



Want to be a Driving Instructor?

Find out how with our

Introductory Guide*



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Since October 1970 anyone who wishes to give paid instruction in cars has to qualify and have their name entered into the Register of Approved Driving Instructors.

The Register is administered by the DSA under the provisions of the Road Traffic Act of 1988.

As an approved Driving Instructor (ADI) you will be expected to demonstrate:

- ☞ A high regard for all aspects of road safety
- ☞ A high standard of driving and instructional ability
- ☞ A responsible approach to your customers
- ☞ A responsible attitude to your pupils and profession
- ☞ That you are a fit and proper person

The Legal Requirements

- ☞ Hold a full UK or EU/EEA unrestricted driving licence (any EU/EEA licence must either be exchanged for a GB licence or a community licence)
- ☞ Have held it for a total of at least 4 out of the past 6 years prior to entering the Register
- ☞ Not having been disqualified from driving at any time in the 4 years prior to being entered in the Register
- ☞ Be a fit and proper person. All convictions, motoring and non-motoring will be taken into account. CRB checks compulsory from early 2007



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- ☞ A thorough knowledge of the theory and practice of driving instruction
- ☞ An ability to teach
- ☞ A facility to keep abreast of changes in statutory regulations that govern the content and conduct of driving tests as well as driving instruction
- ☞ An ability to provide a professional service to people from diverse backgrounds

The benefits

- ☞ Self employment
- ☞ Flexible working hours
- ☞ Reasonable income once qualified
- ☞ Job satisfaction
- ☞ Chance to be your own boss

The drawbacks

- ☞ Very tough qualifying process
- ☞ Unsociable working hours
- ☞ Responsibility for the safety of pupils and others
- ☞ Extra hours for running your own business

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About Us

Instructor Doctors, a small team of highly qualified instructor trainers, has been set up in response to those wishing to join the industry who are looking for the security of a training organisation that has obtained Driving Standards Agency approval. It also aims to address the growing number of examination candidates who feel they have received poor and inadequate training.



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