Unit: Pennsylvania Laws and Regulations

Content Standard: Traffic Laws Related to Safe Driving

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|---|--|---|
| A. Identify and Explain Traffic Laws Related To Safe Driving • traffic controls (signs, signals, markings) • right of way • speed regulations • pedestrian rights and responsibilities | Identify signs as regulatory, warning, guide by shape and color Explain the meaning of signs from sight Identify different types of pavement markings, their functions and meanings Explain the purpose of Right of Way Laws that prevent conflicts on the road with other drivers and pedestrians Define the term 'driving at a safe speed" Explain maximum Speed limits Explain minimum speed limits Explain special speed limits in a school zone | PA Drivers Manual (current edition) License to Drive in Pennsylvania, The Alliance for Safe Driving. The Delmar Thomson Learning Co. © 2002 License to Drive in Pennsylvania workbook. The Delmar Thomson Learning Co. Overhead/PowerPoint masters provided with the Pennsylvania Enhanced Driver Education Program | Teacher made tests Correcting workbook Homework assignments Class participation Teacher made worksheets |

Unit: Pennsylvania Laws and Regulations

Content Standard: Traffic Laws Related to Safe Driving

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|---|--|---|-------------------------|
| A. Identify and Explain Traffic Laws Related to Safe | Identify drivers responsibilities when | PA Drivers Manual (current edition) | Teacher made tests |
| Driving. • traffic controls (signs, | encountering pedestrians | License to Drive in | Correcting workbook |
| signals, markings) • right of way | | Pennsylvania, The Alliance for Safe Driving. The Delmar | Homework assignments |
| speed regulationspedestrian rights and | | Thomson Learning Co. © 2002 | Class participation |
| responsibilities | | License to Drive in Pennsylvania workbook. The Delmar Thomson Learning Co. | Teacher made worksheets |
| | | Overhead/PowerPoint masters provided with the Pennsylvania Enhanced Driver Education Program | |

Unit: Pennsylvania Laws and Regulations

Content Standard: Laws that Relate to Responsible Use of a Vehicle

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|---|--|--|
| B. Identify and Explain Laws That Relate to Responsible Use of a Vehicle | Explain how to register a vehicle in Pennsylvania | Pennsylvania Drivers Manual | Teacher made testsCorrecting workbook |
| Vehicle Registration Insurance Regulations Vehicle/emissions inspection Seat Belts | List the types of insurance that may be purchased and explain which are required and which are optional Required: | License to Drive in Pennsylvania Textbook License to drive in Pennsylvania workbook | Homework assignmentsClass Participation |
| Child safety seats Passengers in pickup trucks | Bodily injury liability Property damage liability Medical Benefits coverage Optional: Collision Comprehensive Uninsured/Underinsured motorist protection Define and explain the following terms: Policy Deductible Premium Liability Explain what is meant by vehicle emissions testing | Overhead/PowerPoint masters provided by the PA Enhanced Driver Education Program | Teacher made worksheets |

Unit: Pennsylvania Laws and Regulations

Content Standard: Laws that Relate to Responsible Use of a Vehicle

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|---|--|--|-------------------------|
| B. Identify and Explain Law That Relate to Responsible | Explain seat belt laws in the state of Pennsylvania | Pennsylvania Drivers Manual | Teacher made tests |
| Use of a Vehicle Vehicle Registration | as they pertain to all drivers | License to Drive in | Correcting workbook |
| Insurance RegulationsVehicle/emissions | Explain child safety seat laws in Pennsylvania | Pennsylvania Textbook | Homework assignments |
| inspection • Seat Belts | · | License to drive in Pennsylvania workbook | Class Participation |
| Child safety seats Passengers in pickup trucks | | Overhead/PowerPoint masters provided by the PA Enhanced Driver Education Program. | Teacher made worksheets |
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Unit: Pennsylvania Laws and Regulations

Content Standard: Describe the Pennsylvania Licensing Process

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|---|--|--------------------|
| A. Describe the Pennsylvania Licensing Procedures How to obtain a permit Graduated licensing | Explain the steps in obtaining a PA Permit Must be at least 16 years old Complete a permit application (DL -180) Pass the vision and written test Permit is good for 1 year First 6 months to be used for practice driving. After 6 months, eligible to take the road test. If passed, person receives a junior license until they are18, (171/2 if driver education and driver training courses are passed with a clean driving record) Explain graduated licensing | Pennsylvania Drivers Manual Overheads | Teacher made Tests |

Unit: Pennsylvania Laws and Regulations

Content Standard: Describe the Pennsylvania Licensing Process

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|--|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| A. Describe the PennsylvaniaLicensing ProceduresHow to obtain a permit | With a junior license in Pennsylvania there are restrictions on the young | Pennsylvania Drivers Manual | Teacher made Tests |
| Graduated licensing | driver (no. of persons in the car cannot exceed the no. of seatbelts: No driving from 11:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.)At age 18 the restrictions are removed | • Overheads | |

