



# DRIVER EDUCATION

**EDUCATING YOUTH IN  
SOUTHEAST MISSOURI  
BY PROMOTING SAFE DRIVING  
THROUGH DRIVER EDUCATION  
AND PROGRAMS THAT FOCUS  
ON MAKING POSITIVE  
CHOICES**



**MO DRIVER'S LICENSE**





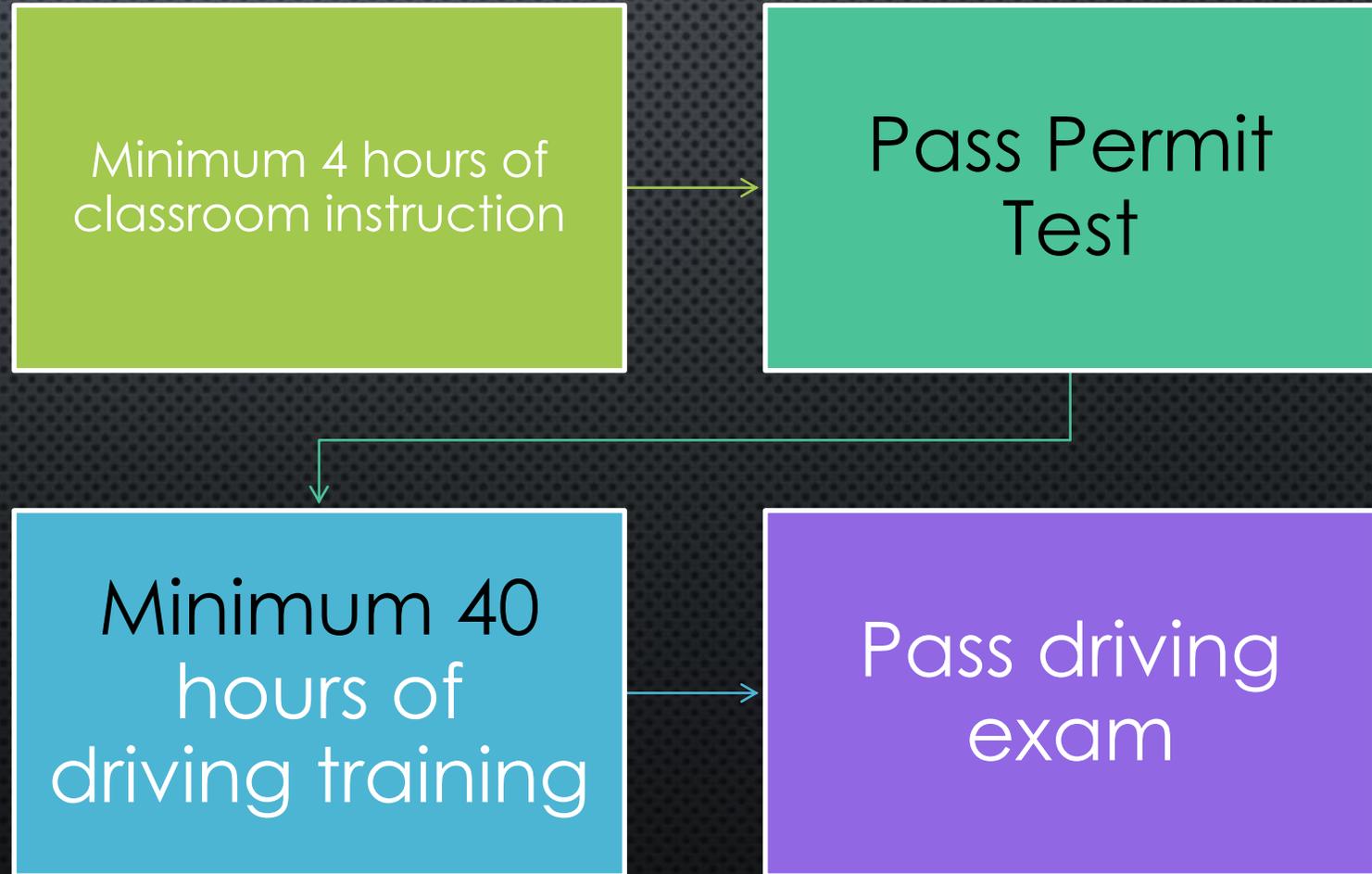
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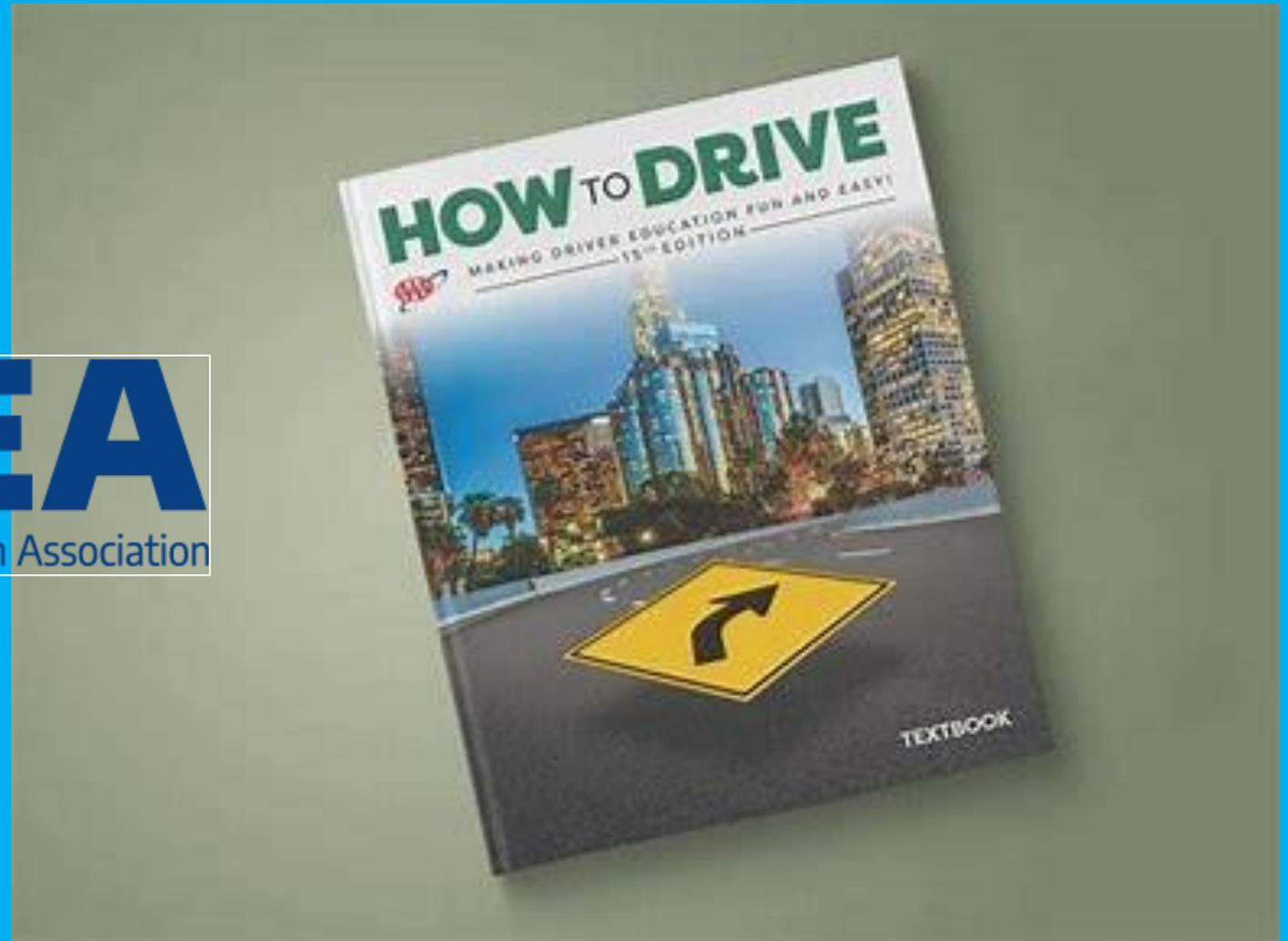
ONLY 35% OF 16 TO 19 YEAR-OLDS ARE  
LICENSED TO DRIVE IN THE UNITED STATES

