

Cooperative Driving Test Program or “Teen Road Test”

Complete Info at :https://www.ilsos.gov/departments/drivers/driver_education/drsed.html

What is the CDTP Program?

- The Illinois Secretary of State approved a program where certified driving schools and very specific licensed instructors are allowed to conduct the “Teen Road Test”. Normally this test is held at the DMV facilities, but this bypasses the road test exam in the form of a waiver. The benefit to this is it shortens the waiting in long lines hoping to get a spot in a road test at the DMV.

Where is the Test being conducted?

- Road tests are conducted only at our classroom location, which mimics the Illinois Secretary of State, Chicago North Road Exam. Our address is located at 5245 N. Elston Ave, Chicago IL 60630. Phone number is 773-481-7455.

Who can take the test with us?

- Students aged 16 or 17 who have completed the classroom portion with at least a B (80%) on the classroom final exam or Teens who did not complete their program with Entourage Driving School are required to provide final grade verification before enrollment. A “P” does not constitute this. If there is no proof of A or B, they will be ineligible to test with us. If the pupil never took the classroom with us, they will need to bring
 - 1.) Instruction Permit
 - 2.) Proof they have an A or B in Driver’s Education.
 - 3.) Illinois ID or Passport or Birth Certificate
- Please verify your child has obtained the certificate of completion by mail or by checking the online tool at ilsos.gov/deccheck . Teens must hold the original instruction permit during the test. The road test waiver expires when the permit expires, is cancelled, revoked, or suspended.

Students should allow about 15 minutes for the Road Test. The fee is \$50 and will be paid via cash, check made out to “Brian Posada”

What does the test consist of?

- The student will drive a state approved route. The test will consist of entering the flow of traffic, right and left turns, stop signs, uphill/downhill parking, turnabout, and parking. If the student does not pass, they may only test again at a Secretary of State facility.

What is next once you pass the Test?

- Once the student passes, a pink form will issued to the student. This form has to be taken to the facility. It is imperative this pink form is kept safe because if it gets lost, there is no other way to give a new CDTP Pink Form. When the student makes an appointment at the Illinois Secretary of State, they need to visit the website at exactly 6:30 AM and Click on “Same Day Appointments” under “In Vehicle Road Test. If you do not click on “In Vehicle Road Test, you will be turned away and lose the appointment for that day.

PLEASE NOTE: All Illinois Driver’s License applicants are subject to random facility Road Tests even with successful Cooperative Road Test completion. These are random spot checks and pre-determined by the State. Odds are 3/31 or 9.6% exactly.