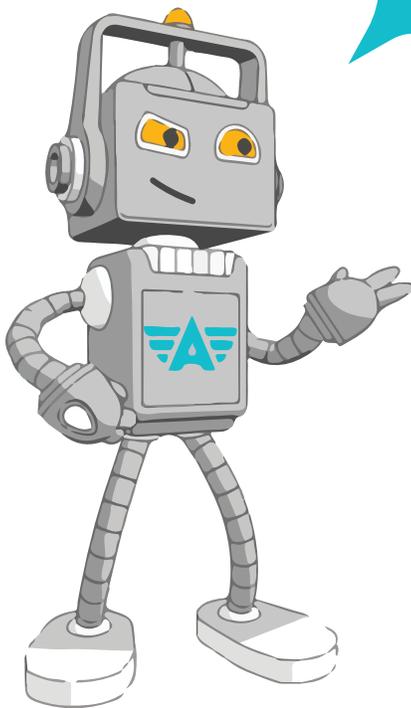




Pre-DPS Trip Guide

For Getting Your Permit & License

Here's everything you get in your guide!



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With new DPS rules in place, all adults need to get a permit and have the option of taking the DPS driving test at an approved third-party provider. We break down the steps to make this easy for you!

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Getting Your Permit & License

Step-by-step instructions

1. Get Your Permit

Head to your local DPS office to apply for your permit (also known as a learner license or driver license with B restriction). See page 3 for a list of items to bring to the DPS!

At the DPS, all you have to do is show them your documents, take the vision test, and take a picture for your permit. You've already taken the written test online with us. Your test results are marked on your certificate and will show DPS that they should not make you take the test again.

As a new DPS requirement, all adults must go to the DPS to get a permit or restricted driver license. You won't be able to schedule a driving test with an approved third-party provider or on the DPS website without a permit. Your permit is valid for 1 year.

2. Schedule Your Driving Test

Now that you have your permit, you can schedule a driving exam with an approved third-party provider or on the DPS website. Third-party providers typically have shorter waitlists but are most expensive than the DPS (\$50-100 with a provider vs. \$25 at the DPS).

If you need more practice before your test, you can practice driving in the car as long as you have a valid licensed driver at least 21 years of age in the front passenger seat.

3. Complete the Impact Texas Drivers Program

Within 90 days of your driving exam, you'll need to complete the Impact Texas Drivers Program. It's a free 1-hour video course provided through the DPS. [Click here](#) to read more about ITD and to register.

4. Pass Your Driving Test and Get Your Driver License

Alright, you've got this. If you choose to take your driving test with a third-party provider, they will give you your test result which you'll also need to take with you to the DPS when applying for your official driver license. If you take your driving test at the DPS, you'll stay at the office and continue there to receive your driver license. See page 4 for a list of items to bring for your test and to the DPS!



Learner's Permit - DPS Checklist

Follow this checklist to make your trip to the DPS as easy and stress-free as possible.

Aceable ADE-1317 Certificate

We emailed this to you!

Need to change some information? Email us at support@aceable.com with the specific information that needs to be changed. Example: I need my birthday changed to 1/1/1995.

Need another copy of your certificate? Log in to your Aceable account and click "View Certificate".

Application for Driver License or Identification Card (DL-14A)

Get this at the DPS office when you are there.

\$25 Permit Application Fee

Payable by cash, credit, check, or money order.

Proof of Social Security

Bring your original Social Security card. Copies are not accepted.

Proof of Texas Residency

Bring two of the following items under your name:

Mortgage Statement, Utility Bills, Bank/Card Statements, Deed, Report Card, W-2, Auto Insurance

Note: Both documents must show the same name and address, be dated within 30-90 days, and come from two different sources. For a complete list of options, visit aceable.com/dl-57.

If you do not have any items to prove your residency, bring along the person who owns or is on the lease for your residence. This person will confirm your residency in Texas by filling out the Texas Residency Affidavit and by bringing two of the items in the list above.

Proof of Student's Identity & Lawful Presence

You can either provide:

- Texas ID, US Passport, or US Citizenship Certificate

~~OR~~

- Original Birth Certificate AND
- Original Social Security Card AND
- One of these items: Photo ID Card*, Immunization Records*, Hospital-Issued Birth Record*, Medicare or Medicaid Card*

*Documents must be issued by an institution, entity, or government agency from a US state or territory. For a complete list of options, visit aceable.com/dl-57.



Driving Exam & Driver License - DPS Checklist

Follow this checklist to make your trip to the DPS as easy and stress-free as possible.

○ Your Learner License or Driver License with B Restriction (Permit)

If you are 18-24 years old, DPS gave you a learner license. If you are 25 years or older, DPS gave you a driver license with a B restriction which restricts your driving privileges like a learner license.

These expire after 1 year, so make sure to take your driving test and get your license before it expires. You can always get your permit renewed at the DPS if you need more time.

○ Aceable ADE-1317 Certificate

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○ Impact Texas Drivers (ITD) Certificate of Completion

This certificate is emailed to you after completing a free one-hour video course about safe driving from the DPS website. You'll need to work on this within 90 days of your driving test. Learn more and get started [here](#).

○ Application of Renewal/Replacement/Change of a Texas Driver License or ID Card (DL-43)

Get this at the DPS office when you are there.

○ Provisional Driver License Application Fee

\$11 payable by cash, credit, check or money order

○ Driving Test Fee & Results (Optional)

You'll only pay a driving test fee if you choose to take your driving test at an approved third-party provider from this list. Prices generally range from \$50 to \$100. Upon passing your driving test, the driving school will give you your passing result. Bring the results with you to DPS to get your license.

○ A Vehicle

Make sure the car you use for driving test has all of these items:

- Proof of financial responsibility (insurance)
- Current registration sticker
- Two license places (front & back of the car)

If you do not own the car (for example, if it belongs to your parents), you still need to show that the car is insured, but your name does not need to be on the insurance. Rental cars can be used at the DPS for your road test, but might not be allowed if you take your road test with a driving school. Some driving schools will provide a car for you to use, sometimes at an extra fee.

If you (the student) own the car, you need to bring proof of Texas vehicle registration and proof of financial responsibility.

○ Reasonable Shoes

Don't wear high heels or flip flops. They frown upon this (for real).

○ Glasses or Contacts

Only if you need to wear them while driving!