

RISE Charter School Driver's Education Enrollment and Participation Guide

Eligibility Requirements: Students must be at least 14 ½ years old to enroll in a driver's education course. Enrolling in any driver's education course requires a learner's permit. You can apply for a permit at the DMV in Twin Falls or Buhl, no appointment necessary. To be eligible for the VOC from RISE and KSD, you must: be enrolled in a KSD School or authorized charter school, have good attendance, and have passing grades.

Applying for a Learner's Permit

To obtain a learner's permit, request a VOC form from Brianne in the front office at RISE Charter School. Take the VOC form to the DMV to apply for your permit. Prior to applying, you will need to decide who to use for your in-car instructor. See **In-Car Instruction** below.

Course Options

Students can choose from the following options to complete the education portion of driver's education:

- 1. IDLA, \$40 (Idaho Digital Learning Alliance)
- 2. Private Company, price varies
- 3. AAA Approved Course, \$59.95 (https://www.aaadriverprogram.com/idaho/commercial-driving/)

IDLA Driver's Education

Your child will be enrolled in the IDLA Driver's Education course when you have a receipt from the DMV with your permit number AND proof of payment for the course. Once you have applied for a permit, bring the DMV receipt to Jeni Walker at RISE Charter School.

Note: Students cannot be enrolled in any driver's education course without providing proof of payment and their permit number. Advanced Opportunity Funds are not available for IDLA Driver's Education, as it does not meet the minimum requirement for seat time.

In-Car Instruction

Students can choose from the following options to complete the in-car instruction portion. This decision needs to be made prior to applying for the permit:

- 1. KSD In-Car instructor, limited availability (Fee: \$100)
- 2. Private Program (Fee: starts as \$215)
- 3. Parent (Fee: None. Applies only to students living within the Kimberly City limits)

Parents who wish to serve as their child's in-car instructor must:

- 1. Obtain a KSD Verification of Compliance (VOC) from the District Office, proving that the district qualifies as a rural school district BEFORE applying for the permit.
- 2. Live in the same household as the student.
- 3. Have a valid driver's license.

For further information, contact Jeni Walker at jwalker@kimberly.edu or visit RISE Charter School.