



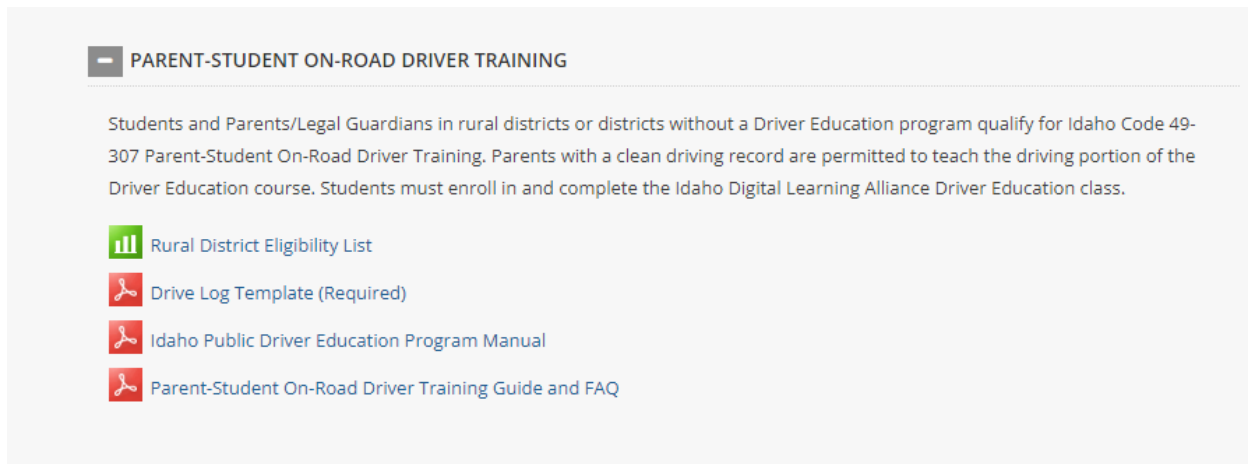
Hello! Below is a step-by-step guide on how you as a parent or guardian can start the Parent-Student On-Road Supervised Driving Program. This program is open to students who live in rural school districts set forth by [33-319 Idaho Code](#). Please refer to the list of Rural LEAs we have on the [Driver Education “Students & Families” webpage](#) to see if your family is eligible for the program. The location of the list is on the screenshot provided at the end of this guide. Steps to participate in the Parent-Student On-Road Supervised Driving Program are as follows:

1. Obtain a Verification of Compliance (VOC) letter from the school that the student attends. Please make sure that you obtain the VOC that is specific to the Parent-Student On-Road Supervised Driving Program. Be aware that qualifying for the program is based off the address that the student and family live in and not the school the student attends. This would be applicable if the student is part of an open enrollment program or attends a private or charter school. The list for rural districts can be found on the [Driver Education “Students & Families” webpage](#). Please refer to the screenshot at the bottom for location of the list. **IF THE STUDENT IS HOME SCHOOLED, YOU WILL NEED TO CONTACT THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES (DMV) YOU PLAN ON OBTAINING THE PERMIT FROM. THEY WILL HAVE THE PROPER PAPERWORK TO FILL OUT TO OBTAIN A PERMIT.**
2. When you have obtained the Verification of Compliance letter, take it to the DMV to be approved for the program and to purchase the permit for the student. Homeschooling families can fill out the paperwork at the DMV in place of a VOC
3. Once you have the permit for your student, the next step is enrolling into the Idaho Digital Learning Alliance (IDLA) Driver Education course. Your public school should have a representative to help you with enrollment. Please contact the district office of your school district to see who your representative is. You can also reach IDLA [directly](#) for further information. **PLEASE BE AWARE THAT THIS IS THE ONLY ONLINE COURSE THAT IS APPROVED FOR THE PARENT-STUDENT ON-ROAD SUPERVISED DRIVING PROGRAM.** IDLA also has representatives at various public virtual academies around the state that include:
 - a. Idaho Virtual [Academy](#)
 - b. Inspire Connections [Academy](#)
 - c. iSucceed Virtual [Academy](#)

d. Idaho Technical and Career [Academy](#)





***THESE VIRTUAL SCHOOLS DO NOT OFFER THE ONLINE DRIVER EDUCATION COURSE THAT IS REQUIRED. THEY CAN HELP YOU ENROLL IN THE IDLA COURSE IF YOU PREFER TO DEAL WITH A VIRTUAL SCHOOL INSTEAD OF YOUR LOCAL DISTRICT.

- Once enrolled into IDLA please go to the Department of Education's [Driver Education "Students & Families" webpage](#). Under the "+ Parent-Student On-Road Driver Training" icon, please download the required driving log and Idaho Public Driver Education Manual. Screenshot is below.



- PARENT-STUDENT ON-ROAD DRIVER TRAINING

Students and Parents/Legal Guardians in rural districts or districts without a Driver Education program qualify for Idaho Code 49-307 Parent-Student On-Road Driver Training. Parents with a clean driving record are permitted to teach the driving portion of the Driver Education course. Students must enroll in and complete the Idaho Digital Learning Alliance Driver Education class.

-  Rural District Eligibility List
-  Drive Log Template (Required)
-  Idaho Public Driver Education Program Manual
-  Parent-Student On-Road Driver Training Guide and FAQ

- Once you have completed the required hours and logged them into the driving log, take the driving log to the DMV for approval of hours. You will also need proof that the IDLA Driver Education Course was completed with a passing grade. The DMV will approve the hours and certify the permit for the student.

Please contact me directly with any other questions that you might have. My information is below.

Best of luck!

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