

PARENT MEETING AGENDA

Driver Education: Privilege and Responsibility, not a Right

This is the most important class offered in school because it can actually mean the difference between life and death. That being said there are many rules and regulations governing driver education. (Secretary of State & IL State Board)

Eligibility: High School Student minimum 14 years of age & in High School
8 classes passed—previous 2 semesters

Fall—all eligible (new student grades need verified)

Spring—Spring of 8th grade and current semester

Which semester? Birth date Order

Equalize Classes

Divide the number of drivers

NW \$50 Lab fee—before your student can drive (student waiver Fr/Re)

(state raised minimum fee to \$250 without
school waiver) Ex. *Waverly* \$75

Two Parts:

Classroom = 30 clock hours (60 minutes)

B2 Hour 8:53-10:13

Drive = Behind the wheel (minimum 6 clock hours). 11:30 dismiss = TBD

Classroom: 30 clock hours

1st/2nd Quarters

ends approximately -- November 13

3rd/4th Quarters

ends approximately -- April 1

Only three absences of any kind (illness, or school related)

Tardies—I add up the minutes.

4th Day = failure-must start over (permit invalid)

This applies to classroom ONLY

Writing Utensil

Highlighter

Rules of the Road—Homework = 3-15 questions *LATE WORK GRADES 50%*

National Curriculum—How to Drive

Guest Speakers

Homework = *Every night during classroom*

Instructional Videos

After classroom is over =SH unless driving

State's goal is not to get everyone a license by age 16, but to help our young people become safer drivers and not a statistic. The Graduated License Program helped teen driving fatalities drop by 40% from 07-08.

Not all states have Driver Education. Illinois is a leader.

Driving with Parent: Supervised Experience—serious assistance (modeling you)
Practice

Awareness of Surroundings

City Driving

Anticipation of Situations

Interstate Driving

Traffic Signals

Night Driving

Turn Lanes

Inclement Weather Conditions

FOLLOWING DISTANCE

NO CELL PHONE—TALKING OR TEXTING = Articles

Driving Log: 50 hour minimum

10 hour night driving minimum

Items Required for License:

Instruction Permit

50 Hour Log

Birth Certificate (Certified)

Social Security Card (signed)

Parent driver license (address must match) Parent sign form at DMV

Business mail with student address. Ex. Official School Transcript

Co-op Test Form (if A or B average)

A or B average = no test unless on spot check

Spot check = driving test if within the 24 months

WEBSITES: AAA & LifeSaver Info. & State Farm Driver Feedback

Handout Teen Dies

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