

Chapter 2 Review

Chapter Test

Check Your Knowledge

Multiple Choice Copy the number of each sentence below on a sheet of paper. Choose the letter of the answer that best completes the statement or answers the question.

1. What does a round traffic sign mean?
(a) yield to other traffic (c) stop
(b) railroad crossing (d) pedestrian crossing
2. A construction zone sign is
(a) yellow. (c) green.
(b) blue. (d) orange.
3. Which of the following is not an example of a traffic signal?
(a) flashing lights (c) school zone sign
(b) arrows (d) pedestrian signals
4. Two solid yellow center lines on a two-lane highway indicate
(a) no passing from either way.
(b) passing both ways.
(c) passing only with caution.
(d) passing on the left only.

Completion Copy the number of each sentence below. After each number, write the word or words that complete the sentence correctly.

5. A _____ signal is used at heavy traffic intersections to tell people who are walking whether they should proceed or wait.
6. International traffic signs use _____ rather than words.
7. A lane on a busy street that helps drivers make safer mid-block left turns is called a _____.
8. A _____ sign controls traffic.

Review Vocabulary

Copy the number of each definition in list A. Match the definition in list A with the term it defines in list B.

List A

9. sign that alerts you to possible hazards and road conditions
10. signal that alerts drivers to dangerous conditions or tells them to stop
11. sign set on roadways like primary highways and expressways to keep traffic moving safely
12. signal, usually overhead, that tells whether a lane can or cannot be used at a specific time
13. speed limits set for special conditions such as sharp curves
14. sign that gives directions

List B

- a. flashing signal
- b. lane signal
- c. warning sign
- d. advisory speed limits
- e. guide sign
- f. minimum speed limit

Think Critically

Write a paragraph to answer each question.

1. What is the difference between a *basic speed law*, a *minimum speed limit*, and an *advisory speed limit*?
2. You are planning to drive in a foreign country that has a different language from yours. What can you do to be sure that you will understand the traffic signs?