

Preston Driving School, INC.  
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Office Hours Monday - Friday  
10:00am - 3:00pm  
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FIRST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ MIDDLE \_\_\_\_\_ LAST \_\_\_\_\_

AGE \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTH DATE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

### DRIVER EDUCATION COURSE

1. Preston Driving School will provide a minimum of 24 hours of classroom instruction, 6 hours of behind-the-wheel (BTW) instruction, and 4 hours of observation time. Classroom instruction must be a minimum of three weeks in length. BTW instruction will not begin until the student has received a minimum of 4 hours of classroom instruction. BTW instruction must be completed no later than 3 weeks after the classroom instruction has been completed.
2. Preston Driving School will supply a dual-controlled car, completely insured and a licensed instructor.
3. To pass Segment 1 a student must:
  - a. Turn in all written homework and notes
  - b. Take and turn in all written quizzes
  - c. Pass the State of Michigan Test with a 70% or higher
  - d. Be in class for a total of 12 days and 24 hours minimum (2 hours each class)
  - e. Complete all 6 driving and 4 observation hours with a certified instructor
4. If a student does not pass or complete the written and driving portion of driver education within a six week period, he or she must repeat the class in its entirety. The charge for the retake will be \$170.00
5. The student must be at least 14 years 8 months to begin Segment One.
6. All scheduled driving lessons that are missed due to conflicts must be canceled 24 hours in advance.
7. A \$35.00 charge will be assessed without a 24 hour notice of cancellation.
8. If the student needs additional driving time during the six week period. It will be made available at a cost of \$30.00 per hour.
9. A \$20.00 book charge if the textbook is lost or damaged.
10. After passing Segment 1 the student will be issued a Michigan Driver Education Certificate of Completion showing that they have passed Segment 1. THIS IS NOT A DRIVER'S LICENSE!!
11. To receive a Level One License, you must go to the Secretary of State.
12. There will be a \$10.00 replacement fee for Certificate of Completion that is lost, damaged or stolen.
13. To enroll with Preston Driving School the student must have:
  - a. A valid birth certificate
  - b. All application forms
  - c. Payment: cash, money order, or check made out to Preston Driving School
14. The driving records of each individual instructor are available for review upon request.
15. Make up time will have to be discussed with the performing instructor.

DATE OF CLASS: \_\_\_\_\_

**TERMS**

1. Cost of the Driver Education Course: Segment 1 Only: \$490.00
2. This is subject to change due to constant fluctuation in gas prices.
3. Total cost must be paid by the first week of class.
4. Payments may be made by cash, money order or check - no credit cards.
5. A \$25.00 fee will be charged for NSF checks.

**REFUNDS**

1. During the first week of class there will be a 50% refund, if you drop out.
2. No refund will be given after the first week of class.
3. No refunds will be given before all materials are returned to the school.
4. All materials and payments must be turned in before a Driver Education Certificate of Completion is issued.

WE, UNDERSTAND THE CONTRACT LISTED ABOVE AND AGREE TO ALL OF THE TERMS

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Legal Guardian Print \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Preston Driving Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTICE:** THIS PROVIDER IS REQUIRED TO BE CERTIFIED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE. IF YOU HAVE ANY COMPLAINTS, WHICH YOU CANNOT SETTLE WITH THE SCHOOL, WRITE:

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
DRIVING PROGRAMS DIVISION  
LANSING, MI 48918**

Completion of Driver Training Programs does not automatically guarantee a Driver's License.

## **PRESTON DRIVING SCHOOL, INC.**

At Preston Driving School, it is our intention to educate and instruct your beginning driver to the best of our ability. Outside the classroom instruction time, your child will be driving for a minimum of six hours on Michigan Roads and highways with a highly qualified instructor.

During the six hours of road time, your child will have various types of driving experiences. Beginning with the most basic driving tasks and ending with more difficult driving tasks.

After completing Segment 1, each student will possess the necessary knowledge and skills to begin driving with their parents.

Students are required to select a driving partner for the six hours of roadway instruction. The students will drive with their partner in two-hours blocks. The driving times are after class or on weekends. Their Driving schedule is very flexible.

Occasionally due to illness, unavailability of transportation or other circumstances, only one driver may show up to drive.

In this situation, we are available to drive the student individually. Please indicate below if your son/daughter has permission to ride alone with a driving instructor in the event their partner is not available to drive at the designated time.

