

How to obtain Driver's training

A variety of methods are available to obtain the necessary training. You may customize training to fit your lifestyle. It is accessible, effective and affordable. See the website for more specific information.

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Behind the wheel instruction by professional or parent



Virtual on-line classroom



Public School or private Classroom instruction

What if I don't complete Drivers Education at age 16?

You will have to wait until age 17 to obtain a Class D license.



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Don't be Stopped From Applying when you are ready!

Beginning January 1, 2007, all 16 year-olds applying for a Class D driver's license must complete an approved driver education course and complete a total of 40 hours of supervised driving, 6 hours of which must

be at night, with a parent or guardian's sworn verification that these requirements have been met.



Any Georgia resident who has not completed an approved driver education course must be at least 17 years old to be eligible for a Class D driver's license. He or she must have completed a total of at least 40 hours of supervised driving, including at least 6 hours at night. The same verification in writing by a parent or guardian is required.

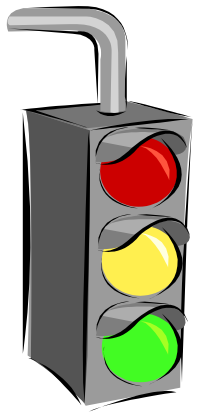
What is Driver Education?

A series of courses developed or approved by the Department of Driver Services for the purpose of assisting students to meet the requirements for obtaining a Class D provisional license.

What are some of the methods of Driver Education?

- Public/Private School (30 hrs) classroom (virtual or instructor) and (6 hrs) private behind the wheel training (students also need an additional 40 hrs of supervised driving experience).
- Public/Private School (30 hrs) classroom (virtual or instructor) and parent taught behind the wheel . (The parent taught program is a 40 hr comprehensive driving course.)
- Virtual (30 hrs) classroom and (6 hrs) private behind the wheel training (students will also need an additional 40 hrs of supervised driving experience).

- Virtual (30 hrs) classroom and (40 hr) parent taught behind the wheel. (The parent taught program is a 40 hr comprehensive driving course.)
- **ALL STUDENTS MUST HAVE 6 HOURS OF SUPERVISED DRIVING AT NIGHT.**



What would allow me to obtain an insurance discount?

A Certificate of Completion indicating you have successfully completed a traditional program consisting of 30 hours of classroom and 6 hours of behind the wheel instruction.

You may also be eligible for a \$150.00 tax credit.

!! Be Aware !!

You must hold a Learner's Permit for one year and one day to be eligible for a Class D license.

