

Driver's License Fees by State

We'd welcome your feedback: During the process of collecting this information, we discovered that the fees presented on the department of motor vehicles websites were not always consistent with the costs that workers would provide over the phone. Please email roldan@fiscalpolicy.org with any updates or corrections.

Alabama						
Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class B	\$36.25	4 years	\$5.00 test fee and \$36.25 license fee	\$5		Alabama has other fees such as an out of state transfer fee (\$5.00 + \$36.25 license fee) and multiple fees in order to obtain a CDL license.

Source: [Document Requirements and Fees](#)

Alaska						
Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$20.00	5 years	\$15.00	Road Test: \$15	Service Member: Road Test Waiver	Alaska has fees for renewal (\$20 or \$21 by mail), temporary driver's license (\$5), duplicate license (\$15) and higher fees license and test fees for obtaining a CDL license.

Source: [Fees for Driver Licensing, Statutes & Regulations](#)

Arizona						
Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes

Class D	\$25.00	Expires on 65 th birthday (must update photo every 12 years)	\$7.00		Ages 40-44: \$20 Ages 45-49: \$15 Age 50+: \$10	Arizona also has some of the following fees: Duplicate (\$12), Out of state driver's license skill test fee (\$15), out of state vision test (\$5), and a returned check fee (\$25).
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Source: [Driver License Information](#)

Arkansas						
Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$40.00	8 years	Prorated*	No road test or written test fee Retest for written & road test: \$10 each		Other fees include a renewal fee (\$40.00), duplicate license fee (\$10.00), duplicate permit fee (\$2), motorcycle endorsement (\$7) and a returned check fee (\$25)

Source: [Frequently Asked Questions](#)

California						
Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class B	\$33.00 (includes learner's permit & road test)	5 years	N/A	Failure after 3 attempts: \$33		California has other fees that include a renewal fee (\$34.00), Duplicate/name change (\$27.00), and a dishonored check fee (\$30.00).

Source: [Driver License/Identification Card Application Fees](#)

Colorado

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class R	\$26.00	5 years	\$16.80	Knowledge Written retest: \$11.15 Driving Skills retest: \$15	3-year extension for military: Free	Other fees include a short check fee (\$71.00), duplicate (\$12.00), CDL (\$15.50) and a reinstatement fee (\$95.00). *Fees for those not able to demonstrate lawful presence in the U.S. include the driver license (\$79.85) and permit (48.19).

Source: [DMV Fees](#)

Connecticut

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$72.00	5.5-7 years	\$19.00	Examination Fee: \$40		Other fees include fees for duplicate (\$30.00), renewal (\$72.00), renewal late fee (\$25.00) and changes to a license, such as address (\$30).

Source: [Driver's License Fees](#)

Delaware

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$40.00	8 years				Duplicate (\$20.00), Late renewal Fee (\$10.00), Renewal (\$25.00)

Source: [Motor Vehicle Fees](#)

District of Columbia

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Driver's License	\$47.00	8 years	\$20.00	Knowledge Test: \$10 Road Test: \$10	Change of address (free)	Other fees: Road Test Cancellation (\$30), Provisional Driver's License (\$20.00), Duplicate (\$20.00), Renewal (\$78.00), and Change of Name Fee (\$1.15).

Source: [Driver License Fees](#)

Florida

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class E	\$48.00 (includes learner's permit)	8 years	N/A	Knowledge retest: \$10.00 Skill retest: \$20.00	Waiving replacement fee for certain inmates	Other fees: renewal (\$48.00), tax collector service fee (\$6.25), replacement (\$25.00), late fee (\$15.00) and endorsements (\$7.00)

Source: [Fee Schedule, Florida Senate CS for CS for SB 274](#)

Georgia

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$32.00	8 years	\$10.00	\$10.00 permit fee for each attempt	Honorary Driver's license (Veterans or spouses of deceased veteran): Free National Guard: Free	Other fees in Georgie include a provisional license (\$10.00), address change (free per renewal period), and a replacement or duplicate (\$5.00).

					Non-Citizen: Fee of \$20.00	
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Source: [Fees and Terms](#)

Hawaii						
Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Driver's License	\$20.00	4 years	\$5.00	Road Test: \$8.00 Written Test: \$2.00	25-72 (8 years): \$40.00 72+ (2 years): \$10.00	In Hawaii there have is the option of an oral test for \$10.00 (Available at City Square and Wahiawa) and fees for a duplicate (\$6.00) and provisional license (\$5.00).

