

# **Hanscom Flight Training Center**

## **Student Pre-Solo Written Test – Warrior PA28 - 161**

In answering the following multiple choice questions, use the standard multiple choice answer sheets available with the test book. To answer questions where a narrative response is called for, use any appropriate sheet of paper. Indicate the question number being answered and attach it to the multiple choice answer sheet.

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1. What aircraft documents must be on board when flying solo?

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2. What is the minimum safe altitude when flying over a congested area?

- (A) 1,000' above the highest obstacle; within a radius of 1,000'
- (B) 1,000' above the highest obstacle; within a radius of 2,000'
- (C) 2,000' above the highest obstacle; within a radius of 2,000'
- (D) none of the above

3. If departing an airport where an altimeter setting is not available, you should set the altimeter to:

- (A) altimeter setting of closest available airport where a setting is available
- (B) altimeter setting of most recent known barometer setting
- (C) elevation of departing airport
- (D) all of the above

4. When is a go-around appropriate?

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5. If experiencing an engine failure on the takeoff:

- (A) land if remaining runway length permits
- (B) proceed straight ahead if insufficient altitude for a return and slow to minimum controllable airspeed for an off field landing
- (C) proceed straight ahead if there is an insufficient altitude for a return, then when an off field landing site is selected (if one is available), extend flaps to 40°, maintain 63 kts and prepare for an off field landing
- (D) A or C as circumstances warrant

6. If proposing a solo day VFR flight and the landing light and the directional gyro are both inoperative:
  - (A) the flight may be made
  - (B) the flight may not be made
  - (C) the pilot may cancel as he or she may decide
  - (D) the flight may not be made without a flight instructor endorsement in the student logbook
  - (E) both A and C
  
7. Best glide speed in a PA 28-161 is:
  - (A) 44 kts with a 40° flap setting
  - (B) 63 kts with a 40° flap setting
  - (C) 73 kts with a 40° flap setting
  - (D) 73 kts with flaps retracted
  
8. Maximum flap extension speed is:
  - (A) 103 kts
  - (B) shown as a  $\Delta$  on the airspeed indicator
  - (C) 90 kts
  - (D) both A and B
  
9. Maneuvering speed ( $V_A$ ) is:
  - (A) rough air speed
  - (B) the speed above which a full and sudden deflection of the flight controls may cause aircraft structural damage
  - (C) shown on the airspeed indicator as a  $\blacktriangle$
  - (D) none of the above
  
10. Total useable fuel in a Warrior is:
  - (A) 48 gallons fully fueled
  - (B) 34 gallons if fueled to the filler neck indicators
  - (C) 50 gallons if fully fueled
  - (D) both A and C
  
11. Automotive 93 octane fuel:
  - (A) may be mixed 50/50% with aviation 100 LL on a one time only basis
  - (B) may be used on a 25/75% basis in an emergency one time basis
  - (C) may not be used
  - (D) none of the above

12. 100 LL fuel is:  
(A) blue in color  
(B) green in color  
(C) magenta in color  
(D) none of the above

13. If a fuel sample is clear what action should a pilot take:

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14. What is the pattern altitude at Hanscom Field?  
(A) 1,100'  
(B) 1,132'  
(C) 1,200'  
(D) 1,250'

15. What actions should you take if experiencing radio failure approaching Hanscom Field?

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16. Describe pattern entry at a non-towered field.

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17. What is the requirement for entry into the Bedford class D airspace?

- (A) a clearance is required  
(B) communication with the tower must be established  
(C) a clearance is required and identification of immediately preceding aircraft must be acknowledged  
(D) more information is needed

18. If lost, describe what actions you will take:

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19. Hanscom Field is on the :

- (A) 223 R from the Lawrence VOR
- (B) 111 R from the Gardner VOR
- (C) 050 R from the Putnam VOR
- (D) all of the above

20. What is the approximate magnetic heading from Hanscom Field to Lawrence Field?

- (A) 053°
- (B) 223°
- (C) more information is needed
- (D) if C, then what information is needed:

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21. With reference to the Avidyne GPS, describe the steps to proceed from your present position to another point such as an airport.

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