



# **Driver Education**

#### **Course Description:**

The Idaho Driver Education Program is dedicated to teaching lifelong safe driving habits through its two-part approach: classroom instruction (knowledge) and behind-the-wheel instruction (skills and application).

This six-week online Driver's Education course is designed to meet the requirement for 30 hours of classroom instruction(knowledge). Students/schools must arrange to complete the required behind-the-wheel instruction (skills and application) separately. For information on behind-the-wheel instruction options, visit the <a href="Idaho State">Idaho State</a> <a href="Department of Education website">Department of Education website</a>.

The Driver Education course is pass/fail, and students must earn at least 80% in each of these areas to pass: classroom instruction, in-car behind-the-wheel instruction, and attitude.

This course is a Quality Matters certified online course.

#### **Unit Titles:**

Unit 1: Getting Ready to Drive Unit 2: Good Driving Habits

Unit 3: The Driving Environment

Unit 4: Reducing Risks

Unit 5: Dealing With Adverse Conditions

## **Course Map & Standards Alignment**

### **Prerequisites:**

 Students must be at least 14 1/2 years of age and must secure a Supervised Instruction Permit from the Department of Motor Vehicles before registering for this class.

- Students must arrange and pay for the behind-the-wheel instruction with a local public or private Driver Education instructor before starting the class.
  - Students in a rural district, as described by ID Code 33-319, or in a district that doesn't offer driver education courses, and will have their parent or guardian as their in-car instructor, must meet all the same prerequisites (ID Code Section 49-307). If you have any questions regarding parent/guardian eligibility, visit the <u>Idaho State Driver Education Program.</u>

#### Compatibility:

This course is Chromebook compatible.

#### **Required Textbooks and Resources:**

The Idaho Driver's Handbook - available in print at any DMV office and in pdf here: Idaho Driver's Handbook.

For parents or guardians acting as their student's in-car instructor: <u>Driver Education</u> Program Manual.

#### **Technical Requirements for Course Activities:**

A laptop or desktop computer less than 6 years old with the latest release of browser and operating system.

A high-speed internet connection.

A current email account.

Chrome, Edge, or Firefox web browser.

A headset with a microphone.

Students must have a computer with audio and video capabilities.

Create files with a word processor.

Save, download, and attach files to submit assignments.

Work in multiple tabs within an Internet browser.

## Accessibility and Assistive Technology:

Visit the <u>Accessibility Tools</u> for assistance and information on assistive technology available to you.

## **Technical Support:**

The Resources tab in your class also provides information about how to access technical support and is found under the same Resources tab as the Accessibility and Assistive Technology.

Phone: 1-208-342-0207

Email Address: <a href="mailto:support@idla.k12.id.us">support@idla.k12.id.us</a>

Office Hours: 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (MST) Monday through Friday

#### Other Policies:

Visit the <u>Parent/Student Resources website</u> to obtain information about other policies such as fees, drop deadlines, how to enroll, how grades will be reported, and how to set up your proctored final exam.

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