Unit: Knowledge of Vehicle Operations

Content Standard: Pre-trip Inspection Outside the Vehicle

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|---|---|--|--|
| A. Identify and Describe the Pre-Trip Inspection Outside the Vehicle. | Explain the visual inspection steps outside the vehicle (e.g. wheels, body, lights) | License to drive in Pennsylvania textbook License to drive in | Teacher made TestsCorrecting workbook |
| | Explain the visual inspection of surroundings (e.g. front, sides, back) | Pennsylvania Workbook | Class participation Teacher made worksheets |

Unit: Knowledge of Vehicle Operations

Content Standard: Pre-trip Preparation Inside the vehicle

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|------------------------------|--|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| B. Identify and Describe the | Identify and explain the | License to Drive Textbook | Teacher made Tests |
| Pre-Trip Preparation Inside | following: | | |
| the Vehicle. | Car door locks | License to Drive Workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | Ignition | | |
| | Seat position | | Class participation |
| | Mirror settings | | |
| | (traditional/enhanced) | | Teacher made worksheets |
| | Communications controls | | |
| | (e.g. turn signals, | | |
| | high/low beams, | | |
| | flashers) | | |
| | Safety devices (e.g. | | |
| | wipers, seat belt | | |
| | adjustments, head restraints) | | |
| | Comfort/ climate controls | | |
| | (e.g. heater, air | | |
| | conditioner, defroster) | | |
| | Hand position on | | |
| | steering wheel | | |

Unit: Knowledge of Vehicle Operations

Content Standard: Modern Vehicle Technology

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|--|---|---------------------|
| C. Identify and Assess the Purpose of New Vehicle | Identify and explain the following: | License to Drive Textbook | Teacher made Tests |
| Technology | Owner manual specifications | License to Drive Workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | Air bags Antilock Braking System (ABS) Global Positioning System (GPS) Electronic Stabilization Control (ESC) | Teacher made Overheads/PowerPoint presentations | Class participation |

Unit: Knowledge of Vehicle Operations

Content Standard: Basic Driving Skills

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|---|--|--|---|
| D. Describe and Explain the | Explain the following: | Pennsylvania Drivers | Teacher made tests |
| Proper Application of Basic Driving Skills | staying in the driving lane starting from a stop accelerating recognizing when to | License to drive textbook | Correcting workbookClass participation |
| | brake making a left turn into traffic making right turns | License to drive workbookTeacher made | |
| | driving in reverse entering and exiting flow of traffic on a limited- access highway | Overheads/PowerPoint presentations | |
| | making lane changes selecting a sufficient gap to enter traffic passing | | |

Unit: Knowledge of Vehicle Operations

Content Standard: Post-trip Procedures

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|--|
| E. Identify Post – Trip Procedures | Securing the vehicle (e.g. place in park, set parking brake, remove keys) | Pennsylvania Drivers manual | Teacher made testsTeacher made handouts |
| | Exiting the vehicle (e.g. open door safely, face traffic | License to drive textbook | Correcting workbook |
| | when exiting, lock doors) | License to drive workbook | Class participation |
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Unit: Perceptual Skills Development

Content Standard: Perception as a Mental Process

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|--|---|----------------------|
| A. Describe Perception as a Mental Process that is | Describe and explain the following: | License to drive Textbook | Teacher made tests |
| Selective and Can Be Improved. | Visual functions: central, fringe, peripheral, depth | How to be a More Perceptive Driver Textbook, | Correcting workbooks |
| | Projected path of travelScanning environment | © 1997, Safety Enterprises | Class participation |
| | and staying in driving lane | License to drive workbook | |
| | The S I P D E processThe Smith System | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | |
| | The Child Cyclem | ' | |
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Unit: Perceptual Skills Development

Content Standard: Visual Search Categories

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|---|--|--|
| B. Describe Visual Search Categories for Identifying | Identify and explain the following: | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| Risk | Traffic controls Highway characteristics/conditions Other highway users | How to be a More Perceptive Driver Textbook © 1997, Safety Enterprises License to drive workbook Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Correcting workbooksClass Participation |
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Unit: Perceptual Skills Development

Content Standard: Traffic Situations and Avoidance Strategies

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|---|---|---|
| C. Identify Traffic Situations and Develop Avoidance | Identify and explain the following: | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| Strategies | Judging speed traveling around a curve Looking before pulling | How to be a More Perceptive Driver Textbook © 1997, Safety Enterprises | Correcting workbookTeacher made handouts |
| | out from a driveway or | | Teacher made handouts |
| | stop signReducing crash potential | License to drive workbook | Class participation |
| | Recognizing a stopped vehicle | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | |
| | Changing speed and/or direction | | |
| | Judging speed and distances of on- coming traffic | | |
| | Making correct decisions at intersections | | |
| | Applying basic driving skills to city, rural and expressway driving | | |

