

October 15, 2021

Dear Families with Students in Driver's Training,

The Good Spirit School Division will follow the lead of SGI when providing In-Car Driving instruction. Effective November 22, 2021, students will be required to show proof of full vaccination or successfully complete a GSSD Covid Screener (which includes a COVID Rapid test) before the In-Car training will be provided. This will help further reduce the risk of COVID transmission and help keep students and employees safe.

Your child's driver instructor will ask for proof of vaccination or provide them with a Screener Questionnaire that includes a Rapid Covid test. The screener must be taken and passed immediately before the In-Car training portion is offered. The instructor will not record or collect any medical information. If students are unable to provide proof of vaccination or fail the screener, they will not be able to drive with GSSD contracted Driver Training Instructors until they are able to do so.

According to the Saskatchewan Health Authority, people are considered fully vaccinated once:

- they have received the recommended number of doses of a COVID-19 vaccine, or combination of COVID-19 vaccines, approved by Health Canada; and,
- 14 or more days have passed since they have received the last of the recommended number of doses.

The following options will be accepted as proof of full vaccination:

- a QR code/MySaskHealthRecord vaccine certificate uploaded to SK Vax Wallet;
- a printed copy of your MySaskHealthRecord vaccine certificate (with or without a QR code);
- a screenshot of your MySaskHealthRecord vaccine certificate (with or without a QR code) saved to your device;
- an earlier version of your MySaskHealthRecord COVID-19 vaccine certificate;
- your wallet card issued at time of vaccinations; or,
- a COVID-19 vaccine printout from Saskatchewan Health Authority Public Health.

If completing the GSSD Covid Screener, the test must be taken under supervision of the driver training instructor. Students are encouraged to arrive at least 10 minutes in advance of their scheduled time.

If a screener is failed by a student, the Driver Training instructor will contact the school principal immediately via email informing them of the information and advise the student to contact 811 for further testing.

Sincerely



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Director of Education