

UNIT V LAWS, REGULATIONS & RECOMMENDATIONS SURVEY

Name: _____

Date: _____

Circle the correct answer:

1. T or F Anyone with a Class "C" driver's license with a school bus endorsement can drive any type of school bus.
2. T or F Only students assigned to a school bus by school administration can ride to or from school at district expense.
3. T or F The driver of a car is not required to stop for a school bus displaying the red eight-way lights, with stop arm extended.
4. T or F Your school bus has a carbon dioxide fire extinguisher rated at least 2A10BC.
5. T or F A school bus driver must not have any detectible presence of any alcohol in their system while performing a safety sensitive (physical control of or operating) a school bus.
6. T or F A school bus driver must wear a seatbelt only when students are present on the school bus.
7. T or F The school bus driver should cultivate the eight-light system at least 300 feet before the bus stop in a speed zone of less than 35 mph.
8. T or F The school bus driver should activate the eight-light system at least 300 feet before the bus stop in a speed zone of more than 35 mph.
9. T or F If you drive a school bus in Minnesota, you have automatically given your consent to a test of your blood, breath or urine to determine alcohol concentration.
10. T or F When you approach another school bus, from either direction, and that bus is stopped to load or unload passengers, you should activate the amber portion of your eight-light system and then open the service door slightly to activate the red lights when you stop.

Circle all the letters that apply for each of these multiple-choice questions:

11. When involved in a crash, four things you must do are:
 - a. pull off the road, direct traffic, keep bystanders away and call the police.
 - b. put out the fires, count the students, call the police and check the injured.
 - c. protect the area, notify authorities, care for the injured and collect information on the crash.

12. A yellow circular sign identifies:
 - a. stop
 - b. warning
 - c. railroad crossing ahead
 - d. regulatory

13. Three factors which determine the distance it takes your bus to stop are:
 - a. time of day, ice/snow, and condition of the brakes
 - b. perception distance, reaction distance and braking distance
 - c. speed, vehicle control and steering

14. Rectangular signs mean:
 - a. regulatory guidance
 - b. stop
 - c. construction zone
 - d. railroad crossing directly ahead

15. The open bottle law applies to which of the following:
 - a. commercial trucks
 - b. school busses
 - c. personal vehicles
 - d. all of the above

16. Highway signs that warn of hazards are usually:
 - a. red
 - b. orange
 - c. yellow
 - d. blue

17. You must make an emergency stop on the right side of a level, straight, divided highway. Where should you place the three reflective triangles:
 - a. one within 10 feet of the rear of the bus, one about 100 feet to the rear and one about 100 feet to the front of the bus
 - b. one within 10 feet of the rear of the bus, one about 100 feet to the rear and one about 200 feet to the rear of the bus
 - c. one about 50 feet from the rear of the bus, one about 100 feet to the rear and one about 100 feet from the front of the bus

18. Special warning signs that are used for highway construction and maintenance are usually:
 - a. red
 - b. orange
 - c. yellow
 - d. blue

19. On which type(s) of fire can you use the "A B C" fire extinguisher:
 - a. burning cloth
 - b. burning liquids
 - c. electrical fires
 - d. all of the above

20. Diamond shaped signs mean:
 - a. yield
 - b. school zone
 - c. warning
 - d. regulations

21. A school bus driver must report/disclose what information to their employer:
 - a. A conviction of a moving certified to your driving record
 - b. All parking tickets
 - c. Driver license status changes (suspension, revocation, cancelation or disqualification)
 - d. Both A and C

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This survey is a resource for the trainer to monitor how familiar employees are with the information in Unit 5. This IS NOT a substitute for the required survey on Student Conduct and Students with Special Needs.

1. **False** A driver with a Class “C” driver’s license, with a school bus endorsement, can drive a school bus with a gross vehicle weight rating of 26,000 lbs. or less.

2. **True** Only students assigned to a school bus by school administration can ride to or from school at district expense.

3. **False** All drivers are required to stop for a school bus displaying the red eight-way lights, with stop arm extended.

4. **True** Your school bus has a carbon dioxide fire extinguisher rated at least 2A10BC.

5. **True** A school bus driver must not have any detectible presence of any alcohol in their system while performing a safety sensitive (physical control of or operating) a school bus.

6. **False** A school bus driver must properly wear a seatbelt while the school bus is in operation.

7. **False** The school bus driver should activate the eight-light system at least 300 feet before the bus stop in a speed zone of less than 35 mph.

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