Graph of the Week **Name**_____

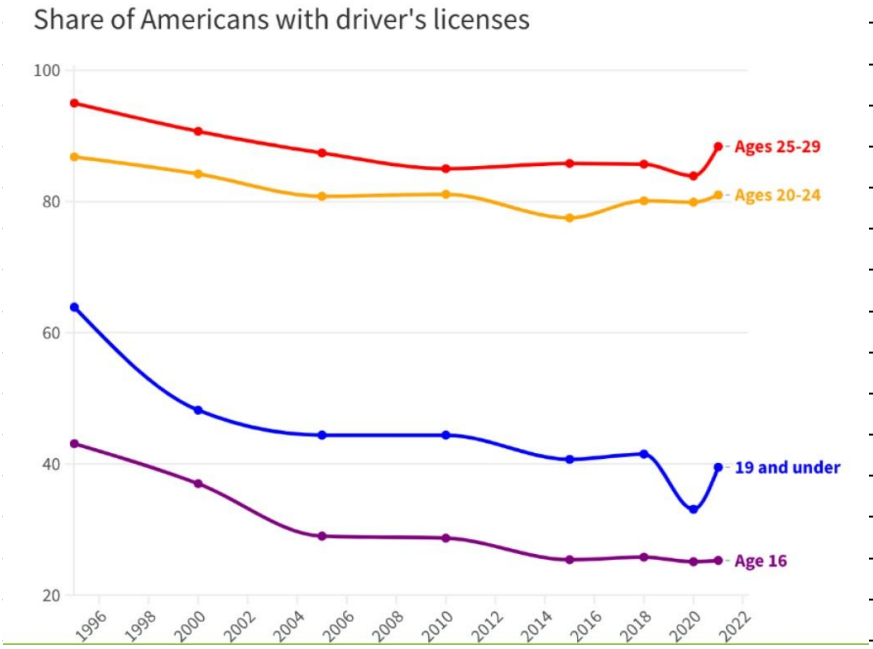
April _____ **2025**

Analyze the graphs below and write a reflection on what you think the graphs are communicating to you. To guide you with your response, start with some observations.

- What is the topic of the graph?
- What quantities are being compared?
- What are some observations that you can make based on the graphs?
- What surprises you about the graph? What do you wonder?
- What do you foresee happening in the next 10 years?

Questions to ask when reading graphs:

- Is there an upward or downward trend?
- Are there any sudden spikes in the graph?
- What is being compared in the graph?
- What prediction can I make for the future?
- What inferences can I make about the graph?



Where teen drivers are most and least common

How California compares with the five states with the highest and lowest shares of drivers who are teens:

2015 data

Rank	State	Total licenses	Teen licenses	Pct. teens
1	Kansas	2,028,657	145,714	7.2%
2	Utah	1,913,564	128,194	6.7%
3	Iowa	2,224,130	134,436	6.0%
4	N. Dakota	545,027	32,288	5.9%
5	Idaho	1,135,009	64,252	5.7%
39	**California**	25,532,920	852,728	3.3%
46	Maryland	4,185,752	119,730	2.9%
47	New York	11,689,839	319,469	2.7%
48	Hawaii	909,797	23,617	2.6%
49	Kentucky	3,021,266	75,793	2.5%
50	N. Mexico	1,467,782	25,215	1.7%