

Requirements/FAQs

Our driver education program is offered in cooperation with Omaha Public Schools and is proud to serve all students in the greater Omaha area.

Who Can Enroll:

- At least 15 years old and hold a valid Nebraska learner's permit or Provisional Operator's Permit (POP) OR
- 14 years and two months old with a valid Nebraska Learner's Permit (LPE) attempting to obtain their School Permit (SCP) (check school permit eligibility in Nebraska Driver's Manual).

PARENTS: Your student will receive the greatest benefit from Driver Education if you work with him/her behind the wheel prior to and during class sessions. It has been said to be good at a sport, it takes 10 years and 10,000 hours of practice. Your teen wouldn't dream of playing in the big game without practicing first. Driving is no different - it takes practice.

Tuition:

- Includes classroom and behind-the-wheel instruction that meets or exceeds the State of Nebraska approved driver-training program for the POP (Provisional Operator's Permit).

Schedule:

- Classroom sessions are Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- Behind-the-wheel drive sessions are offered at a variety of times. See the registration form for drive time choices.
- Check www.SafeNebraska.org, click on Safe Driving, then Teen Driver Education for additional information.

Registration/Confirmation Options:

- Register online at www.SafeNebraska.org; confirmation will be e-mailed after successful registration
 - Register at our office (11620 M Circle).
 - Mail registration form to National Safety Council, Greater Omaha Chapter, 11620 M Circle, Omaha, NE 68137.
 - Fax registration form to 896-6331, or register by phone 896-0454 ext. 448.
- For walk-in, mail, fax or phone registrations, confirmation and parental permission form will be mailed when your registration is processed. Permission form must be returned prior to start of class.

Reminder Letters:

- Reminder letters confirming dates/times will be sent approximately one week prior to the start of class.

Upon successfully passing both classroom and behind-the-wheel testing, students receive a certificate of completion. Those under the age of 18 will also be issued a Nebraska Department of Motor Vehicles waiver of testing. Please note: Students may not apply for their POP until they have held their Nebraska Learner's Permit for six months, but can enroll in Driver Education. Please check POP restrictions in the Nebraska driver's manual.

Parents: Start Early! Talk to your teen while driving. Early learning will enhance driving later.

- When your teen is age 14, have your teen ride in the front seat while you drive. Explain the progression of defensive scanning skills; looking ahead, watching for other drivers.
- Have your teen identify all road signs and pavement markings and their meanings.
- Have your teen start judging when it is safe to turn left or right from a side street.
- Let your teen identify when it is safe to turn left at an intersection by checking the oncoming traffic.

Schedule • 2009-2010 School Year

September-2009
Classroom
Drive Dates

Burke-1, Bryan-2, NSC-A, CG-B
(8am to 1pm) September 12,19,26, October 3
Mon/Tues September 14,15,21,22,28,29
Wed/Thurs September 16,17,23,24, 30, October 1
Fri/Sat September 18,19,25,26, October 2,3

Once the student passes the drive test, no further drive sessions are needed.

October-2009
Classroom
Drive Dates

Northwest-3, Central-4, NSC-C, CG-D
(8am to 1pm) October 10,17,24,31
Mon/Tues October 12,13,19,20,26,27
Wed/Thurs October 14,15,21,22,28,29
Fri/Sat October 16,17,23,24,30,31

Once the student passes the drive test, no further drive sessions are needed.

November-2009
Classroom
Drive Dates

Benson-5, North-6, NSC-E, CG-F
(8am to 1pm) November 7,14,21, December 5
Mon/Tues November 9,10,16,17,23,24
Wed/Thurs November 11,12,18,19,25, December 3
Fri/Sat November 13,14,20,21, December 4,5

Once the student passes the drive test, no further drive sessions are needed.

**Winter Break Session
December-2009**
Classroom
Drive Dates
Once the student passes the drive test, no further drive sessions are needed.

NSC-G, CG-H
(8am to 1pm) December 12,19,24,29
December 23,26,28,30,31, January 2

January-2010
Classroom
Drive Dates

Burke-7, Central-8, NSC-J, CG-K
(8am to 1pm) January 9,16,23,30
Mon/Tues January 11,12,18,19,25,26
Wed/Thurs January 13,14,20,21,27,28
Fri/Sat January 15,16,22,23,29,30

Once the student passes the drive test, no further drive sessions are needed.

February-2010
Classroom
Drive Dates

Bryan-9, Northwest-10, NSC-L, CG-M
(8am to 1pm) February 6,13,20,27
Mon/Tues February 8,9,15,16,22,23
Wed/Thurs February 10,11,17,18,24,25
Fri/Sat February 12,13,19,20,26,27

Once the student passes the drive test, no further drive sessions are needed.

March-2010
Classroom
Drive Dates

Benson-11, North-12
(8am to 1pm) March 6,13,20, April 3
Mon/Tues March 8,9,15,16,29,30
Wed/Thurs March 10,11,17,18,31, April 1
Fri/Sat March 12,13,19,20, April 2,3

Note different drive dates for March OPS vs NSC & CG.

