

NORTH VERMILLION JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL

Driver Education Information

Students and Parents

North Vermillion Jr/Sr High School offers a Behind the Wheel Driver Education program to those students who are 15 years of age **BEFORE** the start of summer driving (**May 3, 2023**). We no longer offer the 30 - hour classroom instruction part of the program. Parents and students will now need to complete a state approved Driver Education on-line course prior to enrollment in the 6 hours behind the wheel instruction part of the program. Attached is information on the steps necessary to sign up for an on-line program, the steps necessary to get a learner's permit (which is required before behind the wheel driving can occur), and how to access needed information to get that permit.

After students complete a state approved online course, take the test at the BMV, make payment for the behind the wheel instruction, and receive their driving learner's permit, we will set them up with a behind the wheel instructor who is certified by the Bureau of Motor Vehicles and the Department of Education.

Driving times are scheduled with the instructor, and each student must complete and pass 6 hours of driving with an instructor. Once a student completes 6 hours of behind-the-wheel driving with an 80% or higher, their driving instructor will administer the Behind-the-Wheel Skills test. If the student passes their skills test, their instructor will issue the student a Completion of Driver Training School Course Permit (State Form 55745) needed to obtain their probationary license. Approximately two weeks before students are 16 years old and 90 days, they should make an appointment with the BMV. Students will need their permit, driving log of 50 hours, State Form 55745, and a vehicle in good working condition with proof of insurance. Please note that if a student does not receive the minimum grade of 80% in Behind-the-Wheel instruction that they will not be given the Driving Skills Test at North Vermillion and will be required to take it at the BMV once they are 16 years old and 90 days.

The cost of taking the driving program at NVHS is \$300.00 (this does not include your online course payment). **This payment along with your completion certificate of the online class is due to Debra Harding at NV Central Office by Friday, May 12, 2023 (Checks payable to NVHS).** This pays for the instructor, car rental, gas, and insurance. The cost of the online program is the responsibility of the parent. There are 17 Indiana approved on-line courses that you can choose. Each costs a different amount and are set up differently. Keep in mind; your student driver will have to pass a test at the BMV to get their learner's permit. Research the providers and pick the one that you feel will best prepare your child for driving.

If you do not have Internet access at home for the online portion of the program, you can make arrangements with the school to use our computers. Each online program requires 30 hours. You can do up to 3 hours a day. So, you could complete the program in as little as 10 days or can use as much time as needed as long as it is completed before the **May 12, 2023 deadline**. Again, steps are listed for the process on the attached sheet. If you have any questions, you may call 765-492-3364.

TO ENROLL IN DRIVERS ED AT NORTH VERMILLION JR/SR H.S.

*Students must be fifteen years old by May 3rd, 2023.

*Students/Parents must take an Indiana Approved On-line Driver Education Course.

*Courses can be found by going to <https://www.in.gov/bmv/licenses-permits-ids/files/licensed-driver-training-schools.pdf>

Choose an online provider, pay, and complete the course on or before **May 12, 2023**

*Once a student has completed the online course, a certificate of completion **must be printed and given to the school (Turn in to Mr. Culbreath)**. Once the completion certificate of the required 30-hour online course is verified, the student will need to pay \$300.00 to Debra Harding at NV Central Office for the behind the wheel program. Once payment is made and a completion form is submitted by the **May 12, 2023** deadline, students will receive the required CDE form, which they will take to the BMV to show enrollment in our behind the wheel program. (*Note: CDE forms cannot be distributed sooner than 3 weeks prior to summer driving per state regulation, April 27th, 2023*)

* At the BMV, all students must take a test and show age and licensing requirements before being issued a learner's permit. Information regarding ID requirements can be found at: <https://www.in.gov/bmv/licenses-permits-ids/learners-permits-and-drivers-licenses-overview/learners-permit/?a=84601>

*After the learner's permit is issued, students are then free to drive with their parent, sibling or spouse(21) (must be 25 yrs. or older and hold an operator's permit) and will be put into a driving group and assigned a "behind the wheel" instructor.

* Once a student completes 6 hours of behind-the-wheel driving with an 80% or higher, their driving instructor will administer the Behind-the-Wheel Skills test. Each student that completes the Driving Skills Test through North Vermillion High School shall hold the bureau, the state, and North Vermillion High School harmless for any injury sustained from any accident during the driving skills test. If the student passes their skills test, their instructor will issue the student a Completion of Driver Training School Course Permit (State Form 55745) needed to obtain their probationary license. Approximately two weeks before students are 16 years old and 90 days, they should make an appointment with the BMV. Students will need their permit, driving log of 50 hours, State Form 55745, and a vehicle in good working condition with proof of insurance. **Please note** that if a student does not receive the minimum grade of 80% in Behind-the-Wheel instruction that they will not be given the Driving Skills Test at North Vermillion and will be required to take it at the BMV once they are 16 years old and 90 days.

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North Vermillion Drivers Educating Contract with Student

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*Parents now have to keep a log of supervised driving for their students. This log requires 50 hours (10 hours at night) of supervised driving. This log can be found on the BMV website.

Course description: 6 hours of behind the wheel training by a licensed Drivers Educating Instructor

I understand the terms of this agreement: Sign name: _____

Legal Name (print): _____

Date of Birth: _____ Phone: _____

Paid amount: _____ Check Number: _____

Online Course Completed Name: _____

Date Completed online Course: _____ CDE Form given out date: _____

Received a copy of "Bill of Rights and Code Responsibilities of Drivers Education Students" _____