# REASONS WHY TEENS AREN'T GETTING THEIR LICENSE

- THEY ARE NERVOUS ABOUT DRIVING
- THEY GET MAJOR TEST ANXIETY
- YOU STRESS THEM OUT TRYING TO TEACH THEM
- THEY HAVE EXPERIENCED AUTOMOBILE TRAUMA OR HAVE FRIENDS WHO HAVE PASSED IN ACCIDENTS
- THEY HAVE NO FAMILY TO TEACH THEM THAT OWNS A CAR OR HAS A LICENSE
- THEY DON'T WANT TO AND ITS NOT COOL!!!

# DRIVER'S EDUCATION – WHAT WE DO





## Drivers Education Curriculum – 4 Weekly Sessions in Classroom

### Week 1

- Icebreaker
- Hand out Missouri Driver Guide to take home and study
- Discuss Missouri Graduated Driver License Law, answer questions
- Discuss Responsible Driving pamphlet, answer questions
- Hand out How to Drive AAA – Making Driver Education Fun and Easy!
- Take Driving Knowledge Quiz

### Week 2

- Discuss any questions from Missouri Driver Guide
- Go thru Chapters 1 – 5 of AAA How to Drive Curriculum and conduct corresponding activities in workbook
- Learn road signs via flash cards
- Take example practice test for written

### Week 3

- Discuss any questions from Missouri Driver Guide
- Go thru chapters 6 – 14 and conduct corresponding activities in workbook
- Learn road signs via flash cards
- Take example practice test for written

### Week 4

- Discuss any questions from Missouri Driver Guide
- Go thru chapters 15 – 19 and conduct corresponding activities in workbook
- Learn road signs via flash cards, take practice test
- Take example practice test for written

Depending on practice test and readiness to take permit test, instructor will schedule time on Mondays to take youth to exam office for testing. If youth need more practice, they will attend each week until ready for testing again.

# CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION



# THE NEW WHIP



# TRACTION

## TEENS TAKING ACTION TO PREVENT TRAFFIC CRASHES

TODAY'S TEENAGERS ARE TOMORROW'S DRIVERS. TRACTION ALLOWS THESE TEENS TO TAKE ACTION IN THEIR COMMUNITIES TO PROMOTE HIGHWAY SAFETY AND CHANGE DRIVER BEHAVIOR FOR THE BETTER.

[HTTPS://YOUTU.BE/DDXFKZJQJJG](https://youtu.be/DDXFKZJQJJG)



BUCKLE UP  
PHONE DOWN



BUCKLE UP BUDDY

# WHY IT IS IMPORTANT TO ALL OF US

**116**

people killed in teen driver  
involved traffic crashes.

**48%**

Teen drivers in 2021 Missouri fatal  
traffic crashes were speeding or  
driving too fast for conditions.

**74%**

Of teen vehicle occupant fatalities  
were unbuckled in 2021.

**22**

Estimated teen lives saved in 2021  
if everyone was buckled up.

## TEEN DRIVING STATISTICS IN MISSOURI 2021

# THANK YOU

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That's a fail, huh?