



Getting a US Drivers License



Buying or importing a car

- You will need a vehicle to learn in and do the road test.
- The vehicle must be registered to you and you must be insured to drive it.
- You will need proof of registration and insurance for the road test.



If you already have a license

- You will need to first phone the DMV to make an appointment.
- Take your Passport, I-94 card, I-20, international drivers license, proof of residence, social security card (if you have one) and cash for the fee.





Theory test

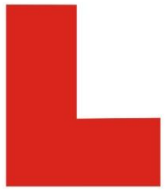


- You will then complete the theory test.
- This test of 40 questions is on the rules and regulations surrounding driving in America.
- You must get at least 75% to pass.
- There are lots of books and online resources to help prepare.

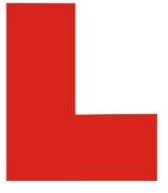


Road Test

- Once you pass the theory you will go onto the road test.
- The instructor will first need to see your proof of registration and insurance.
- The first stage involves manoeuvres such as the parallel park and reverse.
- The second stage consists of a short drive around the area.



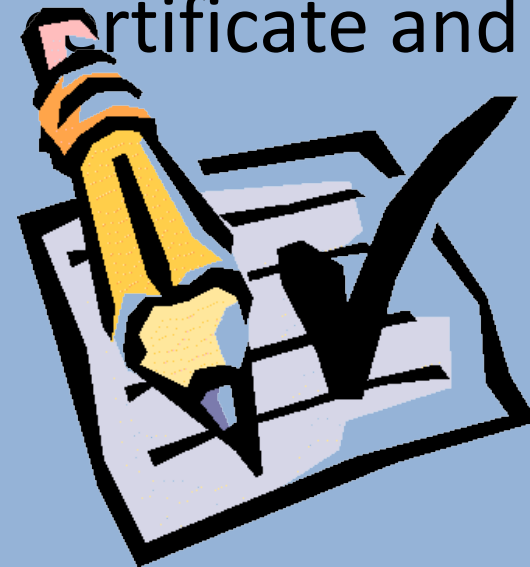
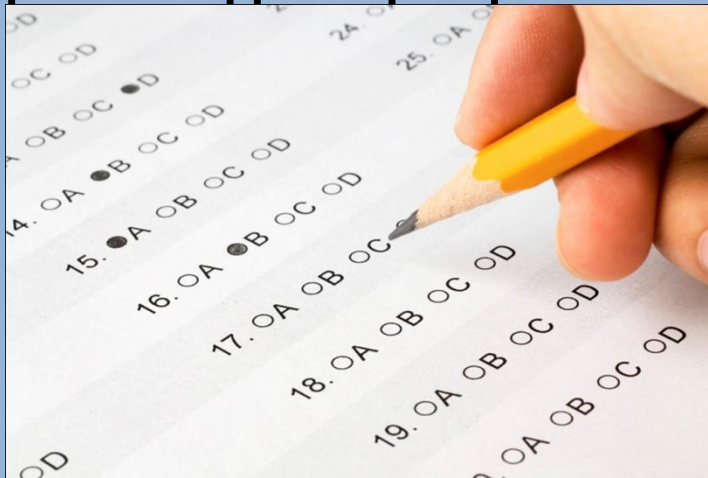
If you don't have a license



- You will need to obtain a drivers permit in order to learn to drive.
- This requires the completion of a drivers education course.
- The easiest way to do this is online.
- Once you pass you will be issued a completion certificate.

Getting the permit

- Take your certificate of completion, passport, I-94 card, I-20, proof of residence, social security card (if you have one) and cash down to the DMV.
- You will then exchange the certificate and take



Learning

- When learning to drive you must have a licensed driver over 21 in the car with you.
- You can also learn through a drivers school if you don't have your own car.



Going for a license

- You can go to take the road test whenever you feel ready.
- Phone the DMV of your choice to make an appointment for that day.
- The road test is then the same as before.

If you pass

- You will initially be given a paper license.
- You should receive your official drivers license in the mail 2-6 weeks later.



Where to go

- There are several DMV's in the local area:
- Melbourne - 1515 Sarno Road 32935
(321) 255-4410
- Palm Bay - 450 Cogan Drive SE 32908
(321) 952-4540
- A full list can be found at:
 - <http://www.flhsmv.gov/offices/brevard.html>

FLOW bus

- The mobile Florida DMV will be on campus on Saturday the 27th the bus will be parked by the alumni house and is able to give written tests, road tests and issue Florida drivers license's.
- To request an appointment between 9am – 2pm email - ddeaton@fit.edu

