Name of Student

Date of Birth $\qquad$ Learner's License Number $\qquad$


BACKING (Check each category one time)

| Traffic Observation | $\qquad$ Looks over right shoulder (or uses mirrors on trucks). Keeps looking back until stopped. | $\ldots \ldots$ Fails to look back at all or at least the last 20 feet. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Speed | $\qquad$ Uses smooth acceleration, goes a speed of about 10 mph or less. | Loses control, goes at a dangerous speed. Can't control speed-bad fluctuation of speed. |
| Lane | $\qquad$ Moves in straight line within the lane (two attempts allowed) | $\qquad$ Swerves excessively, hits curb, turn sideways in street, leaves lane completely. |
| STOPPING ON A HILL (UPGRADE) (Check each category one time) |  |  |
| Wheel Turn | $\qquad$ Driver turns wheel in proper direction | $\qquad$ Turns wheel in wrong direction-doesn't fail on this alone |
| Placement | $\qquad$ Driver places vehicle parallel and near the curb or edge of the road | Driver runs vehicle over the curb, panics or loses control (two attempts allowed) |
| Parking Brake | $\qquad$ Driver applies parking brake to secure car on hill | $\ldots$ __Driver does not set parking brake. |

STARTING ON A HILL (UPGRADE) (Check each category one time)

| Traffic Observation | $\qquad$ Driver checks traffic front and rear with mirrors and does blind spot check | $\qquad$ Driver fails to look and causes a collision, or near collision. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Brake Control | $\qquad$ Releases parking brake before moving into traffic | ____Cannot release parking brake, car rolls back several feet. |
| Motor Operation | $\ldots$ ___ Driver moves into traffic smoothly | $\qquad$ Driver accelerates quickly and commits a dangerous action or cannot get vehicle into motion. |
| TURNABOUT (Check each category one time) |  |  |
| Traffic Observation | $\qquad$ Driver looks in all directions before starting the turnabout | $\qquad$ Driver fails to check traffic, causes a collision or near collision |
| Maneuvering | $\qquad$ Driver turns steering wheel in correct directions to back turnabout | $\qquad$ Driver runs over curb, loses control, cannot make maneuver |
| Positioning | $\qquad$ Driver position vehicle correctly from side to side | $\qquad$ Driver cannot position car correctly to complete maneuver |
| POSTURE (Check category one time) |  |  |
| Posture | $\qquad$ Driver sits squarely behind the wheel with both hands on the wheel and can reach all controls | $\qquad$ Driver cannot control the vehicle, can't see out very well because of posture. |

FOLLOWING (Check category one time)

| Following | is aware that weather \& traffic conditions <br> affect following distance | Driver <br> collision |
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## RIGHT OF WAY (Check each category one time)

| Yielding | $\qquad$ Driver shares right-of-way, understands when to yield and not to yield | $\qquad$ Driver takes right-of-way incorrectly, disregards rules, has a collision or near collision, doesn't know they have the right-of-way |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Taking | $\qquad$ Driver takes right-of-way without holding up traffic | $\qquad$ Driver is aggressive, forces others to yield, holds up traffic, has a collision or near collision |
| OTHER SIGNS (Check each category one time) |  |  |
| Action | ___ Driver responds correctly to signs | $\qquad$ Driver ignores the sign, speeds or otherwise breaks the law |
| Observation | $\ldots$ ___ Driver observes traffic signs | $\qquad$ Driver fails to obey traffic signs, has a collision or near collision |

## KEEPING IN LANE (Check one time, going straight ahead)

| Keeping in lane | $\qquad$ Driver uses proper lane, stays in lane without excessive weaving | $\qquad$ Driver straddles center line, drives in wrong lane, changes lanes causing a dangerous action |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ATTENTION (Check category one time) |  |  |
| Attention | $\qquad$ Driver is attentive as all times to other traffic | $\qquad$ Driver is constantly distracted to the point of a collision or almost collision |
| STOP SIGNS (Check each category two times) |  |  |
| Braking | __ __Driver comes to a smooth stop with a small amount of jerking or pumping of the brakes | _ __Driver does not make a complete stop |
| Placement | $\overline{\text { or behind the stops behind the crosswalk }}$ | $\qquad$ Driver enters crosswalk before stopping, endangers others, has collision or near collision |
| TRAFFIC LIGHTS (Check each category two times-score only red lights) |  |  |
| Braking | __ _ Driver approaches at reasonable speed and brakes to a smooth stop without excessive jerking or pumping of brakes | __ _ Driver runs lights, turns right on red without stopping, causes a dangerous action, collision or near collision |
| Placement | _ _ Driver stops behind the crosswalk | __ __Driver goes beyond the crosswalk, gives impression that they may run the light, endangers others |

## RIGHT TURNS (Check each category three times)

| Signal | $\overline{\text { the }} \overline{\text { turn }} \text { __Driver signals in advance of }$ | __ _ _ Driver fails to signal or gives wrong signal, causes a collision or near collision |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lane | $\overline{\text { position }}$ prior to making the turn | $\overline{\text { left that }} \overline{\text { others can pass on right }} \text { Drong lane or too far to the }$ |
| Speed | $\qquad$ _Driver turns at a controlled speed, not too fast or too slow as to affect traffic | $\overline{\text { or too slow }} \quad \text { Driver goes into turn too fast, swings out very wide }$ |
| Turn | $\begin{aligned} & \overline{\text { without crossing a lane of traffic }} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\qquad$ |

## LEFT TURNS (Check each category three times)

| Signal | $\overline{\text { the }} \overline{\text { turn }} \text { - Driver signals in advance of }$ | $\qquad$ _ Driver fails to signal or gives wrong signal, causes a collision or near collision |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lane | $\qquad$ __Driver moves near center line $\overline{\text { prior to the turn or gets into turning lane }}$ correctly | $\qquad$ $\overline{\text { other vehicles to pass on left }}$ |
| Speed | -_ - Driver turns at a controlledspeed, not too fast or too slow as to affect <br> traffic | _ _ _ Driver goes into turn too fast, swings out very wide |
| Turn | $\qquad$ <br> Driver turns left of center point | $\qquad$ _Driver cuts across lane to the extent it interferes with vehicles turning right or turns into wrong lane |
| Waiting | $\qquad$ If oncoming traffic, driver waits at center of intersection or at crosswalk, misses light only once | $\overline{\text { times }}$ — Driver holds up traffic, misses light two or more |

NOTE: ANY check in the failure column means the student is not eligible to receive the SDE certificate.
NOTE: THIS FORM MUST BE KEPT ON FILE FOR A MINIMUM OF TWO YEARS.

