

Part 10

Answers to the Review Questions



Below you will find answers to the review questions contained in sections 2 – 8.
All correct responses are highlighted.

Section 2 The Licensing System in WA

Q1	Which other item must you produce on the day of your practical assessment in addition to your learners permit?	Secondary identification	Primary identification	A recent bill in your name
Q2	What is the minimum number of hours that are required in the log book stage if you have just passed your practical assessment for your first licence?	20	25	30
Q3	What documentation must you produce when applying to remove a 250cc motorcycle restriction?	Primary identification only	Secondary identification only	Both primary and secondary identification
Q4	Whilst learning to ride, you must:	Display 'L' plates at all times.	Display 'P' plates	Wear a fluorescent vest

Section 3 Your Licence and the Law

Q1	What is the penalty for attempting to bribe an officer of the department in order to obtain a licence?	Ban from re-applying	Prosecution	A letter of caution
Q2	Complete the sentence: “Disqualification” means you...	Are not permitted to - hold a driver's licence; apply for a driver's licence, or be granted a driver's licence	Have failed your practical assessment	Need to book another practical assessment to requalify
Q3	Complete the sentence: If your driver's licence is “cancelled” you...	Can recommence driving at the end of the disqualification period (provided the licence is still current/valid)	Must inform the Department that an error has occurred and can drive again once it is fixed	Must apply for a new driver's licence when the disqualification ends in order to ride again
Q4	Complete the sentence: If your driver's licence is ‘suspended’ you...	Can only drive for work related activities	Can recommence driving at the end of the suspension period (provided the licence is still current/valid)	Can never drive again

Section 5 Motorcycle Rules and Regulations

Q1	How many pillion passengers are permitted on a motorcycle that is designed to transport pillion passengers?	One.	Two. Provided they can fit comfortably.	As many as possible.
Q2	When loading your motorcycle it is recommended that you keep the load low, forward, balanced and secure. Forward refers to:	Placing your load on the front of your motorcycle	Placing your load above or in front of the rear axle	Placing your load facing forwards
Q3	What must you wear if you are a passenger being carried in a sidecar?	Something warm	A correctly fitted and securely fastened approved motorcycle helmet	Reflective clothing

Section 6 Your Safety

Q1	If you lose concentration whilst riding, what else is likely to occur?	You will have quick reflexes	Your reaction time will be slower	You will feel ill
Q2	What should you do if you need cough medicine prior to riding?	Ask your doctor, pharmacist or check the medicine label to see if it could affect your riding	Take the medicine an hour before riding	Ride if you feel alright
Q3	What is the minimum permitted tread depth on any tyre before it is considered illegal?	1.7mm	1.0mm	1.5mm
Q4	What is recommended for cleaning your helmet?	Industrial cleaner	White spirits	Mild soapy water

Section 7 Safe Riding Skills

Q1	What should the horn be used for?	Benefitting pedestrians or other road users who have not noticed you	To signal your annoyance	To greet other road users
Q2	When is it vital to check your blind spots?	Changing gear	When changing road position	Slowing down
Q3	How many seconds are recommended to maintain a suitable crash avoidance space when following another vehicle in fine road conditions?	1.5 seconds	2 seconds	3 seconds
Q4	What should you do if another motorist does something that upsets you?	Sound your horn	Flash your headlights several times	Remain calm and not react

Section 8 Riding in Regular Traffic

Q1	Which statement is correct?	Cyclists have an equal right to use the road as other vehicles	Cyclists are not permitted to use roads unless they are marked with cycle lanes	Cyclists have to give way to all other traffic
Q2	If the traffic lights at a four way intersection are not working and the amber lights are flashing, what should you do?	Give way to your left	Give way to your right	Stop and wait for the lights to resume
Q3	How can railway crossings pose an additional hazard to motorcyclists?	The road markings can dazzle motorcyclists	They are harder for motorcyclists to see	By changes in the riding surface
Q4	When two lanes merge, who has right of way?	The vehicle on the left	The vehicle on the right	The vehicle with any portion ahead at the merge point

Section 9 Managing Emergencies

Q1	What must you do if you are involved in a crash where an injury has occurred, or if there is more than \$3,000 damage done to vehicles and/or property (in total), or if the owner of the damaged property is not present?	Report the crash to Police	Advise your insurance company as a priority	Keep a record of events in case someone reports the crash and the Police may wish to interview you
Q2	What is the first thing you must do if you are involved in a crash?	Report it to the Insurance commission of Western Australia	Stop immediately	Exchange names and addresses
Q3	The St John Action plan for first aid uses the acronym ' DRS ABCD '. What does the ' A ' stand for?	Airstrip	Ambulance	Airway
Q4	Why shouldn't you remove an injured motorcyclist's helmet if they are lying on the road?	Because they could catch a chill	Because you may damage their helmet in the process	Because you may risk neck injuries to the casualty