard and release the clutch quickly
- b) Hold the foot brake until the clutch has been fully released
- c) Slowly release the clutch while releasing the parking brakes
- d) Use the same method that is used when starting on a level surface or downgrade.