



# Syracuse-Dunbar-Avoca Public Schools

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Dear Parents:

It is time to register for our summer Driver Education program. As in the past, enrollment will be limited. Forms and payments are due April 13<sup>th</sup>. **Students will be accepted based on age from oldest to youngest until the due date. After the due date, the class will be filled by who has turned in their form/payment first.** Students must be 14 by October 15 in order to take this class. If your student will not be eligible to drive before the summer of 2024, please do not register for the course until next summer.

**Requirements for Classroom Instruction:** Students must have a minimum of 20 hours.

**Requirements for On-Street:** Eligibility requirements for students to participate:

- a. All students are now eligible to obtain a school permit if they will turn 14 by Oct 15 of this year. If you turn 14 during the course, you will need to get a school learner's permit in order to drive with the instructor. If you will turn 14 after the end of the course this summer, but before October 15 you do not need a school learner's permit to drive with the instructor.
- b. If you are seeking your POP permit, you will need to be 15 and have a learners permit to drive with the instructor

These requirements are a little confusing and the State seems to change them often. If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact our Driver's Ed instructor, Mr. Taylor Dunekacke. Mr. Dunekacke teaches school during the day; please call him in the evening at 402-335-7386 or e-mail him at [taylordunekacke@htrstitans.org](mailto:taylordunekacke@htrstitans.org). Please note that successful completion of this course does not guarantee a permit. No one 18 or older qualifies for the driver's education program.

The Board of Education has again agreed to fund part of the program, making the fee for each resident student \$275 and \$325 for non-resident students who do not attend SDA. This fee should be included with the signed Driver Education Contract and returned to the high school office by April 13, 2023. Please make your check or money order payable to SDA and keep the front page of this letter for your information. Once your student is accepted into the program, the fee is not refundable. If your student registers and is not accepted, your fee will be returned to you.

The classroom instruction will be held from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM with a working lunch on June 5<sup>th</sup> -- 8<sup>th</sup>. Students will sign up for driving time with the instructor the first day of class, please make sure they know their preferred dates.

Sincerely,

Jarred Royal

**Administration**

David Kraus, Superintendent • Jarred Royal, High School Principal • Tim Farley, Middle School Principal • Chris Moore, Elementary Principal

2024 DRIVER EDUCATION CONTRACT

We agree to the following contract stipulations:

1. Attend ALL classroom sessions and follow classroom rules;
2. Be present at scheduled driving lessons;
3. Return all materials including textbooks;
4. Complete all assignments;
5. Bring permit to office so it can be entered in computer.

We understand that all of the contract stipulations must be met in order for the student to be certified.

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STUDENT NAME

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DOB

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PARENT SIGNATURE

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PHONE NUMBER

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STUDENT SIGNATURE

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PHONE NUMBER

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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OFFICE USE

Rcvd Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Method: \_\_\_\_\_

Initials: \_\_\_\_\_