

4 STAGE 4 – Learning to Drive Checklist

DRIVING MANOEUVRE	Heavy Traffic? (Tick when completed)	Hazardous* / Night Driving? (Tick when completed)
Broad observation: Observing traffic and watching several cars ahead. Observation of hazards at side of road, pedestrians/cyclists & motorbikes		
Look for changes to traffic conditions, traffic lights, intersections, roundabouts, merging lanes		
Constant monitoring of side and rear mirrors		
Thorough head checks. Ensure learner driver checks their blind spot whenever merging or changing lanes		
Safe following distance is maintained in all driving situations (highway & quiet back streets) Visit the following link to view our video for Following Distance		
Appropriate adjustment of speed (road works, school zones)		
Safely entering traffic when appropriate length gap		
Not competing with other drivers		
10 hours night driving to be completed for log book requirements.		

* A hazardous condition should be interpreted as driving in adverse weather conditions (rain, fog, hail etc.) or during dark hours. Stages One, Two, Three and Four should be revisited when the learner driver is confident to practice in hazardous conditions.