Source: [Driver's License Requirements](#)

Idaho						
Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$30.00	4 years	\$15.00	Skills Test: \$24.00 Knowledge Test: \$3.00	17 (1 year): \$15.00 Under 18 & 18-21 (3 year): \$25.00 20 (1 year): \$15.00 21-62 (8 years): \$55.00	The test fee (\$24.00) is divided and \$6.50 is paid to the county and \$17.50 is paid to the skills tester. The duplicate fee is \$15.00.

Source: [Idaho Driver's License / ID Card Fee Schedule](#)

Illinois

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$30.00	4 years	\$20.00		18-20: \$5.00 69-80: \$5.00 82-86: \$2.00 87+: Free	There is a duplicate fee (\$5.00). However, if you are an Active Duty Armed Forces member, Member's Spouse or Dependent children living with the member, the duplicate is free.

Source: [Driver Services](#)

Indiana

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Operator's License	\$17.50	6 years	\$9.50	Road Test: Free Written Test: Free	75-84: \$11.00 85+: \$7.00	Other fees include: Amended/Duplicate (\$10.50), Delinquent License Fee (\$5.00), and Late Renewal Fee (\$5.00).

Source: [Fee Chart, Renewing a Driver's License or Identification Card](#)

Iowa

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$4.00/year	5-8 years	\$6.00 /year	No Fee		The duplicate fee, name change fee and replacement fee are all each \$10.00.

Source: [Fees and License Types](#)

Kansas

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$23.00	4 years		\$3.00 exam fee included in license fee	Under 21: \$31.00	License fee includes \$8 photo fee and \$3.00 exam fee. Other fees include: Renewal (\$20.00), Name Change (\$16.00), and Replacement (\$16.00).

Source: [Driver Licensing Fee Chart](#)

Kentucky

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Operator's License	Varies by County	4 years			16: \$10.00 17: \$8.00 18: \$6.00 19: \$4.00 20: \$2.00	Other fees include: Duplicate (\$12.00), Reinstatement Fee (\$40.00)

Source: [Driver License, ID Card, & General Information, 601 KAR 12:050. Driver licensing fee schedule; and licensees under age twenty-one \(21\)](#)

Louisiana

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class E	\$32.25 - \$38.25 (includes license fee of \$20.25, \$12.00 handling fee & a service fee of \$0-\$6.00)	6 years	\$32.35		70+: \$18.75 - \$24.75 (Includes license fee of \$6.75, handling fee of \$12.00 & service fee of \$0-\$6.00) Veterans: (disabled at least 50% and honorable discharged: Free Under 18 in foster care: Free	Other fees include: Duplicate Fee (\$17.00 - \$23.00)

Source: [FEES AND DURATION OF LICENSE / ID CARD, OMV Policy](#)

Maine

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$30.00	6 years		Written Test: \$10.00 (Includes first road test.) Reexamination: \$5.00	65+: \$21.00 Active Members of Armed Forces: Free	Other fees include: Road Test Cancellation Fee (\$30.00), Endorsements (\$10.00), Renewal (\$30.00), and a fee for converting a license from another state (\$30.00 license fee & \$10.00 application fee).

Source: [License and Examination Fee's, Title 29-A, Chapter 11: DRIVER'S LICENSE](#)

Maryland

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$72.00/ \$9.00 per year*	5 years	\$50 (fee includes conversion to full license)			Other fees include: Renewal (\$6.00/year), Duplicate (\$20.00)

Source: [MVA Fee Listing](#)

*Fees may be prorated

Massachusetts

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$85.00 (includes \$50 for license and \$35 for road test)	4 years	N/A	Road Test: \$35.00 (included in driver license fee)	Disabled Veterans: Free	Other fees include: Duplicate (\$25.00), Out of State License Conversion (\$140), and a fee for changes (\$25.00).

Source: [Schedule of Fees](#)

Michigan

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Operator's License	18 +: \$25.00 (includes permit fee)	4 years	Under 19: Free	Road Test: Varies by Testing Location Knowledge Retesting (After failing twice): \$10 Skills Test: (After failing twice): \$20.00		Other fees in Michigan include: Renewal (\$18.00), Duplicate or Correction (\$9.00), and a Late Renewal Fee (\$7.00).

Source: [Driver's License Fees](#)

Minnesota

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$25.25	4 years	\$13.25	Written Test: No Fee (Additional attempts: \$10 each) Road Test: No Fee (Additional attempts \$20 each)		Other Fees: Provisional license (\$16.25), Enhanced Driver's License (\$15.00), and a Duplicate Fee (\$14.75).

