



SAFETY CLIPS

SC-2

Vehicle Inspection

Items to inspect: (✓ = okay x = correction needed)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Head Lights | <input type="checkbox"/> Backup Lights |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stop Lights | <input type="checkbox"/> Turn Signals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brake Lights | <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Flashers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Horn | <input type="checkbox"/> Windshield Wipers & Washer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Spare Tire/Tools | <input type="checkbox"/> Current Registration & Tag |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Current Proof of Insurance | <input type="checkbox"/> Tire Wear/Pressure |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Steering | <input type="checkbox"/> Brakes |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parking Brake | <input type="checkbox"/> Seat Belts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drivers License Current | <input type="checkbox"/> Maintenance Records Current |

Unsafe activity to watch for:

- Not using seatbelts
- Following traffic too closely
- Riders in truck/pickup bed
- Driving truck with unsecured/unstable loads
- Speeding in work zone/area
- Multi-tasking while operating vehicle
- Jumping off of truck/pickup bed
- Engine running on unattended vehicle
- Turning on steep incline (rollover)
- Entering & exiting vehicle while refueling
- Driving angry, stressed or fatigued
- Backing up blind w/o spotter
- Driving while under the influence of drugs or alcohol
- Disregarding environmental hazards (fog, traffic, rain, rough terrain, etc.) by driving too fast
- Use of cell phones while driving

Other safety issues noted:

Corrective Actions Taken:

Inspector: _____ Date: _____

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Defensive (Professional) Driving Techniques

- Service and inspect vehicle regularly
- Wear your seat belt
- Concentrate on driving vehicle at all times
- Avoid multi-tasking while operating a vehicle
- Keep a 360 degree escape path/safety buffer zone on the freeway
- Slow down when conditions dictate
- Avoid aggressive drivers (get out of their way)
- Use headlights (be seen)
- Remember, driving is not a competition – get from point 'A' to point 'B' safely
- Do not drive while taking prescription drugs that make you drowsy
- Anticipate what the other drivers are going to do
- Always be courteous, even to unprofessional type drivers
- Avoid road hypnosis by taking breaks during long drives
- Do not use cell phone while driving.

Post Training Questions:

- Why is it important to maintain your vehicle?
- How should you treat aggressive drivers?
- What is a safe distance to follow traffic?
- What is the safety way to use a cell phone while driving?
- What type of work related accident has the highest death rate?

Safety Recommendations by Employees:

Employees in Attendance:

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_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
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Instructor name: _____ Date: _____

Note: This material represents additional resource information for periodic site inspections and employee safety training. It is not intended to meet all mandated compliance issues.

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