

## Dear Parent/Guardian:

### **TO OBTAIN A LIMITED LEARNER PERMIT YOU MUST BE 15 YEARS OLD and provide DMV with required documents.**

The following list should help you as a parent/ guardian to know exactly what you must take with you to the DMV driver license/id division with your applicable child\*:

- Original student Social Security Card
- Original certified birth certificate (this is NOT the "Mother's" copy). This can be obtained at the courthouse in the county where your child was born; most counties offer an online ordering service as well.
- One document proving NC residency (**two** documents are required to secure the N.C. Real ID\*).
- Original Driver Ed Certificate of Completion – This is issued by your child's behind-the-wheel instructor.
- Original Driving Eligibility Certificate-- This is issued by your child's school (usually the front or guidance office) upon request and by appointment and is only valid for 30 days.
- Parent/ guardian with a valid driver license
- \$21.50 (cash, check, or charge)--subject to change
- Beginning October 1, 2020, federal agencies will enforce the REAL ID Act, which requires a REAL ID, U.S. passport or another federally approved identification to board commercial flights and enter secure federal buildings. For more information about the \*N.C. REAL ID please visit the following website:

<https://www.ncdot.gov/dmv/driver/realid/>.

**Documents to secure the N.C. Real ID:** 1 document (with full name) proving identity and date of birth; 1 document (with full name and full Social Security Number) confirming Social Security number; \*2 documents (with current physical address) proving NC residency; for non-U.S. citizens, one document (with full name) proving legal presence/lawful status; and if applicable, one or more documents verifying any name change. For acceptable documents visit:

<https://www.ncdot.gov/dmv/license-id/nc-real-id/Pages/requirements.aspx>

For acceptable proof of residency visit:

<https://www.ncdot.gov/dmv/help/Pages/proving-residency.aspx>

**DMV permit information:**

<https://www.ncdot.gov/dmv/license-id/driver-licenses/new-drivers/Pages/license-learner-permit.aspx>

**New Driver information:**

<https://www.ncdot.gov/dmv/license-id/driver-licenses/new-drivers/Pages/default.aspx>

**Limited Learner Permit (Level 1)**-first 6 months: may only drive from 5:00 am to 9:00 pm with your supervisor - Second 6 months: your child may drive anytime as long as your supervisor is in the vehicle with your child and actively monitoring your child's driving.

**Limited Provisional License (Level 2)**- first 6 months: unsupervised driving is allowed between 5:00 am and 9:00 pm or when driving to or from work. An automobile liability insurance verification or DL123 needs to be provided to DMV by you from your insurance agency. This is a dated document and is only valid for 30 days.

**Full Provisional License (Level 3)**-unsupervised driving is allowed at any time.