

CLASS START DATE: _____

Thank you for choosing Centerline Driving School. Our instructors are State Certified and dedicated to give you a meaningful and informative learning experience. Our instructors and office staff work as a team with you, the student, and your parents or legal guardian.

STUDENT'S NAME _____ **Permit #/State ID #** _____ **Date of Birth** _____
 Responsible Person(s) _____ Relationship to Student _____
 Address _____ High School _____ Other _____
 City _____ State _____ ZIP _____ EMAIL (parent _____)
 Cell Phone _____ Home Phone _____ EMAIL (student) _____

Our instructors will conduct themselves at the highest of moral and ethical standards. If at any time an instructor makes you feel uncomfortable, IMMEDIATELY contact Chris Roche at Centerline Driving School or the Washington State Department of Licensing at www.dol.wa.gov or by phone in Olympia at (360) 644-6692

Traffic Safety Education ~ WA State Requirements	CDS Rules & Expectations
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Student must be at least 15 years old on the first day of class. 2. Student must obtain a Washington State Learner's Permit before driving with an instructor (by Class #3). 3. Students under the age of 18 must successfully complete the classroom and driving portions of the curriculum and receive a certificate before a Washington State Driver's License will be issued. 4. No enrollment accepted after Class #3. 5. Students must pass all classroom tests and the final exam with a score of 80% or better. 6. State WAC Law 108.103.2(w) requires you to complete 3 drives by your <u>scheduled</u> Class #15 (~ 5 ½ weeks into the course) 7. A student can miss and make up 3 classes; more than that and you are required BY LAW to retake the <u>ENTIRE Class</u> 8. ENROLLMENT FORMS must be completed and signed by both student and parent by the end of the first class. All contracts, records and tests require your FULL LEGAL NAME. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students should bring a notebook or binder to class to keep worksheets in. 2. A minimum of 6 (maximum of 18 weeks) is required to complete the course. 3. We have "0" tolerance for drugs/alcohol and reserve the right to refuse service. 4. Cheating will result in immediate dismissal from the program. 5. Disruption of class will not be tolerated and the student will be asked to leave with no grade for that day and the class will have to be "made up". 6. Classes 1-14 must be completed and any fees or fines paid before taking the final exam (Class #15). 7. If you drop the course by the end of the <u>first class</u>, you will receive a refund of tuition, or a credit for a future class; refund amount to be determined by owner.

TEEN DRIVERS EDUCATION PROGRAM - Classes & Drives

All coursework and drives MUST be completed by 18 weeks from class start date to end date. 30 Hours of classroom instruction; 6 hours BTW (behind the wheel) individualized instruction; 1 hr. observation of another student driver.

Drives are scheduled by you online at <https://www.schedule2drive.com>

(SET-UP FEE INCLUDED WITH TUITION)

Student Initials _____ **Parent Initials** _____

We recommend scheduling 1 drive per week and practicing 4 - 6 hours between drives. We encourage **parents to come along** on drives #1 and #2 (or #3). After each drive, the instructor will review your progress and make recommendations for your next drive.

Drives #1 and #2 teach basic "maneuvers"; **Drive #3** reviews 1 & 2. **Drive #4** is freeway and city (roundabouts & one-way streets).
Drive #5 is a full review and prepares for Drive #6 **Drive #6** is a **TEST** of driving skills & rules & must be passed with 80%.

If we must cancel classes/drives, a message will be posted on the phone AND/OR **Schedule2Drive**; your drive will need to be rescheduled.

A fee of \$40 will be charged if:

1. you give less than **24 HOURS NOTICE** to **CANCEL** a drive
2. you show up for a drive **WITHOUT** your Learner's Permit
3. you **FORGET to show up** or are more than 15 minutes late for a scheduled drive (No Show)
4. you need to retake Drive #6

Parent(s) will attend "Parent Orientation Night"

Student Initials _____ **Parent Initials** _____

I have read and agree to the above POLICY/GUIDELINES and CONTRACT set forth by CENTERLINE DRIVING SCHOOL

I have read and UNDERSTAND what is expected of my child; I AGREE TO PAY per the financial arrangement set forth by CENTERLINE DRIVING SCHOOL.

Student Signature / Date

Parent Signature / Date

Instruction Permit requirements and information

- A fee of \$25, payable to DOL, is required for an instruction permit.
- You must be age 15½ or older to qualify for an instruction permit, unless you are attending a certified driver training course, then you may qualify as early as age 15.
- A Knowledge Test is required to get a permit **unless you are, or will be, attending a driver training course in the next 10 calendar days.**
- If you are under age 18, your custodial parent or legal guardian must come to the driver licensing office with you. Proof of relationship is required (usually your birth certificate or guardianship documents).
- **Complete** proof of identity is required to get an instruction permit with a photo. Check the Driver Guide, the Identification and Residence Requirements brochure, or go online to www.dol.wa.gov for acceptable proof of identity.

Completing the application

The **Applicant Information** section is to be completed by (or for) the applicant. Please print using black or blue ink.

- Enter your full name (last, first, and middle name, no nicknames).
- Enter your home address, including apartment, suite, unit, or space number, and telephone number with area code.
- Enter your mailing address information if different than your home address.
- Check gender, enter your birthday, height, weight, eye color and whether you wear contacts or glasses (bring your contacts or glasses with you to the driver licensing office).
- Read the declaration then sign and date it in the space provided.

If the applicant is under the age of 18, the Parental Authorization section must be completed by the custodial parent or legal guardian. The parent/legal guardian must:

- Read the certification statement, then sign and date it in the space provided.
- Enter the complete driver license or identification card number and the state of issue.

*The **Traffic Safety Education Certification** section will be completed by a public school or licensed commercial driver training instructor after course completion.*

Intermediate license laws for teen drivers

If you're **under 18**, you'll be issued an intermediate driver license and must follow these laws:

Driving with Passengers

- **First 6 months:** *No passengers under 20 years old, except for immediate family members (spouse, child, stepchild, or siblings, both by birth and marriage).*
- **Next 6 months:** *No more than 3 passengers under 20 years old who aren't members of your immediate family.*
- **Nighttime driving**
During the **first 12 months** you can't drive between 1 a.m. and 5 a.m. unless you're with a licensed driver 25 years or older. The **only exceptions** are driving for agricultural purposes and transporting farm products or supplies under the direction of a farmer, as described in [RCW 46.20.070](#).
- **No cell phones**
You are not permitted to use wireless devices while driving, even with a hands-free device. This includes talking and sending or receiving text messages. You may use a wireless device to report an emergency.

Did you know?

Here are some safety facts to think about. Go to www.wtsc.wa.gov for more information on keeping teen drivers safe.

- Traffic crashes are the leading cause of death for teens. On average, more than 85 teens die in car crashes every year in Washington State.
- Teen drivers get in more crashes than adults. Even though teens comprise only 7% of all drivers in Washington, they make up 15% of all drivers in fatal crashes.
- Teen drivers with passengers crash more. 86% of teens killed in crashes were riding in cars driving by other teen drivers.
- More teen crashes happen at night; 4 out of 10 fatal crashes involving teen drivers occur between 9 p.m. and 6 a.m.
- Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) is a serious aftermath of many teen crashes and is often life altering for the entire family.
- Wearing seat belts correctly **every time** you are in a vehicle **significantly reduces** the risk of death and injury.