Top 5 Driving Tips

Iowa State University Police Department
515-294-4428
911
1. Drive only if you have a VALID driver’s license and VALID insurance
   * Do not use a friend’s license as your own
   * Do not drive if your driving privileges have been suspended, revoked, or barred
   * Remember that an instructional permit does not allow you to drive with your friends
2. Comply with police officers
   * Do not try to negotiate with police officers
   * If you disagree with what has happened, your time to negotiate is in court
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3. If you are in an accident, call the police immediately
   * Pull over to a safe place on the side of the road or in a nearby parking lot
   * Talk to the other people involved and make sure there are no injuries

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4. If you are going to drink alcohol, do not drive
   * You risk:
   * Losing your driver’s license;
   * Going to jail; and/or
   * Hurting yourself or someone else
5. Appropriately respond to emergency lights/sirens
   * When you see red and blue emergency lights, or hear sirens, pull over to the right side of the road and stop
   * Do so immediately if there are no vehicles in your way
   * If you think you are being stopped by the police, do not continue to drive until you are home
   * Police officers choose safe places to stop you
   * Remain stopped and on the right side of the road until the emergency vehicle has passed you
Stay Safe

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