Source: [Driver's License Fees](#)

Mississippi

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class R	\$24.00	4 years	\$7.00	N/A		Other Fees Include: Driver License Book (\$2.00), Renewal (\$24.00), Late Renewal Fee (\$1.00), and a Duplicate/Lost Fee (\$11.00).

Source: [Driver Services Fees](#)

Missouri

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class F	\$10.00	3 years	\$3.50			There is a convenience fee for payments with credit cards that increase with amount of payment.

Source: [The Missouri Driver License and Non-Driver License](#)

Montana

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$40.50 (includes .50 license renewal reminder)	8 years				Other Fees: Renewal (\$40.50), Replacement/Address Change (\$10.00)

Source: [Cost and Length of Regular License](#)

Nebraska						
Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class O	\$21.50 *Fees change by duration of valid years of license	4 years	\$10.50			Other fees include: Replacement (\$13.50), Change of Class or Endorsements which are each \$7.50.

Source: [License, Permit and State Identification Card Fees](#)

Nevada						
Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$42.25	*Transitioning from 4 year licenses to 8 year licenses	\$23.25	Initial Knowledge & Skills Test: \$26 (Retest: \$11)	65+: \$18.25 Waive duplicate fee for homeless & recently-released prisoners (One Time)	Other Fees: Duplicate (\$18.25), Change of Address (\$4.25), Change of Information (\$9.25), Late Renewal Fee (\$10.00)

Source: [Driver License & ID Card Fees](#)

New Hampshire						
Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$50.00	5 years	\$10			Other fees include: Duplicate (\$10.00), Address Change (\$3.00)

Source: [Driver Licensing Fees, TITLE XXI Motor Vehicles- Chapter 263 Drivers' Licenses](#)

New Jersey

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Auto	\$24.00	4 years	\$10.00			Other fees include: Renewal or Changes (\$24.00), Duplicate (\$11.00)

Source: [License and Permit Fees](#)

New Mexico

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Driver's License	\$18.00	4 years	\$10.00			Other fees include: Provisional Permit (\$18.00), Renewal (\$18.00), Replacement (\$18.00)

Source: [Apply for a Learner's Permit](#)

New York

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$64.25-\$67.50 \$73.25-\$77.50*	5 years		2 road tests are included in \$10.00 driver license application fee	16-16.5: \$80.00/\$90.00* 16.5-17: \$76.50/\$85.75* 17-17.5: \$92.50/\$102.50* 17.5-18: \$89.25/\$98.25* 18-18.5: \$80.0/\$90.00* 18.5-21: \$76.75-\$80.00 /\$85.75-\$90.00*	Other fees include: Fee for enhanced driver license (\$30.00), replacement (\$17.50), change of information (\$12.50)

Source: [Driver License and Learner Permit Fees and Refunds](#)

*Amount is the fee for people who live in the Metropolitan Commuter Transportation District (New York City and its suburbs)

North Carolina

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$40.00	8 years	\$20.00	Road test & written test fee included in learner's permit fee		Other fees include: Duplicate (\$13.00), Provisional License (\$5/year)

Source: [Licensing Fees](#)

North Dakota

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$15.00	4-6 years	\$15.00	Written Test: \$5.00 Road Test: \$5.00		Other fees include: Duplicate (\$8.00), Endorsement Fee (\$8 plus \$3 per endorsement), Name or Address Change Only (\$3)

Source: [Fees](#)

Ohio

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Driver's License	21+: \$23.00	4 years	16: \$24.25 17: \$23.00 18: \$21.75 19: \$20.50 20: \$19.25	Road Test: No Fee Written Test: No Fee	100% Disabled Veteran: Free	Other fees include: Duplicate/Replacement (\$24.50), Lamination fee (\$1.50), Vision Screening (\$2.75)

Source: [Driver License/Identification Card Related Fees](#)

Oklahoma

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$33.50			Application fee: \$4.00 Written Retest: \$4.00	62: \$21.25 63: \$17.50 64: \$13.75 65: Free	Other fees include: Duplicate (\$20.00)

Source: [Digital Driver License Classes & Fees](#)

Oregon

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$60.00	8 years	\$23.50	Driver's Test: \$9.00 Knowledge Test: \$5.00 Under 21: 2 nd written test (free)	Hardship /Probationary Permit (\$50 Application Fee): if driving privileges revoked you can get some privileges (Go to/from work, drive on the job, seek employment, participate in an alcohol/drug rehabilitation program, regular basis medical treatment)	Other fees include: Renewal (\$40.00), Replacement (\$26.50)

