

Basic MOT Test Advice and Recommendations

- 1/ Please ensure that the boot area and back seats are clear so that the tester has easy access to inspect the seat belt anchor points.
- 2/ Check that you have fluid the windscreen washer bottle and that the washer jets are adjusted and are not blocked.
- 3/ Have a walk around the vehicle to check all lights are operational.
- 4/ Ensure that all mirrors are free of cracks.
- 5/ Make sure that the numbers plates are clean, undamaged, letters and numbers correctly spaced and the plate is secure.
- 6/ Have a good look at your tyres. Look at the walls of the tyre to see that there are no bulges or cuts. The tread must be a minimum of 1.6mm of depth on the central 3/4 of the width of the tyre. Any cuts greater than 25mm or down to the canvass will mean a replacement tyre is needed.
- 7/ Check that the front windscreen wipers clear the screen and the rubber is not slit or cracked.
- 8/ Are there any cracks or chips in the windscreen?

If you are unsure about anything on your vehicle, please ask for advice as it could save you time and money if either you or us put the faults right before the vehicle test!

Remember the old saying 'Advice and smiles are free!'