



CDE Annual Inspection/Preventative Maintenance Checklist 2025-2026 ALL ITEMS ON THIS CHECKLIST ARE MANDATORY. THE USE OF THIS SPECIFIC CHECKLIST IS NOT MANDATORY

Inspection Site				
Inspector Signature	9	Insp. Numb	oer	
License Plate		Model Year		
Body		Chassis		
Previous Insp. Odo	meter	Previous Insp. Date		
Current Insp. Odon	neter	Unit #		
Date Inspection Sta	arted	Date Insp. Complete	d .	
Annual Inspection PM		•		ials required only ultiple inspectors
		Section A: Road Test Inspection		
Codes Required		Description		Initials
	1. Chec	k the driver seat and seat belt for proper		
	operation	on and condition.		
		k for steering play and binding. Steering		
		components.		
		the operation of instruments/gauges,		
		or lights, warning systems, horns		
	hardwar	k windshield, mirros, driver visor and		
		e k windshield wiper and washer for proper		
	operation			
	6. Chec	c air system build time (depleted to fully) MAXIMUM OF 4 MINUTES		
**	·	k retarder indicator lights and proper		
^^	function			
	8. Air Cl	neck:		
	Governo	or cut in PSI // cut out	_ PSI	
	9. Air Cl	neck: With a fully charged system (full br	ake	
	applicat	ion) Observe gauge loss PSI		





Section A: Road Test Inspection		
Codes Required	Description	Initials
	10. Check service brake: pedal-free travel, adequate	
	pedal height, and reserve, ABS, booster operation (hydraulic) and brake action/operation, wear	
	indicators. (Hydraulic and air)	
	11. Perform brake valve check to include parking	
	brake operation.	
	12. Low-pressure warning light and buzzer actuate at	
	PSI // Park brake sets at PSI	
	13. Check the information on the registration form:	
	Vin # and License Plate # for consistency	
	14. Pre-inspection Road Test	

	Section B: Under Hood Inspection	
Codes Required	Description	Initials
**	1. Cable operation: e-brake, choke, throttle, kill cable, accelerator linkage and return spring	
	2. Inspect all brake, **fuel**, cooling and lubrication lines, fittings, electrical wiring for proper routing, clamping, signs of chafing, kinking, deteriorations, or leaks	
**	3. Inspect the exhaust system components, leakage, mounting, shields	
	4. Inspect the compressor, inspect/replace the air filter and/or air compressor filter element as needed	
	5. Check windshield washer fluid reservoir for leaks, mounting	
	6. Inspect radiator mounting, core, cap, water pump, fan, clamps, hoses, and shutters test	
	7. Record coolant freeze point (-30F minimum)	
	8. Inspect the alternator, tensioner, all drive belts, and pulleys for condition and adjust as required	
	9. Check fluid levels, condition and inspect for leaks 10. Inspect the steering column, shaft, clamp bolts,	
	and universal joints	

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	Section B: Under Hood Inspection	
Codes Required	Description	Initials
	11. Inspect the power steering system and	
	components, proper mounting, condition	
	12. Check brake master cylinder, fluid for condition,	
	clarity and proper level (hydraulic)	

	Section C: Interior Inspection	
Codes Required	Description	Initials
	1. Check all heaters, defrosters, interior lighting, and	
	electrical accessories for operation	
	2. Check all glass (windshield, windows, and dash)	
	inspect window guides and latches	
	3. Emergency exits: operation, warning devices	
	(buzzer), interlock, operation decals	
	4. Emergency equipment: fire extinguisher, first aid	
	kit, belt cutter, body fluid cleanup kit	
	5. Check triangle reflectors, box mounting, and seal	
	6. Check video system, PA system, 2-way radio for	
	operation, no child left behind system	
	7. Inspect seats, cushions, barriers, step well,	
	handrails, and flip seats	
	8. Check for and inspect special needs equipment,	
	securements, and accessories	
	9. Inspect floor covering and trim, bulkhead, service	
	door	
	10. Inspect interior for sharp projections, and	
	securement of accessories	

