



Massachusetts Department of Transportation  
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# Class D and M

## Road Test Information Sheet

**Please read the following information before scheduling your road test.**

To book, cancel, or reschedule a road test, visit:

**[www.mass.gov/rmv](http://www.mass.gov/rmv)**

or call 1-866-MASSRMV for automated booking.

### Applicant Requirements

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Applicants must meet the following requirements for a Class D or M road test:

- Have a valid learner's permit.
  - Have the required documents and be on time for the road test. Arrive at least 5 minutes early. If you are not prepared or if you are late, you **WILL NOT** be tested.
  - Have a completed road test application.
    - If you answered **Yes** to questions 1 or 2 on the road test application, the application must be approved by an RMV Branch manager or an authorized RMV employee prior to the road test.
    - If you are under 18 years of age, the application must be signed by a parent, guardian, child guardian division, or boarding school headmaster. If the person signing the application **IS NOT** a parent, proper documentation must be shown at the time of the road test to prove that the person is qualified to sign.
  - Be at least 18 years of age for a Class M road test. If you are under 18 years of age, you cannot take an RMV Class M road test and must successfully complete a Massachusetts Rider Education Program (MREP) basic rider course to obtain a Class M license.
  - Be accompanied by a sponsor who:
    - Is at least 21 years of age.
    - Has had a valid U.S. license, issued by his/her home state, for at least one year. The license must be presented to the examiner.
- Motorcycle road test applicants **DO NOT** require a sponsor.
- Take the road test. You may only be accompanied by your sponsor, unless you will need a foreign-language interpreter and the examiner has authorized the interpreter's presence in the vehicle.
  - Provide at least 24-hour notice of a cancellation or the need to reschedule. If you must cancel or reschedule your appointment with less than 24 hours notice, you will be required to pay the road test fee for the cancelled or rescheduled appointment, as well as pay a road test fee for the newly scheduled appointment.

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## Vehicle Requirements

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Vehicles being used for a Class D or M road test must meet the following requirements:

- Be in good working condition and be able to pass a safety check.
- Have a valid registration and current inspection sticker.
- Contain adequate seating accommodations next to the operator for the use of the examiner, and have a rear seat for the sponsor.
- Be designed to let the examiner make an emergency stop using the emergency hand brake. If not, the vehicle **CANNOT** be used for the road test.
  - Any vehicle with a center console that does not have an emergency hand brake as part of the console **CANNOT** be used.
  - Any vehicle that does not allow the examiner unobstructed access to the emergency hand brake **CANNOT** be used.

## Out-of-State Registered Vehicles

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- Carry proof of insurance coverage in the form of a policy specifying the limits of coverage. Insurance coverage *MUST* be equal to Massachusetts minimum requirements of \$20,000/\$40,000 bodily injury and \$5,000 property damage coverage for that vehicle's use in Massachusetts. (No faxes or photo copies.)

## Rental vehicles

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- Have the rental agreement and written permission on the rental company's letterhead authorizing use of the vehicle for the road test.

## Canceled Road Tests

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Road tests may be canceled due to weather, road, or other emergency conditions, such as:

- Public school cancellations or delays in the city/town where your test is scheduled.
- A state of emergency has been declared by the Governor throughout the state or in the region where your road test is scheduled.
- The Road Test Examiner cancels road tests due to scheduling or safety reasons.

If you think that your road test may be canceled, please call the RMV Phone Center at 617-351-4500.

**You are responsible for the road test fee  
for each failure, rejection, late arrival, or no show.**

*The Registrar reserves the right to cancel and recall any license if it is later determined that the licensee did not meet the minimum legal requirements for the road test.*