



TAXI LICENSING

English & Numeracy test for HC & PH Driver

Applicant Name and signature

Name of Examiner(s): _____

Date of Assessment: _____ Identity proven

Start time:

Finish Time:

In order to pass this test, candidates must answer correctly 15 out of 17 questions in Section 1, i.e. 88% and 5 out of 5 questions, i.e. 100%, in Section 2.

Section 1 – Spoken English

1. Examiner asks applicant all 10 of the following questions. The applicant's response will ascertain the applicant's understanding of spoken English in a general context:

No.	Question	Understanding Low / Med / Full
1	What is your address?	0 1 2
2	How long have you lived there?	
3	Tell me what hobbies or interests you have?	
4	Please tell me how you travelled here today – what route did you follow?	
5	Describe the type of work you have done over the past year?	
6	What sports, if any, do you watch or play and why?	
7	What type of TV programmes do you like to watch and why?	
8	Where in the world would you most like to visit and why?	

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9	How many years have you been driving for?	
10	What car would you buy if you had unlimited money and why?	

2. Examiner advises applicant that the following phrases are those that they may come across when working as a hackney carriage or private hire driver.

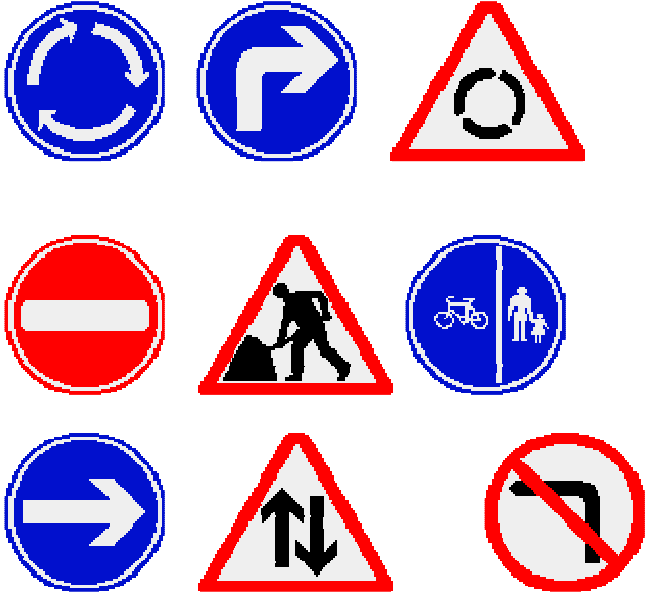
Examiner selects 7 of the following phrases and reads each one out, one at a time, and after each sentence, asks the applicant what they think it means.

No.	Question – What does the following mean.....	Understanding Low / Med / Full
1	Have you got change of a tenner?	
2	There's another drop off after mine.	
3	Why have you charged me too much?	
4	I'm going to throw up!	
5	Can I have a receipt for the fare please?	
6	This isn't the way I normally go.	
7	Don't you ever clean your cab?	
8	Can I bring my guide dog?	
9	How much will it be?	
10	Can I smoke in this car?	
11	I need to get some money from the hole in the wall.	

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3. Examiner advises applicant that the following signs are those that they may come across when working as a hackney carriage or private hire driver.

Examiner selects 3 of the following signs, one at a time, and after each, asks the applicant what they think it means.



Section 2 – Numeracy

1. Examiner asks the applicant 5 of the following questions:

No.	Question	Applicant's Answer	YES / NO
1	What is the change from £20 for a fare of £6.50?	£13.50	
2	What is the change from £15 for a fare of £11.20?	£3.80	
3	What is the change from £10 for a fare of £4.60?	£5.40	
4	What is the change from £50 for a fare of £32.20?	£17.80	
5	What is the change from £5 for a fare of £3.90?	£1.10	
6	What is the change from £20 for a fare of £8.50?	£11.50	
7	What is the change from £30 for a fare of £23.00?	£7.00	
8	What is the change from £10 for a fare of £3.80?	£6.20	
9	What is the change from £20 for a fare of £17.40?	£2.60	
10	What is the change from £25 for a fare of £22.50?	£2.50	

COMMENTS.

Examiner Signature _____

PRINT NAME:

Pass	Fail
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