SHARING THE ROAD

All of the following groups listed below use public roads and highways. Place an “X” next to the ones which should obey the literal interpretation of road rules and explain why.

☐ Drivers
☐ Bicyclists
☐ Pedestrians

Why? _________________________________________________________________
______________________________________________________________________
______________________________________________________________________
______________________________________________________________________

THE DRIVING PRIVILEGE

Driving is a ________________, not a right.
Who is allowed to drive on a public road or parking facility without a driver’s license or learner’s permit? ___________.

What might the consequence be if you allow an unlicensed driver to operate your vehicle? ________________________.

**LEARNER PERMITS**

What are the requirements to obtain a learner’s permit in Virginia?

- Minimum Age: __________
- Provide Following Documentation:
  - ______________________
  - ______________________
  - ______________________
  - ______________________
  - ______________________

What is the minimum required passing score on the written test?

- Road Signs Section: _______%
- Road Rules Section: _______ %
Are learner’s permit holders allowed to drive *alone*?

_____.

How old must the accompanying licensed driver be?

_____ or older.

The accompanying licensed driver may be between the ages of 18 to 20 if he/she is your:

• ____________ **OR**

• ____________

If you’re under the age of 19, how long must you hold a learner’s permit before becoming eligible for a driver’s license? __________.

**DRIVER LICENSES**
What’s the minimum age requirement to obtain a driver’s license in Virginia? ____________.

If under 18, you must complete at least _______ hours of driving practice, including _______ hours after sunset before becoming eligible for a driver’s license. Your driving log must be certified by your _________________.

**Road Test**

List at least five (5) things your examiner will be watching for during your road test:

- __________________________________________
- __________________________________________
- __________________________________________
- __________________________________________
- __________________________________________

If you lose your license or permit, what is the cost of having a replacement issued?

$_______.

$_______.
MANDATORY AUTO LIABILITY INSURANCE

All owners and/or drivers of motor vehicles in Virginia are required to carry at least the following amounts of liability insurance:

- $_______ to cover the injury/death of one (1) person
- $_______ to cover the injury or death of two (2) or more persons
- $_______ to cover property damage

If you choose not to purchase the required amount of liability insurance coverage, you will have to pay an uninsured motor vehicle fee of _________ at the time you register your vehicle.

Does paying the uninsured motorist fee cover any injuries, fatalities, or property damage from a collision in which you are determined to be at fault? ________.

What consequence will you face if you are caught driving without the required amount of liability insurance coverage and have not paid the uninsured motorist fee?

______________________________

And what will need to happen for your driving privileges to be reinstated?

_________________________________________________________________
_________________________________________________________________
_________________________________________________________________
Explain the difference between having your driving privileges *suspended* and having them *revoked*.

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___________________________________________________________________
WORKSHEET:  LICENSING; DRIVER RESPONSIBILITIES

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Why?  The rules of the road establish an agreement among everyone who uses the road which results in predictable traffic flow and procedures. When you know what another person will do, the likelihood of collisions is reduced. For example, if a pedestrian waiting to cross the street and the WALK sign comes on and cross traffic has a red light, it is mutually understood by both the drivers and the pedestrian that it is the pedestrian’s turn to move.

THE DRIVING PRIVILEGE

Driving is a privilege, not a right.

Who is allowed to drive on a public road or parking facility without a driver’s license or learner’s permit?  No one.
What might the consequence be if you allow an unlicensed driver to operate your vehicle? Your vehicle may be impounded for 30 days.

**LEARNER PERMITS**

What are the requirements to obtain a learner’s permit in Virginia?

- **Minimum Age:** 15 years, 6 months
- **Provide Following Documentation:**
  - Two (2) forms of identification
  - One (1) document for proof of Virginia residency
  - Proof of Social Security Number (SSN)
  - Proof of Legal Presence

What is the minimum required passing score on the written test?

- Road Signs Section: **100** %
- Road Rules Section: **80** %

Are learner’s permit holders allowed to drive alone?
No.

