

Safety Questions: Lights

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Question:

Show me how you switch your headlight from dipped to main beam and explain how you would know the main beam is on whilst inside the car

Example answer:

Operate switch (with ignition or engine on if necessary), check with main beam warning light

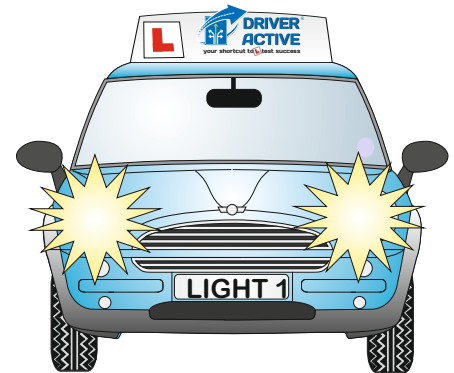
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Question:

Show me how you would switch on the rear fog lights and explain when you would use them.

Example answer:

Operate switch (turn on dipped headlights and ignition if necessary). Check warning light is on. Explain when you would use the fog lights. (No need to exit vehicle) Legal note: Use rear fog lights when visibility is less than 100 metres.



Question: Tell me how you would check that the headlights and tail lights are working.

Example answer:

Operate the light switch, turning on the ignition if necessary, and explain that you would need to get out of the car to physically check the lights. Note: Some vehicles have a 'bulb failed' warning light. Refer to this in your explanation if relevant. (Note that for test purposes you do not need to make a physical check as this is a 'tell me' question, not a 'show me' question - however, remember to physically check your own vehicle lights at the very least once a week!)

Question:

Show me how you would check that the direction indicators are working.

Example answer:

Demonstrate this by applying the indicators or preferably the hazard warning lights and then making a visual check of all indicators.

Note: Care should be taken not to mislead other road users while doing this, also keep a look out for cars when walking around your vehicle - you don't want to get run over before you even start your test!

Lesson Notes:

