

ATTENTION TEENS & PARENTS

Starting **JANUARY 1, 1999** the following rules will apply to everyone under age 18 that applies for a driver's license:

- **Temporary Permit:** You must have held your temporary permit for **AT LEAST 6 months**. (A temporary permit package can be purchased when you become 15 1/2 years of age.)
- **AGE:** You must be at least **16 years of age** or older to apply for a driver's license.
- **Driver Training Requirements:** You must show proof of completion of a driver training course consisting of **24 hours** of classroom and **8 hours** of in-car driver training instruction.
- **Parent/Guardian Form:** In addition to the Driver Training requirements above, your parent/guardian must certify that you have received 50 hours of behind-the-wheel experience including at least 10 hours of nighttime driving. (A form should of been provided upon completion of the written driver's test.)

Note to Parent/Guardian: Learning to be a good driver is one of the most important life saving skills you can teach your child. It is up to you to make the final decision when he/she is ready to take the driving test. Don't rush your child and don't let him/her rush you.

Experience can make the difference!

If you have any questions, contact the Ohio Department of Public Safety
Graduated Driver License Hotline
1-800-462-2269

