

C1 5-day Licence Acquisition Course

This course is designed for drivers who need to pass the DVLA test to drive C1 class vehicles.

Company drivers who will require a licence to drive a category C1 vehicle (up to 7.5 tonnes gross mass loaded) are a higher risk due to the key differences between these larger vehicles and others they may have driven. This course is designed to train your drivers to confidently pass the DVLA C1 test.

In line with your Duty of Care as an employer, supporting your new drivers in appropriate licence acquisition is a key element of your **Driver Risk Management** programme.



Key information:

Course duration, 2 options: 1:1 ratio, 3 days, with DSA test on the last day
2:1 ratio, 5 days, with DSA test on the last day

Location: Nationwide UK & Ireland

Reporting: Post Training Report

Pre-Training Data: HPE Assessment / DVLA

Road Type: Public roads. Where possible training will be on roads and routes known to be used by the test centre

Equipment: Client supplies vehicle which must be compliant with DSA test requirements. Business Driver can provide rental vehicles which are compliant with test requirements, at client cost

License Requirement: Full UK

Additional Costs: Cost of DSA test is passed on directly to the client by Business Driver

✓ Full Post Training Reports will be submitted within 48 hours of completion.

Vehicle Familiarisation

- ⚙️ Active and Passive safety systems
- ⚙️ Daily vehicle check protocols
- ⚙️ Defect, incident and fuel procedures
- ⚙️ Unique features and risks (as applicable)
 - Loading & speed limits, Mirrors, Vision/observation, Reversing aids (beepers, cameras etc.)

Driver Training

- ⚙️ Pre-training, eyesight test and vehicle checks
- ⚙️ Review understanding and key points of Driving Policy
- ⚙️ Common risks and collisions
- ⚙️ Short assessment drive
- ⚙️ Demonstration drive with commentary, (subject to insurance), followed by:
 - Observed drive and coached drive
 - Practice drive, consolidating learning
 - Final feedback and embedding of new techniques
 - Route planning
- ⚙️ Reiterate key elements of employer's Driving at Work Policy and common collision risks
- ⚙️ Reverse bay and parallel parking
- ⚙️ Support nervous drivers as required
- ⚙️ Drivers will build up their experience and critical manoeuvres as required by the DSA test
- ⚙️ Delegates must ensure that the following has been completed before booking the course and the test:
 - DSA Medical
 - DSA Online Theory Test, both parts
 - Provisional category on licence



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