



DRIVER EDUCATION REGISTRATION

Dear Parents:

Your son/daughter has expressed an interest in the Driver Education program to be offered at Thom Collegiate High School.

This course will consist of a minimum of 30 hours classroom and six hours behind-the-wheel in-car instruction, and will be conducted under the direction of Saskatchewan Learning.

The object of Driver Education is to prepare competent and skillful young drivers. It is most important, therefore, that the student be allowed to practice in the family car until he/she has mastered what has been taught. It is in this area that parents have a great part to play in the satisfactory completion of the training.

Your attention is drawn to the fact that students in this program will hold a Class 7 learner's license.

Please note the following restrictions:

- Must have a supervising driver in the front passenger seat at all hours
- Supervising driver must be an experienced, licensed driver (not in the G.D.L. Program)
- Between midnight and 5:00AM passengers must be immediate family members
- Number of passengers limited to number of seat belts
- Cannot consume any alcohol and drive (zero blood alcohol content)

Effective September 1, 2005, Saskatchewan's new Graduated Driver's Licensing Program (G.D.L.) replaced the Probationary Driver's program.

For further information, contact Mr. Nightingale at 306-501-6030 or Thomdrivers@gmail.com.

The only cost to the student will be the usual cost of a license.

The return of the attached form, with your signature will assure us that we have your full consideration, co-operation and willingness for your son/daughter to participate in the program.

Yours sincerely,

Jillian Sutherland
Principal

This completed form may be handed in at the school office or emailed to thomcollegiate@rbe.sk.ca

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

SGI Customer Number: _____
(Students will not be accepted into a class without this number)

Ministry of Education Student I.D.#: _____

NAME: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____ / _____ / _____
Last Name First Name Day Month Year

RBE Email Address: _____@rbe.sk.ca Student Phone #: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Parent/Guardian Name & Cell Phone: _____

Please identify any allergies and/or medical concerns: _____

Have you taken a Driver Education class before? **Y** or **N** If so, how many hours? In-Class: ____ In-Car: ____

- **STUDENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED ON AN OLDEST FIRST BASIS AND MUST BE 15 YEARS OF AGE PRIOR TO BEGINNING CLASS. THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- **STUDENTS MUST BE IN GOOD STANDING AT THEIR HIGH SCHOOL, INCLUDING MARKS, ATTITUDE AND ATTENDANCE.**

Information for Parents/Guardians

Students will receive Driver Education instruction for a minimum of 30 hours in a classroom and 6 hours in a car behind the wheel. The vehicle used has a dual-brake control and is insured for all who ride in it. The 6 hours of in-car instruction provides a very basic level of driver training. It is extremely important, therefore, that the student be allowed to practice in the family vehicle until he/she has mastered what has been taught. It is in this area that parents/guardians have an integral part to play in the satisfactory completion of the training.

Successful program students will hold a learner's license. All students under the age of 16 with a learner's license must be accompanied by the parent, legal guardian or authorized instructor who holds a current valid operator's license. Anyone accompanying a student driver must fulfil the requirements as outlined in the SGI Driver Handbook.

I hereby grant approval for the above-named student to receive driver instruction in the Driver Education Program offered at Thom Collegiate.

Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Principal Name

Principal Signature

Date

IMPORTANT!!
Students **MUST** obtain an SGI Customer Number from SGI and set up an MYSGI account in order to be accepted into the Driver Education Program. Please see the attached for complete instructions.