



## Parent Teen Driving Agreement

### I PROMISE.



I promise that I will obey all the rules of the road.

- Always wear a seatbelt and make all my passengers buckle up
- Obey all traffic lights, stop signs, other street signs, and road markings
- Stay within the speed limit and drive safely
- Never use the car to race or to try to impress others
- Never give rides to hitchhikers

I promise that I will make sure I can stay focused on driving.

- Never text while driving (writing, reading or sending messages)
- Never talk on the cell phone — including hands free devices or speakerphone — while driving
- Drive with both hands on the wheel
- Never eat or drink while driving
- Drive only when I am alert and in emotional control
- Call my parents for a ride home if I am impaired in any way that interferes with my ability to drive safely, or if my driver is impaired in any way
- Never use headphones or earbuds to listen to music while I drive

I promise that I will respect laws about drugs and alcohol.

- Drive only when I am alcohol and drug free
- Never allow any alcohol or illegal drugs in the car
- Be a passenger only with drivers who are alcohol and drug free

I promise that I will be a responsible driver.

- Drive only when I have permission to use the car and I will not let anyone else drive the car unless I have permission
- Drive someone else's car only if I have parental permission
- Pay for all traffic citations or parking tickets

Complete my family responsibilities and maintain good grades at school as listed here: \_\_\_\_\_

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Contribute to the costs of gasoline, maintenance, and insurance as listed here: \_\_\_\_\_

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### TEACHING TEENS TO DRIVE

These three expert tips help parents positively impact teen drivers.





#### RESTRICTIONS:

I agree to the following restrictions, but understand that these restrictions will be modified by my parents as I get more driving experience and demonstrate that I am a responsible driver.

- For the next \_\_\_\_ months, I will not drive after \_\_\_\_ pm.
- For the next \_\_\_\_ months, I will not transport any passengers under 21 (unless I am supervised by a licensed adult over 25).
- For the next \_\_\_\_ months, I won't adjust the stereo, electronic devices, or air conditioning/heater while the car is moving.
- For the next \_\_\_\_ months, I will not drive in bad weather.
- I understand that I am not permitted to drive to off limit locations or on roads and highways as listed here: \_\_\_\_\_

- Additional restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_

#### PENALTIES FOR AGREEMENT VIOLATIONS:

Drove while texting (composed, read or sent message or email with phone).

- NO DRIVING FOR \_\_\_\_ WEEKS/MONTHS

Drove while talking on the cell phone (including handsfree or speakerphone).

- NO DRIVING FOR \_\_\_\_ WEEKS/MONTHS

Drove after drinking alcohol or using drugs.

- NO DRIVING FOR \_\_\_\_ WEEKS/MONTHS

Got a ticket for speeding or moving violation.

- NO DRIVING FOR \_\_\_\_ WEEKS/MONTHS

Drove after night driving curfew.

- NO DRIVING FOR \_\_\_\_ WEEKS/MONTHS

Drove unauthorized passengers.

- NO DRIVING FOR \_\_\_\_ WEEKS/MONTHS

Broke promise about seat belts (self and others).

- NO DRIVING FOR \_\_\_\_ WEEKS/MONTHS

Drove on a road or to an area that is off limits.

- NO DRIVING FOR \_\_\_\_ WEEKS/MONTHS

I agree to follow all the rules and restrictions in this agreement.

#### SIGNATURES:

Driver: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent promise: I also agree to drive safely and to be an excellent role model.

Parent (or guardian): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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