Unit: Perceptual Skills Development

Content Standard: The Need for Divided Visual and Mental Attention

| Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|---|--|---|
| Identify and explain the following: | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| searching from path of | How to be a more | Correcting workbook |
| and roadway markings | Perceptive Driver Textbook | Teacher made handouts |
| travel for intersection problems | License to drive workbook | Class participation |
| searching from path of travel to new entry lane when turning left or right searching from path of travel to instrument panel for speed and vehicle information Searching from path of travel to vehicle | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | |
| | Identify and explain the following: searching from path of travel to signs, signals, and roadway markings searching from path of travel for intersection problems searching from path of travel to new entry lane when turning left or right searching from path of travel to instrument panel for speed and vehicle information Searching from path of | Identify and explain the following: searching from path of travel to signs, signals, and roadway markings searching from path of travel for intersection problems searching from path of travel to new entry lane when turning left or right searching from path of travel to instrument panel for speed and vehicle information Searching from path of travel to vehicle accessories for License to drive textbook Perceptive Driver Textbook License to drive workbook Overhead/PowerPoint presentations |

Unit: **Decision-making Risk Reduction**

Content Standard: Models of Decision-making

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| A. Identify and Know a Model | Identify, list, and explain the | License to Drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| for Decision-Making | following: • Stop-Think-Go | License to drive workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | SIPDE (Search, Identify, Predict, Decide, Execute) | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Teacher made handouts |
| | SEE (Search, Evaluate, | presentations | Class participation |
| | Execute) | | |
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Unit: Decision-making/Risk Reduction

Content Standard: Concerns when Sharing the Roadway

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| B. Identify and Describe Concerns When Sharing the | Identify and describe the following concern to | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| Roadway | motorists: • Motorized vehicles | License to drive workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | Non-motorized vehicles Commercial/large vehicles Pedestrians Animals | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Class participation |

Unit: Decision-making/Risk Reduction

Content Standard: Emotional Effects on Driver Decisions

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| C. Identify How Emotions Affect Driver Decisions | Identify the following as they relate to driving a | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| | vehicle: • Depression/Sadness | License to drive workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | ElationAngerRoad Rage | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Class participation |
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Unit: Decision-making/Risk Reduction

Content Standard: Characteristics of the Aggressive Driver

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| D. Describe the Characteristics of the Aggressive Driver | Identify and explain the following as they relate to | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| | the driving environment: • High Speed | License to drive workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | Erratic vehicleMovementsGesturesVocal outbursts | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Class participation |

Unit: Decision-making/Risk Reduction

Content Standard: Identify appropriate Responses to the Aggressive Driver

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|---------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| E. Identify Appropriate | Identify and explain the | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| Responses to the Aggressive Driver | following: | License to drive workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | Speed adjustmentLane adjustment | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Class participation |
| | | Video – Road Rage | |
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Unit: Decision-making/Risk Reduction

Content Standard: **Driver Distractions and the appropriate Responses**

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| F. Driver Distractions and the Appropriate Responses | Identify the following distractions and the | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| | appropriate responses to them: | License to drive workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | Within the vehicle (e.g. passengers and pets, food and drinks, cell phones and other electronic devices) Outside the vehicle (e.g. construction zones, people, accidents, and emergency vehicles) | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Class participation |

Unit: Decision-making/Risk Reduction

Content Standard: Consequences of High Risk Driver Actions and Human Error

| Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|---|--|--|
| Analyze the consequences of unsafe driver actions and | Pennsylvania Drivers manual drive | Teacher made tests |
| human error : Vehicular crashes | License to drive textbook | Correcting workbook |
| Loss of license | | Class participation |
| | License to drive workbook | |
| Property damageCivil liabilityFinancial lossPennsylvania Point | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | |
| | Analyze the consequences of unsafe driver actions and human error: Vehicular crashes Loss of license Fines Injury or death Property damage Civil liability Financial loss | Analyze the consequences of unsafe driver actions and human error: Vehicular crashes Loss of license Fines Injury or death Property damage Civil liability Financial loss Pennsylvania Drivers manual drive License to drive textbook License to drive workbook Overhead/PowerPoint presentations |

