

THINGS TO KNOW FOR THE CDL TEST



4 THINGS TO DO FOR EVERY ITEM

- NAME THE ITEM
- SAY "PMS"
- THEN MENTION "NO BBC'S OR ABS (DEPENDING ON WHICH ONE IT IS)"
- SAY ONE UNIQUE THING ABOUT THE ITEM!

IT'S AS SIMPLE AS 1,2,3,4!

ACRONYMS THAT YOU NEED TO KNOW:



Properly mounted and secured. (say this for all items that you mention!)

PMS

ABC'S

Abrasions, Bulges, & Cuts. This applies to anything soft like a rubber hose, it can also apply to plastics. (the proper way to say this is "No ABC's")

Bends, Breaks, and Cracks. This applies to anything that is hard. Like metal or hard plastics. (the proper way to say this is "No BBC's")

BBC'S

5 C'S

Clean, Clear, (Not) Cracked, (No) Condensation, (The Right) Color. This applies to all lights and reflectors on the vehicle (the proper way to say this is "I'm' looking for the 5 C's")

Anything that has or could have a fluid in it, like hoses or the water pump, look for "No Leaks"

NO LEAKS

NON-FACTORY WELDS

For all suspension and steering components check to see that there are "No Non-Factory Welds."

Every fluid that is required for proper operation, like the Engine Oil, Coolant, Power steering, Hydraulic, Windshield washer, etc... check to see that is "At proper operational levels, between add and full."

OPERATION LEVEL