



Six months left to complete your MOT Annual Training

We are now over halfway through the 2021/2022 MOT Annual Training year. Testers will be suspended if they do not complete their mandatory training & assessment by 31st March 2022.

We have sessions ready & waiting! All you need to do is give us a call & reserve your space!



Q: When can I do my Annual Training & Assessment?

A: It starts from the 1st May 2021. Due to the impact the MOT extension has had on MOT volumes, DVSA are recommending you get your training completed as early as possible.

Q: What is the pass mark this year?

A: It is 80% again this year & there have been lots of changes recently to the guides & manuals so we're expecting another difficult year.

Q: Can I just do the exam?

A: No, every year testers must complete 3 hours of mandatory training & pass the assessment. When DVSA visit sites, they will request to see tester training records. If a tester is unable to produce any records, sanctions will be issued.

Q: What options are there for my Annual Training & Assessment?

A: This year we have listened to feedback from testers & garage owners. It's clear that last years assessment was difficult, therefore our new packages are aimed at providing testers with the necessary confidence & skills to complete the assessment & also support businesses to continue running their day-to-day business. We are completely flexible; courses can be completed in the evenings or weekends. We can plan for courses on an individual or group basis, on or offsite.



Bronze

Assessment only

Completed remotely. Trainees will be required to complete & record their own 3 hours of training.



Silver

3 hours of Training & Assessment

All fully supported throughout with our qualified trainers.



Gold

1 day Upskill

Silver package PLUS workshop session with our trainers to go through the MOT routine & ensure testers are fully up to date.



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The Test Centre

MOT Training

Reminder of the topics for Training & Assessment for 2021-2022

While MOTs are at lower volumes, due to the MOT extension, there is no better time to get your 2021-2022 Annual Assessment done! Here are the topics.

Annual Assessment Topics 2021/22

Class 4 and 7

New Technology

- Lighting systems
- Electric, hybrid and hydrogen
- Health & Safety relating to alternative fuel vehicles
- Carbon fibre components
- 'Fly by wire' steering systems

MOT Testing Requirements

- VE powers and procedures
- Training logs
- Equipment failure, including linked
- Equipment & operating instructions
- Recording of vehicle details
- PRS
- Emissions and smoke test (BET test procedures, smoke test temperature)
- Major – Minor – Dangerous
- Chassis types
- How to deal with technical enquiries

Corrosion and Standards of Repair

- Prescribed areas
- Chassis types
- Suitable materials
- Bonded repairs
- Repairs to steel and alloy wheels
- Carbon fibre components
- Brake pipes

Class 1 and 2

New Technology

- Lighting systems
- Electric, hybrid and hydrogen
- Health & Safety relating to alternative fuel vehicles
- Carbon fibre components

Test Procedures

- Correct methods to raise suspension
- Linked brake systems/decelerometers
- Headlamp patterns
- Assessing repaired lamps
- Additional stop lamps
- What defines a motorcycle as 'off road' in relation to lighting

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- Training logs
- Equipment failure
- Equipment & operating instructions
- Recording of vehicle details
- PRS
- Emissions test
- Major – Minor – Dangerous
- How to deal with technical enquiries

Corrosion and Standards of Repair

- Prescribed areas
- Frame arrangements incl. sidecars
- Suitable materials
- Bonded repairs
- Repairs to steel and alloy wheels
- Carbon fibre components
- Brake pipes
- Anodised brake pipes



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