

**WAC 308-108-150 Curriculum schedule and requirements.**

(1) A driver training school may offer classroom and behind the wheel instruction to students throughout the year. In order to be approved by the director, a curriculum schedule for meeting the requirements of RCW 46.20.100 must satisfy the following requirements:

- (a) Include not less than thirty hours of classroom instruction;
- (b) Meet the behind the wheel instruction and observation requirements of WAC 308-108-160. Completion of behind the wheel instruction is based upon the school's policies in WAC 308-108-120;
- (c) Consist of no less than one hour and no more than three hours of classroom instruction and no more than one hour of behind the wheel instruction during any single day;
- (d) Ensure classroom and behind the wheel instruction and driving observation are sequenced and integrated;
- (e) Ensure that all students in a classroom session must be on the same lesson. Open enrollment or self-paced instruction is not permitted;
- (f) Ensure that each traffic safety education classroom portion of the course is at least fifty-percent instructor-led verbal instruction consisting of:

- (i) In-person training;
  - (ii) Teacher and student interaction; and
  - (iii) Questions and answers; and
- (g) Not be completed in fewer than 35 days and in no more than 270 days.

(2) As part of the initial application process for a school license and at any time the school alters their curriculum schedule, applicants must certify to the department that the school's curriculum schedule includes the following:

- (a) Meets all curriculum minimum standards in statute and rule;
- (b) Comprehensive final written and behind the wheel examinations;
- (c) A flow chart that indicates how the classroom and behind the wheel instruction are sequenced and integrated;
- (d) Information on the State of Washington's intermediate license requirements, restrictions, violations, and sanctions for violation of these requirements;
- (e) Instructional material developed by the department and the federally designated organ procurement organization for Washing-

ton State relating to organ and tissue donation awareness education;

(f) A designated time for a parent, guardian, or employer night that is no less than one hour, which may be a part of the thirty hours required for student training, and must include:

(i) Instruction on the parent, guardian, or employer responsibilities and the importance of parent, guardian, or employer involvement with the teen driver;

(ii) Information on intermediate license laws, restrictions, and sanctions;

(iii) An introduction to the parent guide to teen driving; and

(iv) A questions and answers period.

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