

DRIVE SAFE AGREEMENT

I, ______, understand that driving a motor vehicle is a privilege and comes with a tremendous amount of responsibility. I will discuss and agree to the road rules set forth in this driving contract between my parents and me. If any rules are broken, I agree to the consequences outlined in this Drive Safe Agreement.

I, ______, will be a positive role model for my young driver. I will teach him/her driving laws, set a good example while I'm at the wheel, and will uphold this Drive Safe Agreement. I also agree to work with my teenage driver on safe driving techniques at least four (4) hours each month for the first year of driving.

RULES FOR TEENS

I promise to

- 1. Tell my parents where I'm going and when I'll be returning home. I will notify them if my route, destination or time I'll arrive at the location or back home changes.
- **2.** Get my parents' permission to drive another person's vehicle before getting behind the wheel.
- 3. Always wear my safety belt, no matter how far I'm driving.
- **4.** Not drive with any passengers the first year I have my license, unless they're adults and I receive permission from my parents.
- **5.** Not to have any distractions while driving, including using a cell phone or tablet, and not texting or playing video games. Also, I won't eat or wear headphones while driving.
- 6. Never drink or do drugs (or ride with someone who has), and never allow drugs or alcohol in the car.
- 7. Obey all traffic laws, including coming to a full stop at stop signs and traffic lights.
- 8. Not to speed or be involved with street racing of any kind.
- **9.** Never drive in severe weather conditions or at night, unless permission is given by my parents.
- **10.** Always stay calm behind the wheel...this means no road rage.

RULES FOR PARENTS

I agree to...

- 1. Be proactive and continually help teach my teenager to drive safely.
- 2. Be patient and understanding, knowing everyone makes mistakes.
- **3.** Help and encourage my teenager to be a model driver and citizen.
- 4. Serve as a role model by observing driving laws and etiquette.

CONSEQUENCES (ANNUAL PENALTIES)

I agree that my...

- 1. First offense means no driving for ______
- 2. Second offense means no driving for _____
- 3. Third offense means no more driving until I turn 18 years old.

TEENAGE DRIVER Signature/Date

PARENT Signature/Date