

Documents Facts List



MOT

- 1 A MOT certificate is normally valid for one year after the date it was issued
- 2 If you drive without valid MOT, your insurance may be invalidated
- 3 You can drive without an MOT certificate, when driving to an appointment at an MOT centre
- 4 A new car needs its first MOT when it's 3 years old

Penalty Points

- 5 If you get six penalty points in the first 2 years after you pass your test, you'll have to retake your theory and practical tests

Vehicle Registration Document

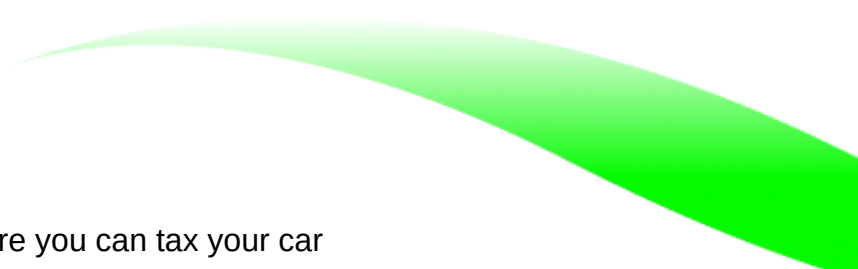
- 6 A vehicle registration document has the registered keepers name and address
- 7 The registered keeper is responsible for ensuring the vehicle registration document is updated
- 8 You must update your vehicle registration certificate when you move to a new house

Insurance

- 9 The legal minimum insurance is Third Party Only. This covers damage to other vehicles
- 10 Before driving someone else's vehicle, you must make sure that the vehicle is insured for you
- 11 A Cover Note is a document issued before you receive your insurance certificate
- 12 The maximum fine for driving for riding without insurance is unlimited

SORN

- 13 SORN (Statutory Off-Road Notification) is a notification to tell the DVLA that a vehicle isn't being used on the road
- 14 SORN is valid until the vehicle is sold, scrapped or taxed



Road Tax

15 You must have valid insurance before you can tax your car

Others

16 If a police officer asks to see your documents, and you don't have them with you, you must produce them within 7 days

17 You must contact the DVLA when your health affects your driving

18 In order to be able to supervise a learner driver, you need to have had a full licence for 3 years, and be at least 21 years old

