

Q. What are the regulations for obtaining a first time driver's license?

A. FIRST TIME CLASS E LICENSE AGE 17

To be issued a Louisiana driver's license issued you are required to furnish the following:

Certified birth certificate or meet ID requirements (See Section I, Policy 6.00 and Policy 6.02)

Social Security Card.

Certificate of successful completion of a thirty-eight (38) hour drivers education course OR a pre-licensing course approved by the Department of Public Safety & Corrections.

Your parent or legal guardian with picture I.D. In case of joint custody, only domiciliary parent may sign.

You must take and pass the written, vision, and driving skills test.

You have the option of going to a state certified Third Party Tester to be administered a driving skills test. They can charge up to \$40.00 for the driving skills test. Third Party Tester List. You must report to the Third Party Tester with Test History Form or a valid learner's permit issued by the Office of Motor Vehicles. A Third Party Tester can lease a vehicle to you to take the driving skills test. They also can administer the test in inclement weather and at your convenience, usually anytime of the day.

If you provide your own vehicle, proof of insurance is required and it must have a current safety inspection sticker, current license plate validation sticker, and current certificate of registration.

Fee: estimated \$24.50 (a parish fee may exist which will not to exceed \$3) CASH

NOTE: Please allow sufficient time to complete all testing prior to the office closure. The road skills tests are NOT administered during inclement weather.

FIRST TIME CLASS E LICENSE AGE 18 OR OLDER

To be issued a Louisiana driver's license issued you are required to furnish the following:

One primary identification document (See Section 1, Policy 6.00 for a complete list of acceptable primary identification documents).

Social Security Verification.

Certificate of successful completion of a thirty-eight (38) hour drivers education course OR pre-licensing course approved by the Department of Public Safety & Corrections.

You must take and pass the written, vision, and driving skills test.

You have the option of going to a state certified Third Party Tester to be administered a driving skills test. They can charge up to \$40.00 for the driving skills test. Third Party Tester List. You must report to the Third Party Tester with Test History Form or a valid learner's permit issued by the Office of Motor Vehicles. A Third Party Tester can lease a vehicle to you to take the driving skills test. They also can administer the test in inclement weather and at your convenience, usually anytime of the day.

If you provide your own vehicle, proof of insurance is required and it must have a current safety inspection sticker, current license plate validation sticker, and current certificate of registration.

Fee: estimated \$24.50 (a parish fee may exist which will not to exceed \$3) CASH If age 70, estimated \$15.50 (a parish fee may exist which will not to exceed \$3) CASH

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skills tests are NOT administered during inclement weather.

The 38 hour driver education course consists of 30 hour classroom instruction and 8 hours behind the wheel.

The pre-licensing course consists of 6 hour classroom instruction and 8 hours behind the wheel.