## **MICHIGAN'S GRADUATED LICENSE SYSTEM**

Driver Education Segment 1	Level 1 License	Preparation for Driver Education Segment 2	Driver Education Segment 2	Preparation for Driving Skills Test	Driving Skills Test	Level 2 License	Level 3 License
14 years and 8 months  Vision/health screening prior to behind-the-wheel experience  Minimum 24 hours of classroom  Minimum six hours behind-the-wheel experience  Minimum four hours behind-the-wheel observation time  Written exam required	No fee  14 years, 9 months of age  Vision exam  Health standards  Written approval of parents  Proof of Social Security number, legal presence, identity and Michigan residency  May drive only with parent or designated licensed adult age 21 or older	Complete at least 30 hours of the required 50 hours of behind-the-wheel practice driving with parent, including two hours of the required 10 hours night driving  Held a valid Level 1 License for not less than three consecutive months	Minimum six hours of classroom Written exam required	Complete what remains of the required 50 hours behind-the-wheel, including what remains of the 10 hours required night driving Review study guides	Fee will vary Minimum of six months at Level 1 Vehicle inspection Off-road test On-road	Fee required  16 years of age  90 days crash- and violation-free prior to application for Level 2 License  Shall not operate a motor vehicle between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. except when: driving to or from or in the course of employment; driving to or from an authorized activity; or accompanied by a parent or legal guardian or a licensed driver 21 years of age or older designated by the parent or legal guardian.  Shall not operate a motor vehicle at any time with more than 1 passenger in the vehicle who is less than 21 years of age except: when the additional passengers are immediate family members; when driving to or from or in the course of employment; while going to or from an authorized activity; or when accompanied by a parent or legal guardian or a licensed driver 21 years of age or older designated by the parent or legal guardian.  For a list of authorized activities refer to the following page.	No fee  17 years of age  Minimum of six months at Level 2  12 consecutive months of crash- and-violation-free driving at Level 1/Level 2 prior to application for Level 3 License  Full driving privileges with no restrictions

Minimum three-week class

Minimum of six months

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## **LEVEL 2 LICENSE**

## Authorized activity means any of the following:

- a) A school or a school-sanctioned event or activity. School means a public or private school, including a home school.
- b) A sporting event or activity, or extracurricular event or activity, that is not school-sanctioned but that is part of an official sports league or association or an official extracurricular club, or that is paid for as a service.
- c) A class or program of vocational instruction offered by a college, community college, nonprofit association, or unit of government or by a business specializing in vocational training.
- d) An event or activity sponsored by a religious organization that is tax-exempt under federal law.
- e) Transporting an individual in need of immediate emergency care or personal protection to a health care professional, hospital, police station, domestic violence shelter, or public safety location.