

What are Yellow Lane Markings?

Worksheet

Yellow lane markings indicate parking restrictions: a solid yellow line means no parking is allowed at any time, while a dashed yellow line permits limited-time parking, typically 2 hours unless a sign states otherwise.

Questions

1. A solid yellow line indicates...

- A) 15-minute parking
- B) No parking any time
- C) Reserved for taxis
- D) Bus lane only

2. Dashed yellow allows...

- A) No parking ever
- B) Unlimited parking
- C) Limited-time parking (usually 2 hrs)
- D) Only commercial vehicles

3. What is the most common time limit for dashed yellow?

- A) 30 minutes
- B) 1 hour
- C) 2 hours
- D) 4 hours

4. Where would you typically find solid yellow?

- A) On highway lanes
- B) Near fire hydrants and corners
- C) School playgrounds
- D) Gas station driveways

5. You see a solid yellow line on the left curb of a residential street. Can you park there?

6. A dashed yellow line is on the curb with no posted time sign. How long can you park?

7. At a corner where three streets meet, there is solid yellow. Why?

8. Define: What does solid yellow mean?

9. Define: What does dashed yellow mean?

10. Define: Can you leave your car for 10 minutes under solid yellow?

Answer Key

1. B) No parking any time — Solid yellow = permanent, continuous no-parking restriction.
2. C) Limited-time parking (usually 2 hrs) — Dashed yellow permits time-limited parking under normal conditions.
3. C) 2 hours — Default dashed yellow = 2 hours, unless posted signage states otherwise.
4. B) Near fire hydrants and corners — Solid yellow protects high-priority zones like hydrants and intersections.
5. Solid yellow line = no parking allowed Answer: No, you cannot park there at any time, even briefly.
6. Dashed yellow line = limited parking Default time = 2 hours (unless otherwise posted) Answer: You can typically park for 2 hours.
7. Solid yellow at corners = safety priority Answer: To keep the corner clear for traffic flow and visibility.
8. No parking is allowed at any time on that curb.
9. Limited-time parking is permitted, usually 2 hours without a permit.
10. No — solid yellow means no parking ever, even briefly.

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