

Driver and Traffic Safety Education (DTSE)

General Information Sheet for Brighton High School

Spring 2020

The Driver and Traffic Safety Education (DTSE) program is available to currently enrolled high school students that have or will have their driver's permit upon registering for the program.

Dates for the Spring DTSE are:

March 31 – June 8, 2020

DTSE consists of classroom and driving sessions. Session days and times are below.

Sessions:

Classroom:

Lecture classes are held at Brighton High School in Room 158 on:

Tuesdays: 6:30 – 8:00 pm and Fridays: 4:00 – 5:30 pm

Students are required to attend **both** lecture classes.

All students attend lecture class at the same time.

Note: Parents are strongly encouraged to attend the first hour of the classroom lecture on Tuesday, March 31, 2020 to meet the instructor and get an overview of the program.

Driving:

There are two options for drive times. On the registration form you will be asked to choose a group from the option you select.

1. Monday and Wednesday Group A - 3:30 - 5:00 pm or ___Group B - 5:00 - 6:30 pm
2. Tuesday and Thursday Group C - 3:30 - 5:00 pm or ___Group D - 5:00 - 6:30 pm

The calendar of classroom and driving sessions is attached.

Additional information regarding DTSE policies on attendance and make-up is provided on the attached **Student Information Sheet**.



2020 Driver and Traffic Safety Education (DTSE) Schedule

Brighton High School

Spring Session

(March 31 – June 8, 2020)

Lecture (L) BHS Room 158

Tuesdays

Fridays

6:30 – 8:00 pm

4:30 – 6:00 pm

Driving

Mondays and Wednesdays

Tuesdays and Thursdays

3:30 – 5:00 pm for Groups A

3:30 – 5:00 pm for Groups C

5:00 – 6:30 pm for Groups B

5:00 – 6:30 pm for Groups D

MARCH/ APRIL 2020

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
30	31 L	1 AB	2 CD	3 S
6 H	7 H	8 H	9 H	10 H
13 AB	14 L/CD	15 AB	16 CD	17 L
20 AB	21 L/CD	22 AB	23 CD	24 L
27 AB	28 L/CD	29 AB	30 CD	

MAY 2020

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
				1 L
4 AB	5 L/CD	6 AB	7 CD	8 L
11 AB	12 L/CD	13 AB	14 CD	15 L
18 AB	19 L/CD	20 AB	21 CD	22 R
25 H	26 L/CD	27 AB	28 CD	29 L

JUNE 2020

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1 AB	2 L/CD	3 AB	4 M	5 L
8 M	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26

H = Holiday S = Superintendent’s Conference Day R = Recess M = Make-Up Classes*

***Only students who need to make up a class need to attend. Make up time must be arranged by the Liaison.**

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STUDENT INFORMATION SHEET

General Information

- You must have your Driver's License or Learner's Permit with you in order to drive.
- Please be on time for your driving sessions.
- During the driving sessions, you must not do anything that will distract the student driving or the instructor. There will be no sleeping, reading or use of any electronic device during driving.
- Dress as you would for school but please refrain from wearing sandals or flip-flops.
- In the event you cannot attend your classroom or driving instruction, please call the liaison for your school district, **Mr. Mike DeMay at 585-739-4440**.

Certificates and Licensing

- Pre-licensing certificates (MV-278):
The MV-278 is issued by the classroom instructor to students who have completed the portion of the DTSE program equivalent to the DMV approved 5-hour licensing class. They are available upon student request.
- Student Certificate of Completion (MV-285):
Students are eligible to receive the Student Certificate of Completion (MV-285) upon successful completion of the DTSE program. Successful completion is dependent on the student:
 - i. Achieving a grade of 65 or better in classroom instruction **and** a grade of 65 or better in driving instruction; and
 - ii. Meeting the 24 hour classroom and 24 hour laboratory course attendance requirements.
- After your last class, please wait at least two weeks before contacting the office at 585-249-7029 regarding the issuance of your Student Certificate of Completion (MV-285).

Attendance and Make-Up Policy

- Students must be in attendance for all (16) driving sessions and all (16) classroom sessions. All sessions (driving and classroom) are 1½ hours (90 minutes) in length.
- When a student is absent from a driving session and/or a classroom session, the session must be made up. A student may not incur more than four absences in any combination during the course of study. All make-ups are scheduled by the classroom instructor in conjunction with the DTSE liaison.
- Withdrawals from the program must be made at least five days before the start date. Refunds will not be given after the program begins.
- Please be aware that due to New York State DTSE regulations we cannot schedule a make-up driving session with only one student in the car.

For further questions or concerns, please call 585-242-5000 x4505.