



As your teen is enjoying the freedoms associated with the privilege of driving, you are experiencing concern that they may need some definition and limits in their new found freedoms. Driving Contracts 101 is a web based course that will help you do just that by guiding you and your teen together as you structure the terms and conditions of vehicle usage. It includes a contract wizard that automates the process so you don't have to start from scratch. Your teen's participation and contribution will be met with your balanced expectations. The limitations of vehicle usage will be written down and mutually agreed upon, while the consequences for violating those limitations are addressed. As you established those terms and conditions, Driving Contracts 101's contract wizard automatically structures the agreement for you. In just 20 minutes this lesson will introduce you to the processes, options and the best practices for keeping your teen driver safe as they build experience.

Why Do You Need a Driving Contract?

Life is a cruel teacher that gives you the test first and then the lesson! For a new teen driver, that test can be fatal. Setting proper terms or limitations for vehicle usage can limit your teen's exposure to high risk driving situations, while giving them more time to gain street smarts and experience. It's not skill that keeps drivers safe, its applied knowledge and experience. That is the focus of Driving Contracts 101 and that is the rationale for having a driving contract.

An exercise in Teen Responsibility

Driving Contracts 101 is an exercise in teen responsibility. As parents of teens we know that at some point in time the limits we have set for them will be exceeded. That is just a normal progression that our teens are going through as they struggle with becoming adults. But when it comes to driving a vehicle, exceeding those limits could result in death, serious injury or at a minimum, a significant increase in your car insurance rates. So when it happens for the first time and your teen pleads leniency, it is your parental prerogative to give in or not. But if your teens excuses start to become too convenient or frequent and you feel that the original intent of your agreement with them is constantly being abused, Driving Contracts 101 allows you to draw advice from our database of family counselor recommendations. This program is more that a contract builder, it's a family relationship builder as well.

Not Set in Stone

As your teen becomes a more experienced driver and your confidence in them increases, you can come back to Driving Contracts 101's contract wizard and reestablish the terms and conditions you have set. This is FREE of charge and we recommend that you reevaluate your contract every three months until you feel your teen driver no longer needs one.

Key Contract Areas

Here are the key areas or point that Driving Contracts 101's contract wizard will address with you and your teen:

- Speeding
- Driving at Night
- Driving Under the Influence of Drugs or Alcohol
- Seatbelt Usage
- Distractive Driving
- Passenger Restrictions
- Driving on Weekends & Holidays
- Driving During Adverse Weather Conditions
- Area Travel Restrictions
- Driving When Drowsy
- Plus Any User Defined Area's You Choose to Add (gas, insurance, cleaning the car, etc...)

HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE REQUIREMENTS

All of Street Smarts 101's courses are Web/Browser-Based and optimized to run on the Adobe® Flash® Player 10. You can take Street Smarts 101 courses on your PC or Mac computer via the Internet as long as it meets the hardware and software requirements as [prescribed by Adobe®](#):

Hardware

Adobe has tested Adobe® Flash® Player 10 software extensively on the following minimum hardware configurations:

Windows®	Macintosh
Intel® Pentium® II 450MHz, AMD Athlon™ 600MHz or faster processor (or equivalent)	PowerPC® G3 500MHz Intel Core™ Duo 1.33GHz or faster processor
128MB of RAM	128MB of RAM
128MB of VRAM*	

*Recommended for GPU hardware acceleration–dependent features. Flash Player use software mode for systems that do not meet the system requirements.

Operating systems and browsers

Flash Player 10 is supported on the following minimum operating systems and browsers:

Windows

Platform	Browser
Microsoft® Windows Vista®	Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0 or later, Firefox 2.x, Firefox 3.x, AOL 9, Opera 9.5 or later, Safari 3.x, Chrome 2.0 or higher
Microsoft® Windows XP	Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0 or later, Firefox 2.x, Firefox 3.x, AOL 9, Opera 9.5 or later, Safari 3.x, Chrome 2.0 or higher
Microsoft® Windows 2000	Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0, Firefox 2.x, Firefox 3.x, AOL 9, Opera 9.5
Microsoft® Windows 7	Microsoft Internet Explorer 8.0 or later, Firefox 3.x or later

NOTE: Microsoft® Internet Explorer 6.0 is NOT compatible with the Street Smarts 101 Courseware.

Macintosh¹

Platform	Browser
Mac OS X v10.4 or later (PowerPC)	Firefox 2.x, Firefox 3.x, ALL for Mac OS X, Opera 9.5, Safari 3.x.
Mac OS X v10.4 or later (Intel)	Firefox 2.x, Firefox 3.x, Opera 9.5, Safari 3.x
Mac OS X v10.6	Firefox 3.x or later, Safari 4.x or later

¹ATI Rage 128 GPU does not support full-screen mode with hardware scaling.

IN ADDITION: Street Smarts 101 requires that all browsers must support Java and JavaScript, use of a pointing device such as a mouse and that the computer hardware is equipped with speakers or headphones.

INTERNET CONNECTION REQUIREMENTS

Street Smarts 101 prescribes minimum Internet Connection Speed requirements for accessing and using our courseware:

Street Smarts 101 courses are highly interactive and contain rich media, so you will need a Broadband Internet connection capable of a download speed of 800 Kilobits Per Second (kbps) or greater.