



Texting and Driving Quick Quiz

This quiz can be read during class, club events or as part of special activities dedicated to not texting while driving

1. AT&T projects that _____ text messages will cross its network in 2011.

- a) 422 million
- b) 976 million
- c) 458 billion
- d) 854 billion

2. The typical teenager sends and receives ____ times more text messages a day than a typical adult. ¹

- a) 2
- b) 5
- c) 10
- d) 20

3. Drivers who send text messages while driving are _____ times more likely to be in a crash. ²

- a) 5
- b) 12
- c) 23
- d) 45

4. Texting takes your eyes off the road for an average of five seconds. At 55 mph, that's like driving the length of _____ completely blind. ³

- a) five cars
- b) two tractor trailer trucks
- c) three basketball courts
- d) a football field

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Answers:

1. AT&T projects that **(d) 854 million text messages** will cross its network in 2011.

- a) 422 million
- b) 976 million
- c) 458 billion
- d) **854 billion**

2. The typical teenager sends and receives **(b) 5 times** more text messages a day than a typical adult.

- a) 2
- b) **5**
- c) 10
- d) 20

3. Drivers who send text messages while driving are **(c) 23 times** more likely to be in a crash.

- a) 5
- b) 12
- c) **23**
- d) 45

4. Texting takes your eyes off the road for an average of five seconds. At 55 mph, that's like driving the length of **(d) a football field** completely blind.

- a) five cars
- b) two tractor trailer trucks
- c) three basketball courts
- d) **a football field**