

## Driver Education – NESD Student Information

All NESD students are automatically eligible for the High School Driver Education Program at no cost (not including SGI fees) through the schools/division when they become age eligible. There may be additional sign-ups and registrations into classes at schools, depending upon the driving instructor. Contact your school office for this information.

Students in grade 10, should be in driver education or have taken it, some older grade 9ers may begin too. Students 16 years old or over who do not have driver education are highly recommended to take the program fully at the school. Priority into classes will be given by age. Just note that to take private driver education, costs may be as high as \$1000.

***If a student withdraws from an NESD school and they have not completed all the requirements of the High School Driver Education Program (30 hours class time, write and pass the tests, 6 hours in-car with instructor), their learners will be cancelled and they are not eligible to drive with the NESD driving instructor.***

14 years, 9 months minimum to take Driver Education. [Calculate](#)

Add to or Subtract from a Date

Result

Dec 6, 2007, Thursday  
is the date 14 years, 9 months before Sep 6, 2022

December 2007							September 2022						
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30	31												

1. → Start Date Sep 6 2022

4. [ - ]

14 years - 2.  
9 months - 3.  
0 weeks  
0 days

calculate in business days

5. → Calculate

[Saskatchewan Driver's Handbook](#)

[SGI New Class 5 Drivers](#)

## Getting Set up for the Driver Education Program

1. Student will need their Birth Certificate/Canadian Passport and Saskatchewan Health Card. SGI also provides a list of [Acceptable Documents](#).
  - If a new or replacement [Sask Birth Certificate](#) is needed.
  - If a new or replacement [Sask Health Card](#) is needed.

2. Obtain an SGI Customer Number. You must do this by visiting your local motor license issuer or any SGI motor vehicle branch office:
  - Student will need the [Signature Form/Guarantor Form for First Time Drivers](#) completed.
  - Student will need the 2 pieces of ID.
  - A photo capture at SGI will be done at this time to protect your identity, prevent fraud and identity theft.
  - Student will need a personal, professional email address (**not your school email**). Check your email for activation code (needed for step 3 – MySGI account).
  - Student will be given a Personal Identification Document. Check it over carefully and **DO NOT LOSE** – this will need to be provided to the Driving Instructor.
  
3. Now, students can get their MySGI account created.
  - Check your personal email for activation code.
  - Register for account at <https://www.mysgi.ca/>.
  - Select **I have an activation code**. Submit.
  - Enter your customer number and your activation code. Submit.
  - Create username and password and Submit (**YOU WILL NEED THIS TO WRITE YOU LEARNERS TESTS**).
  - Review and accept the Terms of Use.

Choose one of these Journeys to obtain your learner's licence:

Journey 1	OR	Journey 2
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Complete the procedures 1, 2, 3 as indicated above.</li> <li>2. Get a driver's education book from SGI. Pay a fee to challenge the exam as per SGI instructions.</li> <li>3. Once you pass the challenged exam at SGI, you may begin driving with your parents/guardians</li> <li>4. Sign up through your school for the High School Driver Education Program.</li> <li>5. Complete the required driver education course from your school (<b>30 hours in-class, 6 hours driving with instructor</b>).</li> <li>6. When you turn 16 years of age or the allotted amount of time has passed since obtaining your learners plus the course completion, you may contact SGI to book your Driver's test.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Complete the procedures 1, 2, 3 as indicated above.</li> <li>2. Sign up through your school for the High School Driver Education Program.</li> <li>3. Complete the required driver education course from your school (<b>30 hours in-class, write and pass exams, 6 hours driving with instructor</b>)</li> <li>4. Once you pass your exam with your instructor, you must Validate your learners at SGI, for a fee. You still need to complete the in-class and driving hours with the instructor.</li> <li>5. When you turn 16 years of age or the allotted amount of time has passed since obtaining your learners plus the course completion, you may contact SGI to book your Driver's test.</li> </ol>	

## Student Driver Responsibilities

Participating in the Driver Education program comes with personal responsibilities and commitment.

1. Take the required steps to have your proper identification available or ordered in a timely fashion to ensure it is available when ready to start driver training.
2. Register for the class at your school when you turn of age. Use your school's registration/enrolment process or check driver ed lists at the school office.
3. Students are required to attend classes. If any student will be missing a class, the student is required to let the instructor know.
4. Students are responsible for knowing the class schedule and of any date/time changes through your school or your driving instructor's method of communication.
5. Once students write and pass the written portions of the driver's test, and their learner's is validated, students may start driving with parents/guardians and with the driving instructor.
6. Sign up for driving with your instructor – ALWAYS have your licence with you, your glasses, proper footwear, etc. when going driving. Keep track of your driving hours with the instructor so that you can book your road test in a timely fashion when you turn 16 years of age.