

# Permit Matrix

## To Obtain an Instruction Permit

- **15 years old to 15 years old and six months:**  
Need to complete a 30-hour driver education course (classroom, internet, home study).
- **15 years and six months:**  
Need to complete one of the following:
  - 4-hour Driver Awareness program
  - 30-hour driver education course (classroom, internet, home study)
- **16 years old to 18 years old:**  
No formal education required.

## To Obtain a Driver's License

- **Permit issued at 15 years to 15 years and 6 months: Before August 11, 2010**  
Must hold the instruction permit for a full 12 months. Log 50 hours on the log sheet (10 hours need to be done at night), 6 hours of behind-the-wheel training is required, unless the person lives over 30 miles from a full-time driver-education school.
- **Permit issued at 15 years to 15 years and 6 months: After August 11, 2010**  
Must hold the instruction permit for a full 12 months. Log 50 hours on the log sheet (10 hours needs to be done at night), 6 hours of behind-the-wheel training is required up to 16 years and 6 months, unless the person lives over 30 miles from a full-time driver-education school. BTW is not required on or after 16 years and 6 months.
- **Permit issued at 15 years and 6 months to 16 years old:**
  - **The permit was issued with a 4-hour Driver Awareness program.**  
The person only needs to hold the instruction permit for 12 months and log 50 hours on their log sheet (10 hours at night).
  - **Permit was issued completing a 30-hour classroom program**  
The person needs to hold the instruction permit for 12 months, log 50 hours on their log sheet (10 hours at night)
- **Permit issued at 16 years old to 18 years old:**  
The person needs to hold the instruction permit for 12 months, log 50 hours on their log sheet (10 hours at night).