

Lights

All side lights (with the ignition off) including rear number plate light (or both if two are fitted)

Headlights, both dip and main beams including beam alignment (they must not shine too high or too low). The dip and main beam switch must operate correctly

Indicators and hazard lights must all work and flash at a rate of between 60 and 120 flashes a minute. Vehicles registered after April 1986 must also have the side repeaters (those little ones on the side) fitted and working. The interior (dashboard) indicator and hazard warning lights must also work

Brake lights must all work properly (even the ones in the rear window if they were fitted and working from new)

Rear reflectors must be fitted, coloured red and not broken - rear lamps must not be broken or show any white light

There must be no interference between the lights (so your brake light must not flash or flicker with the indicator, for example) and no light can flicker if tapped by hand.