

# WORKSHEET LESSON #2

Part I:  
Pre-Driving  
Checks

What are 4 checks must you make before driving a vehicle?

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_

As you approach your vehicle, what things should you look for?

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How should you sit?

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Part II:  
Adjusting the  
vehicle to fit you

How many inches should your chest be from the center of the steering wheel? \_\_\_\_\_

To move the seat the proper distance from the wheel, with your arm extended, your \_\_\_\_\_ should line up with the \_\_\_\_\_.

You should be able to comfortably reach the accelerator and brake pedal without \_\_\_\_\_ your heel.

Adjust the steering wheel so that the top of the wheel is even with \_\_\_\_\_.

How should you grip the wheel?

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Part III:  
Mirror settings  
and use

To adjust the driver's (left) side mirror, move your head: \_\_\_\_\_.

To adjust the passenger's (right) side mirror, move your head: \_\_\_\_\_.

The only way to be sure that the space next to you is open is to:

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How do you know your mirrors are properly adjusted?

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Why should you always lock your doors?

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

Part IV:  
Occupant  
protection

What are the 3 collisions that occur during a crash?

- ❖ \_\_\_\_\_
- ❖ \_\_\_\_\_
- ❖ \_\_\_\_\_

Proper use of Safety Belts during a crash:

- ❖ Increase the chance of survival by \_\_\_\_\_%.
- ❖ Reduce the chance of injury by \_\_\_\_\_%.

Who is responsible for making sure that all passengers are properly belted in?

How should the seatbelt be worn?

What is the head restraint for? \_\_\_\_\_

Where should it be adjusted? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you still need to wear seatbelts if your car has airbags? \_\_\_\_\_

Why are loose objects in the car dangerous?

What are the functions of the following controls:

- ❖ Gear lever: \_\_\_\_\_
- ❖ Accelerator: \_\_\_\_\_
- ❖ Brake pedal: \_\_\_\_\_
- ❖ Parking brake: \_\_\_\_\_
- ❖ Horn: \_\_\_\_\_
- ❖ Turn signal lever: \_\_\_\_\_
- ❖ Hazard lights: \_\_\_\_\_

Part V:  
Vehicle Controls

Why should you turn the headlights on every time you drive?

A driver is \_\_\_\_\_ times more likely to be killed in a crash if: \_\_\_\_\_.

Unbelted  
Teens