Source: [Driver Licensing & ID Card Fees](#)

Pennsylvania

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class A	\$35.50 (includes fee for learners permit, license \$21, \$9.50 photo fee)	4 years	N/A	Road Test: Free	65+: \$25.00	Other fees include: fee for uncollectible check (\$58.00), Duplicate (\$28.50)

Source: [Motor Vehicle Services and Fees](#)

Rhode Island

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Driver's License	\$38.50		18+: \$26.50 16-18: \$11.50	Road Test: \$26.50	License Renewal for 71+: Prorated	Other fees include: Out of state transfer (\$43.50), Duplicate (\$26.50), Renewal (\$61.50), Update (\$6.50)

Source: [Fee Schedule](#)

South Carolina

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$12.50	5 years	\$2.50	Knowledge Test: \$2.00		Other fees include: Driver's Manual Fee (\$5.00+tax), Duplicate (\$10.00)

Source: [DMV Fees](#)

South Dakota

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$28.00 (includes road test)	5 years	\$28 + \$15 fee to upgrade (includes knowledge test)			Other fees include: Renewal (\$28.00), Duplicate (\$15.00), Reinstatement Fees (\$50-\$200)

Source: [Driver Licensing Fees](#)

Tennessee

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$28.00 (includes \$2.00 application fee, & \$26.00 license cost) & \$3.25/year	5 years	18+: \$5.50 Under 18: \$10.50+	Road Test: No fee	Active Military personal license does not expire regardless of expiration date Hardship License Available: issued in cases of family hardship and are limited to specific needs	Other fees include: Duplicate (First: \$8.00/ Subsequent \$12.00), Address/Name change (\$8.00)

Source: [Driver License Fees](#)

Texas

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$25.00	6 years	\$16.00		Under 18: \$16 85+: \$9.00 Disabled Veterans (60%): Free	Other fees include: Renewal (\$25.00), Replacement/ Name Change or Address Change (\$11.00)

Source: [Driver License Fees](#)

Utah

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$25.00	5 years	\$15.00 (includes permit test)	Road test is included in license fee	Renewal for 65+: \$13	Other fees include: Provisional License (\$30.00), Renewal (\$25.00), Duplicate (\$18.00)

Source: [Driver License Fee Schedule](#)

Vermont

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Driver's License	\$32.00	2 years	\$20.00	Knowledge Test: \$32.00 Road Test: \$19.00		Other fees include: Converting from another state (license fee + exam fee), Duplicate (\$20.00), Enhanced Driver's License (\$30.00)

Source: [License/Permit/ID Fees](#)

Virginia

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Driver's License	\$35.00	8 years	Combined with driver's license	Included in fee Retest Fee: \$2.00		Other fees include: Temporary driver's license, Replacement (\$20.00), Reinstatement (\$145-\$220)

Source: [DMV Fees](#)

Washington

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Driver's License	\$89.00 (includes \$35.00 application fee and \$54 issuance fee)	6 years	\$25.00	Knowledge and driving test fees vary by location	Military service members and families do not have a renewal fee for length of military service	Other fees include: Enhanced driver license (\$143), Updated (office: \$10.00/Online: \$20.00), Renewal (\$54.00 for 6 years / \$45.00 for 5 years), Replacement (\$20.00)

Source: [Driver Licensing Fees](#)

West Virginia

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class B	21+: \$40.00 (\$5.00 test fee plus \$2.50 for each year license is valid plus .50 for Combined Voter Registration and Driver's Licensing Fund)	5 years	\$5		18: \$26.25 19 \$17.50 20: \$8.75	Other fees include: Duplicate (\$5.00), Renewal (\$10.50)

Source: [Driver's Licenses and ID Cards](#), [West Virginia Code: Chapter 17B. Motor Vehicle Driver's License](#)

Wisconsin

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class D	\$34.00	8 years	\$35.00	Skills Exam: \$15.00		Other fees include: Renewal (\$34.00). Duplicate (\$14.00), Renewal Late Fee (\$5.00)

Source: [Driver Licensing Fees](#)

Wyoming

Typical Driver's License	Driver's License Fee	Duration of License	Learner's Permit Fee	Test Fees	Exceptions	Notes
Class C	\$20.00	8 years	\$20.00			Other fees include: Renewal/Duplicate (\$15.00), Reinstatement Fee (\$50.00)

Source: [Fees](#)