AT PRESTON DRIVING SCHOOL- YOUR CHILD'S SAFETY AND WELL-BEING IS OUR NUMBER ONE PRIORITY.

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### **PRESTON DRIVING SCHOOL**

(PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING)

My child has my permission to drive alone with an instructor if needed.

I prefer my child NOT DRIVE ALONE in an automobile with an instructor or to be transported home alone with the instructor. The student will be returned to Grand Ledge High School at the pool entrance.

STUDENT \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN PRINT \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

Please sign and have your child return the bottom of this form to Mr. Preston as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Randy Preston

**PRESTON DRIVING SCHOOL, INC.**  
**Parent Driving Permit - Information and Permission Slip**

The State of Michigan provides for the issuance of a parent driving permit (pink slip) for students in driver education courses. Permits can be issued to students who have completed a minimum of 10 hours of classroom instruction, and after the student has driven a minimum of two hours with a driver education instructor.

Prior to issuance, parents are required to review the information and give permission for the students to receive the permit. Please review the following information concerning Parent Driving Permits and sign the permission statement below.

1. Parent Driving Permits are issued to students in an approved driver education course upon permission of both a parent and the driver education instructor.
2. The permit can only be used when a licensed parent or licensed legal guardian accompanies the student or when both a non-licensed parent or legal guardian and a licensed adult accompany the student. Only the student and the licensed parent or licensed legal guardian may sit in the front seat while using this permit.
3. Parents must contact their insurance company to determine whether a change in the policy is required prior to using the permit.
4. The permit is valid as long as the student is enrolled in a segment 1 class. If the student's enrollment is terminated or the class is completed, the permit is considered expired.

I have read the above information and agree to abide by the rules as stated above. I understand all rules listed above, and agree to abide by these rules. I understand the permit expires on the last day of class, or when the student is no longer a student at Preston Driving School, Inc., whichever comes first. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations listed above, and will hold Preston Driving School, Inc. harmless from any damages resulting from student driving while using the Parent Driving Permit.

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_

To: Parent / Guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

The purpose of the Parent Driving Permit is to provide an opportunity for reinforcement of the instruction already received. Students should not attempt driving tasks that have not been previously introduced to them in driver education. At this time driving will be permitted only in Grand Ledge. Focusing on the following:

1. Left and right turns
2. Getting into left turn lanes
3. Procedure for lane changes
4. Parking including angle, perpendicular, curb side and parallel
5. Compliance with the Michigan Vehicle Code (MVC) when encountering warning or regulatory signs
6. Compliance with the MVC when encountering all traffic signals including flashing yellow, red; solid yellow, green, red; and green, red or yellow arrows
7. Compliance with the MVC when encountering any pavement marking
8. Procedure for proper passing
9. Demonstrate compliance with the MVC when encountering a right-of-way situation involving controlled or uncontrolled intersections
10. Maintain a space cushion around vehicle at all times
11. Safe turning by visual checks well in advance for other traffic which may create a problem during the turn
12. Check mirrors to be sure other drivers are responding to your signals
13. Check rearview mirrors immediately when anticipating problems, applying the brake or after turning
14. Make visual check at ALL intersections
15. Expects the unexpected and gives full attention to driving by avoiding distractions

This permit can only be used when a licensed parent or legal guardian accompanies the student or when both a non-licensed parent or legal guardian and a licensed adult accompany the student. Parents/Guardians should contact their insurance company to determine whether a change to the policy is required prior to using the permit.

This permit is valid as long as the student is enrolled in a Segment 1 class. If the student's enrollment is terminated, the permit is considered expired. Since driver education is an "integrated and related" program, with regards classroom and BTW, the parent driving permit may not have an expiration date more than three weeks past the ending date of the classroom phase. The three-week time period after the classroom portion has been completed correlates to the time by which the BTW phase must be completed.

I recommend starting out in low traffic volume areas and gradually increasing as he/she becomes more successful and confident. Please keep in mind that at this time I am still using the brake to avoid potential accidents/problems with your novice student. Although driving to and from various destinations is considered driving experience, you should aim for the quality of your drive. Specifically, take the time out (30 min) of your day and work on specific procedures. Not just driving to and from school or with minimal turns.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact Preston Driving School.

Regards,

Parents/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTICE: Parents must sign and return both copies in order for students to receive their Pink Permit. A copy attached to the Pink Permit will be returned with the student. DO NOT detach restrictions from the Pink Permit. Students MUST return Pink Permit once the classroom and BTW instruction is complete.**