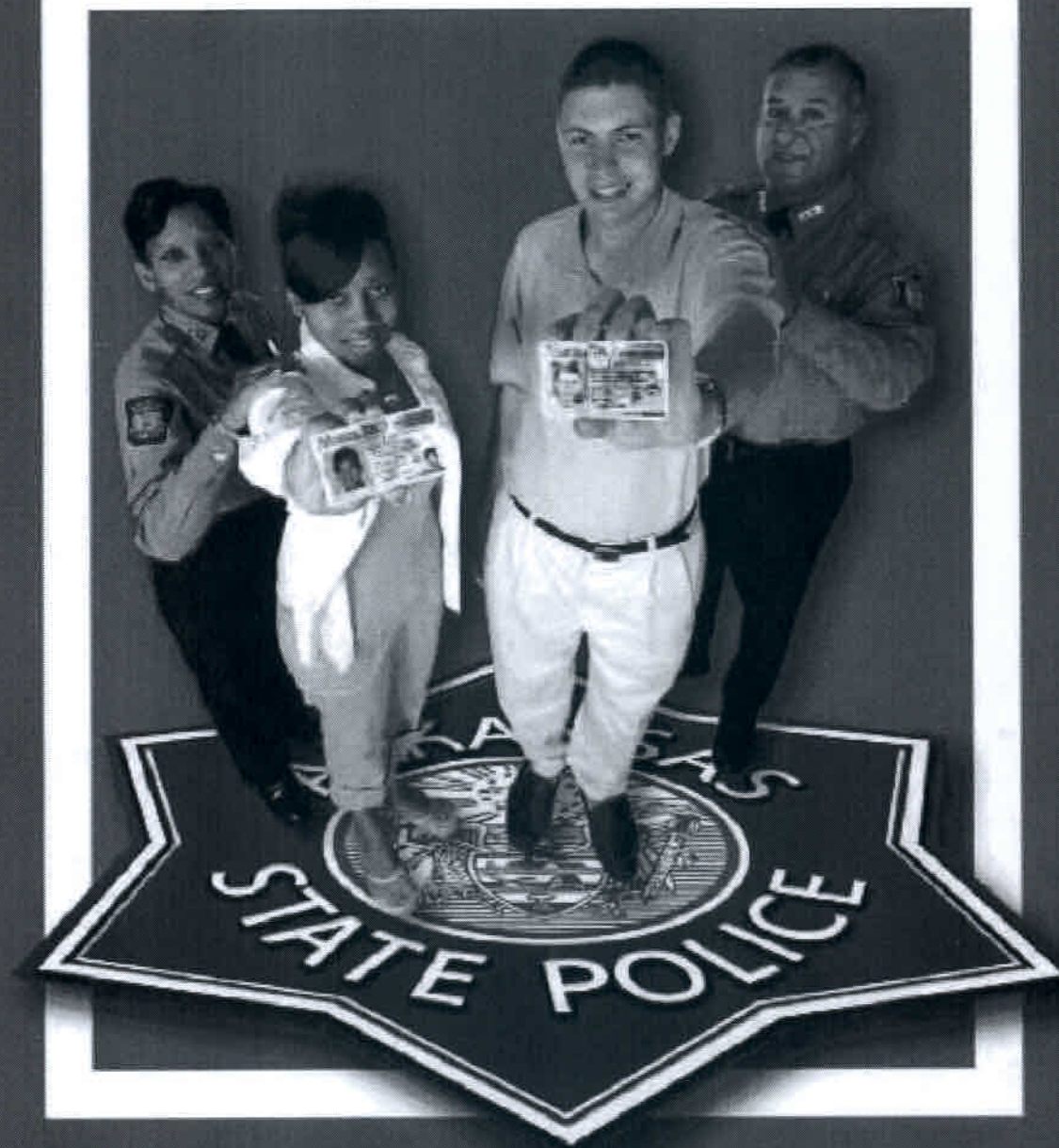


Arkansas Driver License

Study Guide



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This study guide offers you information about safe driving rules and practices that, if closely followed, will serve as the foundation in preparing you to successfully pass your written and practical driver license examinations and many safe and enjoyable years of driving pleasures.

Be sure to read the guide thoroughly. Without becoming adequately familiar with the information contained within the guide, you cannot pass the written test. Likewise, you should read and understand the section describing the written and practical tests.

THE DRIVER LICENSE

Anyone who operates a motor vehicle, motorcycle, motor-driven cycle, or motorized bicycle on public highways in Arkansas is required to have a license or certificate. In order to be legal, drivers are required to have an Arkansas driver license if they are located in the state for more than six months as a non-resident, or within thirty days once becoming a resident.

On July 1, 2002, Arkansas implemented a graduated driver license program. The graduated program is explained later in this section of the study guide. Any questions that may arise as you read about the graduated license program should be directed to the nearest Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration, Office of Driver Services, or through the DF&A web site <http://www.arkansas.gov/dfa/> or by telephone contact at (501) 682-7059.

The following individuals can drive on Arkansas streets and roadways provided they have a valid license from their home state and they are at least sixteen years old.

Military – Members of the Armed Forces on active duty, or members of foreign military on temporary duty with the U.S. Armed Forces. Act 235 of 2005 permits U.S. military spouses to obtain an Arkansas Driver License without testing, if the spouse has held a driver license that expired while residing outside the United States.

Student – Students attending classes who are considered non-residents under rules regulating payment of tuition.

An individual may obtain a driver license if:

- You are at least fourteen years of age (restricted license).
- You are at least eighteen years of age (non-restricted license).
- You are under the age of eighteen and submit the appropriate documents from your school (i.e. school attendance form).
- You are able to submit proof of name, residential address, and date of birth.
- You possess parental or guardian consent if under the age of eighteen.
- You pass a regular driver license test.
- You submit a valid driver license issued by another recognized licensing authority.