



## TRAFFIC SAFETY DIVISION APPLICATION FOR

### Middle-High School DRIVER EDUCATION INSTRUCTOR ORIGINAL DIPLOMA

#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THIS FORM

##### PLEASE:

- complete this form by typing *or* printing legibly in black ink
- provide all information requested in Section 1 of the form
- include copies of all the required documents listed in Section 2 of the form
- sign and date the form in Section 3
- make a copy of the completed form and required documents for your records
- mail everything *except* these instructions to:

**Traffic Safety Division  
Attn: HS Program Manager  
P.O. Box 1149  
Santa Fe, NM 87504-1149**

If you have any questions concerning this application or any of the forms, please contact:

- TSD Program Manager:  
Jonathan Fernandez by telephone 505-827-5562 or email  
[JonthanM.Fernandez@state.nm.us](mailto:JonthanM.Fernandez@state.nm.us)
- or*
- by fax at 827-0431

**NO TEACHER MAY TEACH DRIVER EDUCATION CLASSES IN A PUBLIC SCHOOL UNLESS AND UNTIL THE TRAFFIC SAFETY DIVISION HAS GRANTED WRITTEN APPROVAL BY ISSUING A DRIVER EDUCATION INSTRUCTOR DIPLOMA.**

**IF TEACHING LOCATION HAS CHANGED, PLEASE NOTIFY PROGRAM STAFF IMMEDIATELY.**

➤ **PLEASE KEEP THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.**

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**Section: 1 – Instructor Information.**

Instructor name		
Name of school where employed		
Physical address of school where employed		
School phone number		
Administrators name		
Administrators email		
Instructor cell phone number		
Instructor e-mail address		
Do have Internet access?		<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
Instructor date of birth		
Instructor driver's license number		
I will teach: (check all that apply)		Date
<input type="checkbox"/> Classroom	I will attend or have completed the 40-hour Classroom training on	
<input type="checkbox"/> Behind-the-Wheel	I will attend or have completed the 40-hour Behind-the-Wheel training on	

**Section: 2 – Required Documents**

Please submit the following documents with your application:

- A copy of the attached Request for MVD Limited Driving History form.
- A copy of your State Board of Education teaching license **or** waiver to teach pending licensure

**Section: 3 – Sworn Statements**

By my initials beside each statement, I \_\_\_\_\_ certify that:

\_\_\_\_\_ I have obtained a copy of, have read, and agree to comply with the requirements of, 18.20.3 NMAC, Driver Education Schools, the rule adopted by the Traffic Safety Division regarding the Driver Education School program.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that failure to comply with the requirements of the rule shall be grounds for suspension or revocation of any certificate issued to me by the Traffic Safety Division.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am in compliance with the Parental Responsibility Act, NMSA 1978, Section 40-5A-1 et seq. regarding paternity or child support proceedings and understand that failure to comply with this Act will result in denial of my application or revocation or suspension of my license.

\_\_\_\_\_ I will not instruct Driver Education School classes in New Mexico until I receive a Driver Education Instructor certificate from the Traffic Safety Division.

Please obtain and read the NMAC Rules and Regulations which govern this certification

from Program staff. A copy of NMAC Rules and Regulations can be found on the TSC website under the licensing tab.

**Section: 4 – Signature and Date.**

By my signature below, I certify, under penalty of perjury, that the information given in this application and all accompanying documents is true to the best of my knowledge and ability.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Section: 5 – Administrative Signature.**

By my signature below, I certify, that I have read and obtained a copy of the NMAC Rules and Regulations and ensure that such rules will be followed by the above certified instructor and school.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Administrator's signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Please note that TSD requires an original application for processing. Copies will not be accepted. Please make a copy of this application for your records and submit an original.