Once the student passes the drive test, no further drive sessions are needed.

To Register:

First look for your desired location. See key below for code location explanation and address. This code must be entered on the registration as the "classroom session code".



Next select classroom dates and a second choice in case your first choice is full.

Then choose drive days, either Mondays and Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, or Fridays and Saturdays. On the registration form, you will choose two drive times for the selected days.



Classroom Session Key/Addresses:

NSC – National Safety Council, GOC - 11620 "M" Circle

CG – Common Ground Elkhorn –
1702 Veteran's Drive

Omaha Benson High – 5120 Maple St
Omaha Burke High – 12200 Burke Blvd
Omaha Bryan High – 4700 Giles Rd
Omaha Central high – 124 N 20th St
Omaha Morton Middle – 4606 Terrace Dr
Omaha North High – 4410 N 36th St
Omaha Northwest High – 8204 Crown Point Ave
Omaha South High – 4519 S 24th St

When entering classroom session key remember to write all letters and/or numbers, ex. Burke-1 or NSC-A.

March-2010

Classroom
Drive Dates
NSC-N, CG-O
(8am to 1pm) March 6,13,20,27
Mon/Tues March 8,9,15,16,22,23
Wed/Thurs March 10,11,17,18,24,25
Fri/Sat March 12,13,19,20,26,27

Note different drive dates for March OPS vs NSC & CG.
Once the student passes the drive test, no further drive sessions are needed.

April-2010

Classroom
Drive Dates
Burke-13, South-14
(8am to 1pm) April 3,10,17,24
Mon/Tues April 5,6,12,13,19,20
Wed/Thurs April 7,8,14,15,21,22
Fri/Sat April 9,10,16,17,23,24

Note different drive dates for April OPS vs NSC & CG.
Once the student passes the drive test, no further drive sessions are needed.

April-2010

Classroom
Drive Dates
NSC-P, CG-Q
(8am to 1pm) April 3,17,24, May 1
Mon/Tues April 12,13,19,20,26,27
Wed/Thurs April 14,15,21,22,28,29
Fri/Sat April 16,17,23,24,30, May 1

Note different drive dates for April OPS vs NSC & CG.
Once the student passes the drive test, no further drive sessions are needed.

May-2010

Classroom
Drive Dates
Bryan-15, Morton Middle-16, NSC-R, CG-S
(8am to 1pm) May 1,8,15,22
Mon/Tues May 3,4,10,11,17,18
Wed/Thurs May 5,6,12,13,19,20
Fri/Sat May 7,8,14,15,21,22

Once the student passes the drive test, no further drive sessions are needed.

REFUND AND RESCHEDULE POLICY: The National Safety Council, Greater Omaha Chapter will gladly issue a full refund up to 2 weeks prior to the start date of your class. Cancellations within 2 weeks of start date are subject to a \$35 cancellation fee. Due to the high demand for Driver Education NO REFUNDS will be given once a class has started – although you may reschedule as space permits one time for \$35. Payment is due at the time of rescheduling. PLEASE NOTE THESE ADDITIONAL FEES: Missed Classroom Session - \$20 per session, additional Drive Session - \$50 per hour; Re-Test - (Drive Test) - \$50 per test.



Register

Go online: www.SafeNebraska.org
to register OR fill out this form.
All Information Required to Register!

Student's Legal Name _____
Date of Birth _____ Age _____ Male Female
Home Telephone _____
Student's School _____ Grade Level _____
POP or Permit # _____ Expiration Date _____

(POP or Permit # and Expiration Date Required)

Address _____
City/State/Zip _____
Parent/Guardian Name _____
Parent E-mail _____
Emergency Phone (work) _____ (parent cell) _____

1) Choose your classroom session key to select date and location (refer to schedule). All classroom sessions are from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
First Preference _____ Second Preference _____

2) Choose drive time (subject to change)
First Preference _____ Second Preference _____
A) Mon & Tues 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. B) Mon & Tues 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
C) Wed & Thurs 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. D) Wed & Thurs 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
E) Fridays 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. & Saturdays 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.
F) Fridays 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. & Saturdays 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Note: if you chose the Winter Break Session, please check ONE of the following drive times:
 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. to Noon Noon to 2:00 p.m.
 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

3) Indicate method of payment Course Tuition: \$339
 Payment enclosed: Make check payable to "NSC-GOC"
 Visa MasterCard AmEx Discover

Credit Card Number
Expiration Date
Name on credit card (please print) _____

Signature (required) _____

Future drivers in our home: (name/age) _____ (name/age) _____
How did you learn of our program? Please check one of the below choices. Thank You.
 Internet (NSC, Greater Omaha Chapter - website) Personal referral - relative or friend
 Internet (DMV - website) I was mailed a brochure
 At my high school Other _____
 Ad in the phone book



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Online
Registration
Available!
SafeNebraska.org,
under
"Safe Driving"
click on
"Teen Driver Education"

Teens today are facing challenges not experienced by their counterparts as recent as ten years ago! These challenges can make the transition to driving even more difficult and dangerous! The Safety Council's Driver Education program works to fit into your teen's lifestyle and reduce the stress of learning to drive!