Unit: **Driving Conditions**

Content Standard: Hazardous Conditions and their Effects

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|---------------------|
| A. Describe Hazardous | Define and explain the | Pa Drivers manual drive | Teacher made tests |
| Conditions and Their Effects | following as they pertain to | | |
| on Driving | the driving environment | License to drive textbook | Correcting workbook |
| | • Snow | | |
| | • Rain | License to drive workbook | Class participation |
| | • Fog | | |
| | Sleet/ice | Overhead/PowerPoint | |
| | Hydroplaning | presentations | |
| | Skidding | | |
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Unit: **Driving Conditions**

Content Standard: Challenges of Night Driving and Appropriate Responses

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|---|---|---------------------|
| B. Identify Challenges of Night Driving and Appropriate | Identify the following and explain how these | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| Responses to Them | conditions can affect the driver: | License to drive workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | Reduced VisibilityEye FatigueOverdriving headlights | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations How to be a More | Class participation |
| | | Perceptive Driver Textbook | |
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Unit: **Driving Conditions**

Content Standard: Dangers of Vehicle Malfunctions

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| C. Dangers of Vehicle Malfunctions | Identify the dangers of vehicle malfunctions and | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| | other sudden emergencies: • Blowouts | License to drive workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | Brake failures Stuck Accelerator Engine stalls Engine overheats Engine fire Warning indicator malfunctions Off-road recovery | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Class participation |

Unit: **Driving Conditions**

Content Standard: Dangers of Sudden Emergencies

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|---|---|-----------------------------------|---|
| D. Identify the Dangers of Sudden Emergencies | Identify the following as they pertain to the driving | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| | environmentHigh WaterVehicle crossing center | License to drive workbook | Correcting workbookClass participation |
| | Vehicle crossing center Line Vehicle not yielding at intersection Vehicle running off roadway Traction loss to front and rear tires | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | • Class participation |

Unit: Influences Upon Driver Performance

Content Standard: Legal Aspects of Alcohol and other Drugs

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|---|--|---|---------------------|
| A. Legal Aspects of Alcohol and Other Drugs | Define and analyze the problem of driving under the | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| | influence (DUI): • Significance of problem | License to drive workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | ConsequencesSolutions | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Class participation |
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Unit: Influences Upon Driver Performance

Content Standard: Factors that influence Individuals to Use Alcohol and other Drugs

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| B. Factors that Influence Alcohol and Drug Usage | Identify and analyze the physiological and | License to drive textbook | Teacher made tests |
| | psychological effects of alcohol on the driver: | License to drive workbook | Correcting workbook |
| | Process of alcohol entering and exiting the body How alcohol affects people differently Changes to the central nervous system | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Class participation |

Unit: Influences Upon Driver Performance

Content Standard: **Driving under the Influence**

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| C. Driving Under the Influence (DUI) | Identify and analyze the physiological and | License to drive textbook | License to drive textbook |
| | psychological effects of drugs: | License to drive workbook | License to drive workbook |
| | Types (e.g. over the counter, prescription, controlled substances) How drugs affect people differently Changes to central nervous system | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations |

Unit: Influences Upon Driver Performance

Content Standard: Physiological and Psychological Effects of Alcohol

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|---|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| D. Physiological and Psychological Effects of | Identify and analyze how alcohol and other drugs | License to drive textbook | License to drive textbook |
| Alcohol | affect driving performance:Impaired judgment and | License to drive workbook | License to drive workbook |
| | reasoning Visual impairment Slower motor skills Increased response time Loss of reality | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations |

Unit: Influences Upon Driver Performance

Content Standard: Physiological and Psychological Effects of Drugs

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| E. Physiological and Psychological Effects of | Evaluate the factors that influence individuals to use | License to drive textbook | License to drive textbook |
| Drugs | alcohol and drugs: • Advertising | License to drive workbook | License to drive workbook |
| | Peer pressure Social norms Culture Holidays | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations |

Unit: Influences Upon Driver Performance

Content Standard: Effects of Alcohol and Drugs on Driving Performance

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|--|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| F. Effects of Alcohol and Drugs on Driving Performance | Know the legal aspects of alcohol and other | License to drive textbook | License to drive textbook |
| | drugs: Terms and meanings | License to drive workbook | License to drive workbook |
| | associated with drinking and driving Penalties while intoxicated Implied consent Zero tolerance | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations |

Unit: Influences Upon Driver Performance

Content Standard: Types of Fatigue and How to Combat their Effects

| Course Content | Student Performance | Resources | Assessments |
|---|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| G. Types of Fatigue and How to Combat their Effects | Identify types of fatigue a how to combat their | License to drive textbook | License to drive textbook |
| | effects: • Mental and physical | License to drive workbook | License to drive workbook |
| | types (e.g. boredom, eye strain, drowsiness) Symptoms (e.g. slowed response time, daydreaming, heavy eyes) Methods to delay fatigue (e.g. exit and walk around the vehicle, pull over, rest) | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations | Overhead/PowerPoint presentations |