

COACHING THE LIFT TRUCK OPERATOR: WRITTEN TEST

Name: _____ Date: _____

	TRUE	FALSE
1 If you are moving, the forks should be kept just high enough to clear any obstructions on the floor.		
2 You should only refuel or recharge your truck in areas designated for that purpose.		
3 Raising the load while travelling or turning is the proper approach for placing the load on the rack.		
4 You should make certain that the rear wheels are chocked before loading or unloading a trailer.		
5 Only trained and authorized operators are permitted to operate a powered industrial truck.		
6 Under certain conditions, employees are permitted to walk or work under elevated loads or forks.		
7 A truck is considered unattended when it is within the operator's view, but ten feet away from the operator.		
8 When you park your truck, park it in front of a stairway so firefighters can get to it quickly.		
9 It is OK to pass another truck at an intersection as long as you sound your horn.		
10 If the load blocks your view, you must travel with the load trailing.		
11 Railroad tracks must be crossed straight-on.		
12 When going up or down a ramp, you must travel with the load up-grade.		
13 Unloaded trucks should be operated on all grades with the load engaging means down-grade.		
14 Since lift trucks are heavy, you do not need to slow down on wet or slippery floors.		
15 Only loads within the rated capacity of the lift truck shall be handled.		
16 Forks must be placed under the load as far as possible.		
17 Fixed jacks are only used when there is a weakness under the floor of the trailer.		
18 When you leave a truck unattended, you should fully lower the forks, neutralize the controls, shut off the power and set the brakes.		
19 If you must park on an incline, the wheels must be blocked.		
20 If your lift truck does not have an ID plate, you must report it immediately.		
21 A pre-start inspection must be done before each shift.		
22 Under ideal conditions, your following distance behind another lift truck should be at least three lift truck lengths.		