Distractions

Teens driving with teen passengers are more likely to be distracted. Teen passengers increase crash risk, with each additional passenger adding to the risk. With three or more teenage passengers, 85% of teens' fatal crashes involved driver error!

Teens are taught to be aware of the dangers of distracted driving, not only distractions from passengers but from music players, cell phones and more.

Experience

It has been said to be good at a sport, it takes 10 years and 10,000 hours of practice. Your teen wouldn't dream of playing in the big game without practicing first. Driving is no different - it takes practice.

Behind-the-wheel driving time helps our students practice real life decision making and vehicle operation. Parents are also strongly encouraged to spend time driving with their teen.

Value Added!

Parent Opportunity

All parents of our driver education students are invited to participate in "Street Smarts™", a one hour seminar providing training, tips and recommendations to help parents work with their teen driver and allow for changes as their teen progresses from novice to seasoned driver. Call for dates, 896-0454.



Order the Guide

National Safety Council, Greater Omaha Chapter; Nebraska Office of Highway Safety and Click It-Don't Risk It have teamed up to bring you "Street Smart, Guide to Teen Safe Driving™!" Written for parents and teens, it provides great information and resources including recommendations for a contract between parents and their teens. Order your free copy, call 402-896-0454.

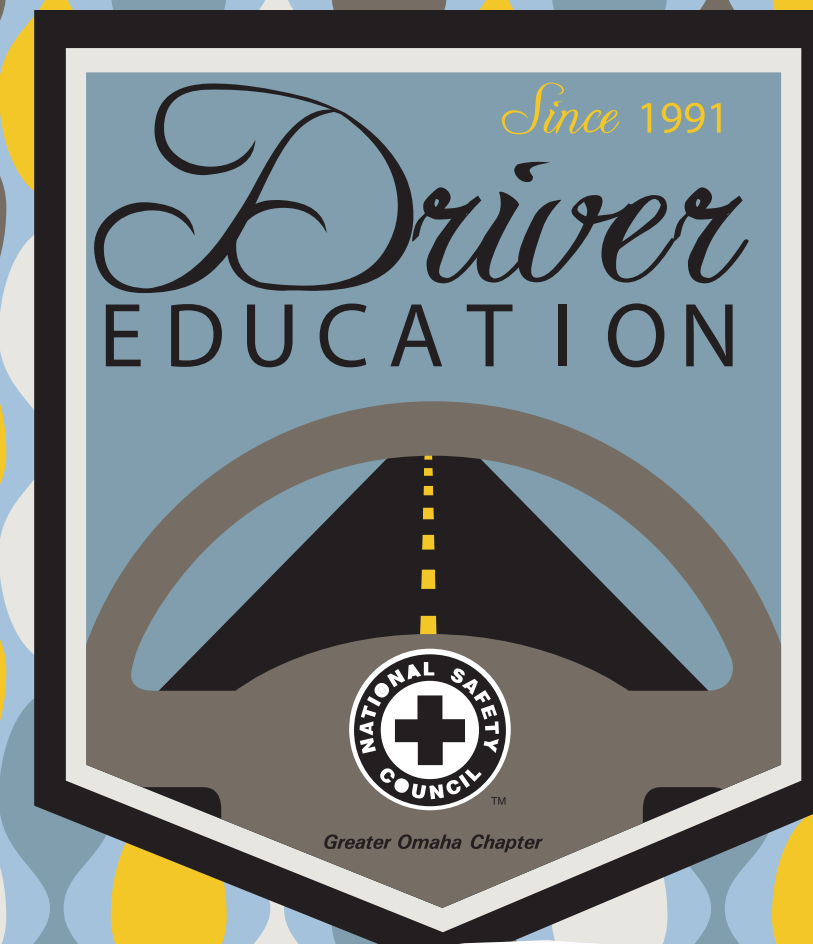
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Greater Omaha Chapter



FALL/SPRING 2009-2010 SCHEDULE

This is not your parents' DRIVER EDUCATION!

Today's classes focus on the rules of the road and more!

Technology

According to a 2008 survey, as many as 80% of 12-17 year olds own cell phones. While these phones are great for emergencies and keeping in touch, they are deadly for drivers.

The National Safety Council has called for a ban on all cell phone use while driving. The science behind this ban is shared with our driver education classes.

Emotions

The teenage years are a time of transition from childhood into adulthood. Teens often struggle with being dependent on their parents while having a strong desire to be independent.

Teaching teens to be aware that emotions affect driving decisions and response time is an important aspect of our comprehensive program.

Busy Schedules

With colleges putting more emphasis on community and extra-curricular involvement, students are busier than ever.

Our driver education classes are offered at different times and locations to best accommodate busy teens!

Thank you State Farm Insurance Companies for your support of Teen Safe Driving!

The driver education scholarship program, sponsored by State Farm Insurance Companies, covers the full cost of driver education behind-the-wheel and classroom instruction. The scholarship is needs-based as determined by Nebraska WIC income guidelines. See www.SafeNebraska.org for details. A limited number of scholarships are available.