ONLINE Guidelines

The online classroom instruction is 32 hours, 2 hours per day. All sessions must state “complete” before signing off the computer to log each session as finished.

Student will drive seven hours and observe seven hours with an instructor in our car. Students may not receive more than four hours of instruction per day (two hours of classroom, two hours in the car per TEA rules.)

The student may take the permit test after online Module I is completed (6.59 hrs.) After receiving the permit from the DPS, the student may sign up and schedule drive times via our online program www.schedule2drive.com. A one-time $10 fee is payable by you to Schedule 2 Drive (S2D) for the use of this website. You must have the student’s permit number, date of birth and our school ID number C2518 to register on S2D.

Parents may also use S2D to log their drive time of 30 hours of drive time with the student (20 hours during the day and 10 hours at night.) The log includes instructions to assist you in instructing your child. Please use the S2D website to help guide you thru your child’s driving process; it is a valuable tool for you and your child. The 30 hour log is turned in to the DPS when student receives the driving license.

RECEIVING PERMIT LICENSE FROM Department of Public Safety
A legal guardian must accompany students to the DPS. Students must have the following with them to the DPS to obtain the permit:

1. Certified birth certificate
2. Social security card
3. “Verification of Enrollment” from school attendance office (please obtain this before school is out for the summer/holiday. The LAST report card may be used during the summer if the school has closed.) VOE valid for 30 days.
4. DE-964 DPS copy provided from our driving school (one copy issued for permit, one issued for graduated driver license)
5. TWO proofs of Texas residency from accompanying parent to DPS dated within 90 days (cell phone bill not acceptable.) The DPS website can provide more information.

Please contact us at any time for questions.

Sincerely,

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Driving Safety – it’s no game.
Helpful Information:

http://www.nhtsa.gov/drivereducationprogram is a great website with useful information from the National Highway Traffic Safety Association.

Student/parent: Please watch: Youtube.com: watch 18 min video: top 10 reasons people fail the driving test. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W3wLwbDXGtE

www.Schedule2Drive.com  To register with Schedule2Drive.com, you must know your child’s permit number (license number) and our school number, C2518. There is a one-time fee of $10. You must log 30 hours of parent drive time – 10 hours at night and 20 in the daytime. The Schedule2drive website has a form and instructions for YOU – please take advantage of these! They provide valuable information in teaching you and your child about driving. PLEASE read the guide.

NEW RULE: The IMPACT Texas Teen Driver (ITTD) Program developed by DPS with the goal of saving lives on our Teas roadways through awareness and education requires students to view a two-hour informational video developed to help educate young or new drivers in an effort to reduce risk of being involved in automobile crashes, particularly those caused by distracted driving. Completion of the ITTD film will be required for all individuals that have received a DE-964 and have taken a teen driver-ed course. The ITTD Certificate of Completion must be presented before taking a drive skills test at the DPS or Third Party Tester. The ITTD Certificate must be dated within 90 days of the final road drive skills exam. The video may be viewed at: https://impacttexasteendrivers.dps.texas.gov

Please know the rules for the GDL (Graduated Driving Laws) at the time your child receives the Provisional (Graduated) DL. These rules may change. There are curfews and limits on number of passengers allowed in the car as well as a NO CELL PHONE RULE. There are “apps” that will disable the cell phones while the car is in motion. I highly recommend these.

Everyone is encouraged to attend our Driving Safety class for further insurance discounts. Students under 25 must take this class, by law, for any moving violation they receive and it is a good idea to keep those off your record and keep insurance costs down.