

SYLLABUS

DRIVER EDUCATION CLASS

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ROOM P117
BEST TIME TO ASSIST STUDENTS Before school

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Driver education is the first step towards responsible driving. Driver education can help build a firm foundation of knowledge, attitude and safe driving skills. Passing driver education does not mean you will be a safe driver. This is a decision you must make each time you drive. Driver education is a lifelong process.

This class is worth .25 since it only last one quarter. This class is not NCAA approved.

Grading

Your final grade will be 50% classroom and 50% behind the wheel. You must pass both to pass the class.

Scale

90-100%	A
80-89%	B
70-79%	C
60-69%	D
0-59%	F

Class Objectives

At the successful conclusion of the class students will be able to:

- Demonstrate the proper procedures in performing vehicle maneuvers
- Demonstrate the proper procedures in performing vehicle emergencies
- Demonstrate the proper procedures necessary for operating a motor vehicle in the highway transportation system
- Recognize hazards and the risks involved in driving and determine the best course of action
- Respond appropriately to prevent psychological or social situations from adversely affecting the driving task

Classroom

There will be 5 tests. All the tests will be multiple choice and matching.

Extra credit can be earned for participation on days we have a guest speaker.

Each student is responsible for all notes and handouts.

If a student is absent the day of a test or test review, be ready to take the test the next day back. All tests will be announced at least three days in advance.

Driving

There will be two tests the last two weeks of the quarter.

The average grade must be at least an 80%. If a student is below an 80% they will still pass the class but their name will not be submitted to the state for licensing. They will be asked to practice at home for another nine weeks with their parents. At the end of the nine weeks they can be retested.

Attendance

We will be forced to drop a student if:

6 classroom absences	excused or unexcused
2 driving absences	unexcused

Driver Education Expectations

- 1 Expect to be successful and give your best effort on a daily basis
- 2 Behave in a socially acceptable manner
- 3 NO food or drink in classroom or car except for bottled water
- 4 Be attentive at all times in classroom and car
- 5 Be respectful of other students at all times
- 6 Be seated when the bell rings with materials for class and stay seated until bell rings at end
- 7 You are expected to take notes on lectures, guest speakers and handouts
- 8 NO electronic devices
- 9 Bring sunglasses for driving
- 10 No – sleeping, writing on desks or doing homework
- 11 Bring your permit each day

Any irresponsible behavior during class or driving will not be tolerated and may result in your removal from the course.

Classroom Tests

Test 1	Rules of the Road
Test 2	Drive Right text – Chapters 1, 3 and handouts
Test 3	Chapters 5, 11 and handouts
Test 4	Chapters 12, 14, 15, Distracted Driving and handouts
Test 5	Final over tests 1-4