Section D: Under Vehicle Inspection		
Codes Required	Description	Initials
	1. Inspect steering system: shaft, lock bolts, nuts,	
	stops-looseness, damage, play, binding, clamping,	
	signs of chafing, kinking, deterioration, or leaks	
	2. Inspect front and rear suspension, springs, cross	
	members, shackles, shocks, and frame brackets for	
	looseness and damage	





	Section D: Under Vehicle Inspection	
Codes Required	Description	Initials
	3. Inspect air ride suspension systems and	
	components, if applicable	
	4. Inspect axle pinion and transmission flange for	
	looseness, inspect propeller shaft for damage	
	5. Inspect u-joints, carrier bearings and guards for	
	excessive wear or damage and visually inspect	
	differential for leakage, mounting, fluid level, and	
	pinion cage bolts	
	6. Check air tanks and reservoirs, drier for mounting,	
	moisture release valve and heater operation	
	7. Inspect transmission: linkage, **excessive leakage,	
	change fluid and filters as needed**	
	8. Inspect auxillary fuel system, fuel tank, mounting,	
	cage components, lines, and leaks	
	9. Inspect body to frame clamps, insulators, and cowl	
	hold-down bolts for looseness	
	10. Inspect engine and transmission mounts for	
	looseness or deterioration	
	11. Inspect all brake, fuel, cooling and lubricant	
	lines, fitting, electrical wiring for proper routing,	
	12. Operational equipment: auto-chains, sanders,	
	coolant heaters (adjustment, leaks and operation)	
**	13. Inspect exhaust system for leakage or looseness	
	and proper supports, shields if required	
**	14. Clutch condition and components	
**	15. Driveline retarder components, mounting, wiring	
	16. Inspect air brake chambers, mounting, caging	
	bolt, dust cover/cap	

	Section E: Around Vehicle Inspection	
Codes Required	Description	Initials
	1. Body condition, bumpers, tow hooks, numbering,	
	lettering (damage)	
	2. Check exit door operation, adjustment and seals	





	Section E: Around Vehicle Inspection	
Codes Required	Description	Initials
	3. Check compartment doors, hinges, and latches	
	4. Check all exterior lights, mirrors, and reflectors	
	(operation/visibility)	
	5. Inspect batteries and tie downs, test batteries	
	6. Check operation and condition of stop arm	
	7. Inspect the lift door, lift operation, warning	
	system (if applicable) and symbols	
	8. Manual slack adjuster	
	Automatic slack adjuster	
	9. Inspect slack adjusters and Record Brake Stroke	
	(air brakes/applied method)	
	Before Dissasembly	
	LF: RF: LR: RR:	
	After Assembly	
	LF: RF: LR: RR:	
	10. Tires: condition, tread depth (minimum reading),	
	matching	
	11. Tire PSI	
	Before	
	LF: LRO: LRI:	
	RF: RRO: RRI:	
	After	
	LF: LRO: LRI:	
	RF: RRO: RRI:	
	12. Tread Depth	
	LF:/32 LRO:/32 LRI:/32	
	RF:/32 RRO:/32 RRI:/32	
	13. Wheels: size, width, type, valve stems, studs,	
	and lug nuts	
	14. Remove wheels, inspect linings, and brake	
	components	
*	15. Inspect front and rear wheel seal areas for any	
	leakage (oil or brake fluid)	
	16. Check hydraulic: wheel cylinders, calipers,	
	valves, lines, drums/rotors	

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	Section E: Around Vehicle Inspection	
Codes Required	Description	Initials
	17. Record brake shoe/pad lining readings (minimum)	
·	LF::/32 RF::/32	
	LF::/32 RF::/32	
	LR::/32 RR::/32	
	LR::/32 RR::/32	
	18. Brake drum/rotor reading	
	Manufacturer spec: Front Rear:	
	Reading at Previous Annual Inspection	
*	LF: RF: LR: RR:	
	Current Reading	
	LF: RF: LR: RR:	
*	19. Air disc brake pad to rotor clearance	
	LF: RF: LR: RR:	
	20. Post inspection road test	

Additional Comments