How old must the accompanying licensed driver be?  

21 or older.

The accompanying licensed driver may be between the ages of 18 to 20 if he/she is your:

- Parent/Legal Guardian OR
- Sibling (includes half-siblings and step-siblings)

If you’re under the age of 19, how long must you hold a learner’s permit before becoming eligible for a driver’s license?  

Nine (9) Months.

DRIVER LICENSES
What’s the minimum age requirement to obtain a driver’s license in Virginia?

_16 years and 3 months_.

If under 18, you must complete at least _45_ hours of driving practice, including _15_ hours after sunset before becoming eligible for a driver’s license. Your driving log must be certified by your _parent/guardian_.

**Road Test**

List at least five (5) things your examiner will be watching for during your road test:

Here is a list of items the examiner will be watching for during a road test (each are discussed in more detail in the chapter).

✓ How you start your vehicle.
✓ How you control your vehicle.
✓ How you drive in traffic.
✓ How you obey the traffic signals and posted signs
✓ How you drive through blind or crowded intersections.
✓ How you steer your vehicle.
✓ How you stop.
✓ How you back up.
✓ How you change your speed.
✓ How you judge distance.
✓ How you respect the rights of others.
✓ Whether you pay full attention to your driving.

If you lose your license or permit, what is the cost of having a replacement issued?

$ _10.00_.

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MANDATORY AUTO LIABILITY INSURANCE

All owners and/or drivers of motor vehicles in Virginia are required to carry at least the following amounts of liability insurance:

- $25,000 to cover the injury/death of one (1) person
- $50,000 to cover the injury or death of two (2) or more persons
- $20,000 to cover property damage

If you choose not to purchase the required amount of liability insurance coverage, you will have to pay an uninsured motor vehicle fee of $500.00 at the time you register your vehicle.

Does paying the uninsured motorist fee cover any injuries, fatalities, or property damage from a collision in which you are determined to be at fault? No. Paying the uninsured motorist fee of $500.00 does NOT provide any insurance coverage. You’d be fully liable for the damages.

What consequence will you face if you are caught driving without the required amount of liability insurance coverage and have not paid the uninsured motorist fee?

Your driving privileges will be suspended.

And what will need to happen for your driving privileges to be reinstated?

Your insurance provider files a certificate with the DMV showing that you have acquired a policy which meets at least the minimum amount of liability coverage required in Virginia.
Explain the difference between having your driving privileges **suspended** and having them **revoked**.

A license **suspension** means that the privilege to drive has been *temporarily* withdrawn. A driver is allowed to have their license reinstated at the end of the suspension period provided they pay the required fees. Proof of legal presence will also be required.

A license **revocation** means that your privilege to drive has been *terminated*. Driving privileges can only be restored by applying for a new driver’s license after the revocation period has passed. You must again pass a vision screening, re-take the two-part knowledge exam, as well as the road skills tests and pay the required fees when you reapply. Proof of legal presence will also be required.

**ATTENTION PARENTS:** Remember, if you find that your teen-ager is exhibiting unsafe driving behavior, you do NOT need to wait for a court to temporarily take away his/her driving privileges.
AFFIDAVIT

CH. 1 ACTIVITY WORKSHEET
(To be completed by the Parent-Instructor)

INSTRUCTIONS: Please fill in ALL blanks and sign and print your name with today’s date.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

After your student has completed the entire course (up to the final exam), please send all activity worksheet affidavits plus the course completion affidavit to the above email address or fax number, all in ONE submission.

I, the undersigned, serving as my child’s instructor for the DriverEdToGo.com Virginia Driver Education Course for home-schooled students, do hereby declare under penalty of perjury that my student, ___________________________ (print name) has successfully completed the Chapter 1 Worksheet in ____ hour(s), with ______% accuracy.

Parent’s Signature

__________________________________________

Parent’s Name (PRINT)

__________________________________________

Date:

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