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Driving Age Debate: The Road to Safer Teen Drivers

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is the main argument in favor of raising the driving age to 18?
 - a) Teenagers need more independence.
 - b) Teenagers are already responsible drivers at 16.
 - c) Raising the driving age would lead to safer roads and fewer accidents.
 - d) Older drivers have more accidents.

2. According to the passage, why do teenagers have higher accident rates?
 - a) Because they are experienced drivers.
 - b) Due to inexperience, immaturity, and risk-taking tendencies.
 - c) They are less likely to be influenced by their peers.
 - d) Teenagers are more responsible than older drivers.

3. What does the passage suggest about the impact of raising the driving age on teenagers' education?
 - a) It would encourage teenagers to drop out of school.
 - b) It would have no impact on teenagers' education.
 - c) It would provide teenagers with more time to focus on education and personal development.
 - d) It would make teenagers less responsible.

4. How does raising the driving age address the issue of peer pressure?
 - a) It increases peer pressure among teenagers.
 - b) It has no impact on peer pressure.
 - c) It reduces the number of teenagers on the road, potentially decreasing risky behaviors.
 - d) It encourages teenagers to take more risks.

5. What is the passage's response to concerns about inconvenience caused by raising the driving age?
 - a) Inconvenience is a small price to pay for safer roads.
 - b) The inconvenience is too significant, and the driving age should not be raised.
 - c) Families should rely solely on teenagers for transportation.
 - d) Public transportation and carpooling are unnecessary.

