

SCHOOL BUS DRIVER LICENSE OPTIONS

License	Vehicles Authorized To Drive	SDE Training Offered	Tests						Class	Restrictions	Endorsements	Dept of Public Safety Fees
			Written					Road Tests				
			General Knowledge			Air Brake	Passenger	School Bus				
			SC School Bus	National School Bus	CDL							
CDL w/School Bus Endorsement & SDE School bus Certificate	Commercial Vehicles, State and District school & Activity buses	Total	X (Administered by SDE)	X	X	X	X	X	B A	Driver can request a "P" restriction, limits only the operation of Government vehicles Also see notes 1, 2 & 3	"P" Passenger and "S" School Bus	Tests \$8.00 License \$12.50

Note 1. A SDE or DOT Medical form, compliant with state law requiring physician's signature, is required of all drivers operating a school bus. If a driver has a "P" restriction it does **not** exempt the driver from the medical requirement of the SDE for operating a school bus.

Note 2. If a Driver is licensed with a Class A CDL but uses a Class "B" bus during the Road Test, the resulting CDL will have a "V" restriction. If a Driver is licensed with a Class A CDL and uses a Class "C" bus during the Road Test, the resulting CDL will have a "W" restriction.

Note 3. SDE no longer train and/or test using class "C" school bus. All training and testing is done on a class "B" bus.