

# CONGRATULATIONS ON COMPLETING DRIVERS ED!

## HERE'S WHAT TO DO NEXT:

### Getting the permit

Your Course Completion Certificate (CCC) is NOT a permit. However you can drive with it for the first 60 days after we issue it to you. **Before the 60 days have ended you will need to apply to the BMV for the permit.** You can choose to do this by mail or in person. Refer to the back of the completion certificate for instructions.

Other paperwork you will need in order to receive your permit:

- [Class C Application](#) (note that this includes the driver's Social Security Number)
- Original Birth Certificate or valid Passport
- \$35

The BMV will return the top half of the CCC. Keep that safe—your insurance company will most likely request to see it once the license has been issued. *We strongly recommend that you take a picture or make a copy of your CCC as soon as we give it to you! We cannot reissue a CCC if you lose it; you will have to contact the BMV.*

### Driving with the permit

The State of Maine requires a minimum of **70 hours of supervised driving**, at least 10 of which must be nighttime, before you can apply for a license test. These hours must be documented in a log. We recommend using the [Road Ready App](#). The supervisor must be an adult who is at least 20 years old, has had a valid license for the last two years, and is capable of both safe and sound judgment. This person is responsible for the permitted driver, and therefore is subject to all laws for drivers (i.e., sobriety, distracted driving, etc). The original permit must be in the car at all times when you are at the wheel.

### Getting the license

You must drive for at least 6 months, and be at least 16 years old, before you are eligible to test for a license. Once you are eligible, you will submit your driving hours to the BMV. If you have used the Road Ready App simply print the hours directly from the app. If you have not used Road Ready then you will need the [BMV Driving Log](#) which serves as an application. Please note that the history number which is required can be found on the permit. The BMV will then send a letter specifying the date and time of the assigned test.

### Road-Test Review:

Included in your indieDriver tuition is a one hour refresher prior to the Road Test. The review starts and ends at the BMV in Portland, 125 Presumpscot Street. It will be conducted in the student's car, preferably the one that will be used for the test. We will administer a "mock test" so that you know what to expect from the moment you arrive for your test until it's over, and includes our evaluation (this is not provided to the BMV or recorded in any way; it is strictly for your reference). To schedule a review **contact us at least 14 days in advance or when mailing in your paperwork to the state.** Failure to give us adequate advance notice may result in our inability to schedule a review as we cannot guarantee our availability within a two week span. *Do not wait until you get your letter to set up your review!*

### LINKS:

Class C Application: <https://www.maine.gov/sos/bmv/forms/MVE%20-%2064.pdf>

Road Ready App: <https://www.roadreadyapp.com/>

BMV Driving Log: <https://www.maine.gov/sos/bmv/forms/Permittee%20Driving%20Log.pdf>