

Vehicle Handling Facts List



Overtaking	
1	You can overtake on the left on a one-way street
2	If you are overtaking at night, you must beware of bends in the road ahead
3	Lots of things can affect your stopping distance including: • the condition of your tyres • the road surfaces • the condition of your brakes • the driver
Box Junctions	
4	You may wait in a box junction when oncoming traffic prevents you from turning right
Fog Lights	
5	Fog Lights may be used when visibility is reduced to 100m or less
6	Turn fog lights off when the fog has cleared
7	If you leave them on, they can dazzle drivers behind and may be confused with brake lights
Weather conditions	
8	If you park on the road when it's foggy, you should leave your parking lights on
9	If the weather is very bad, consider if your journey is essential
10	Check window and lights are clean and clear before setting off in bad weather
Lights	
11	If you're driving at night and you're dazzled by headlights coming towards you, be prepared to slow down or stop
12	Have dipped headlights on if there are cars in front of you
13	Have dipped headlights on in the daytime when visibility is poor

Coasting	
14	It's dangerous to coast as you have less engine and braking control
15	If you coast uphill, you will rapidly lose speed
16	If you coast downhill, you will gain speed more quickly
Other	
17	Rumble Devices are designed to alert you of a hazard and make you aware of your speed
18	Motorcyclists can slide on metal drain covers
19	Chains will help prevent skidding in deep snow