

Cessna 172SP checklist

Pre-Start

Parking Brakes **SET**
Cabin doors **CLOSED**
Throttle **CLOSED**
Magneto/Starter Switch **OFF**
Batt. & Alt. Master Switches **OFF**
Avionics **OFF**
Fuel Pump Switch **OFF**
Mixture /Fuel Flow **CUTOFF**
Battery Switch **ON**
Flight controls **CHECK**
Flaps **UP**
Fuel Quantity **CHECK**
Fuel Selector **BOTH**
Avionics Switch **ON**
Navigation Light **ON**
Request Clearance
Transponder **STANDBY**
Beacon Light **ON**

Starting Engine

Fuel pump..... **ON**
Start Key **BOTH**
Throttle..... **OPEN 1/4 INCH**
Mixture **RICH**
Via dall'elica !
Start Key **START!**
Alt. Master Switch **ON**
Oil Pressure & Ammeter **CHECK**
Fuel pump..... **OFF**
Altimeter **SET**

Taxing

Taxi Light **ON**
Parking Brakes **RELEASE**
Low-speed !

Before Takeoff

Squawk..... **7000(for VFR)**
Flaps **10°**
Trim **set for T.O.**
Landing Light **ON**
Strobo Light **ON**

After Takeoff

Flaps **UP**
Landing Light **OFF**
Standard Climb at 80 KIAS

Approach

Fuel selector..... **BOTH**
Mixture..... **RICH**
Landing Light **ON**
Altimeter **SET**
Airspeed 70 KIAS (flaps down)

Parking

Parking Brakes **SET**
Avionics Switch **OFF**
Flaps **UP**
Mixture..... **0%**
Light (ALL)..... **OFF**
Batt. & Alt. Master Switches **OFF**
Start Key **OFF**