



## Welcome to LDC

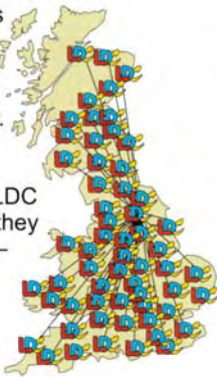
A combination of our highly skilled driving instructors and our modern student-centred learning methods have helped to make **LDC** one of the most successful driving school networks in the UK today.

While each instructor operates his or her own LDC driving school business, they all share a common aim – to provide the highest standards of tuition at the lowest overall cost. Only those who are prepared to meet our stringent customer care and tuition standards can operate under the **LDC** name.

Whether you are choosing driving tuition for yourself or for a member of your family, it is vital to make the right choice.

**“The safe drivers of tomorrow are the well-taught learners of today.”**

By taking a driving course with your local **LDC** driving school you can be assured of getting the best possible start on the road to safe driving.



## Before you start

Before you can start your driving lessons you need to have a Provisional Driving Licence. Therefore, if you do not have one you will need to apply for one from the DVSA. The easiest way to apply is through the Gov.UK website. However, if you are not sure what to do simply give us a call.

Although you can start your driving lessons as soon as you have obtained your Provisional Driving Licence, you cannot book the driving test until you have passed the theory test.

You should be able to book your theory test with a few days notice and receive your test results on the day of the test. If you buy a theory course package from us we would be happy to book this test for you. Similarly, if you buy a driving course from us we would be happy to book your driving test. The waiting time for a driving test is typically 4-8 weeks. Sooner dates are usually available through test appointment cancellations.

From the above, you can see how important it is to book your course in advance to ensure your desired lesson and test dates.

**Call Free: 0800 400 777**



# Make your first test

## How long will it take?

According to the last major government survey people learning in the UK take on average 47 hours of professional tuition to pass the driving test (plus on average 20 hours of additional practice with a family member or friend). With **LDC** we would expect this figure to be closer to 30 hours of professional tuition.

## LD System - the exciting new way to learn to drive

The LD System was originally designed for intensive training but it can be equally beneficial for those taking weekly lessons. For intensive training to be effective each driving lesson has to be carefully structured, meticulously planned and expertly delivered.

Each driving lesson in the LD System follows a set programme with clearly defined objectives or 'targets' as we prefer to call them, where the instructors use modern student-centred learning methods and the students are provided with the LD System course workbook and DVD videos to use between lessons.

By preparing for each driving lesson beforehand, you will save a lot of time in the car on unnecessary explanations. On traditional driving lessons around 20 minutes per new lesson is spent parked at the side of the road while your instructor explains in detail what to do and how to do it. With **LDC** instruction this doesn't happen. You simply start the driving lesson with a short question and answer session covering only those aspects you are unsure about. This alone potentially represents a significant saving in time.

Combine this with well structured training and student-centred learning methods mean you pass quicker with far fewer lessons, thus saving you money in the long run. 50 cheap lessons will always cost you more than 30 reasonably priced lessons from **LDC**.

- 1 Watch the next lesson in the programme on DVD in the comfort of your own home.



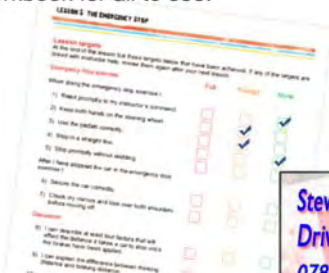
- 2 Check you have understood the key points by reviewing them in the workbook and doing a fun quiz.



- 3 Take your workbook with you for your instructor to check before he or she puts the lesson into practice.



- 4 At the end of the lesson your **LDC** instructor will review your progress and get you to record this in your workbook for all to see.



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## Weekly Lessons

Learning to drive, using the unique LD System, can be spread over several weeks and lessons can be booked individually or in a block at a discount.

Lessons are usually 1, 1.5 or 2 hours long on a one student to one instructor basis. Our instructors schedule an additional non chargeable 15 minutes for pick up/drop off time. Unlike the courses described below, the **LDC** driving skills DVD's and workbook are not included in the price but can be purchased or rented separately.

## Semi-intensive Pass Course

The Semi-intensive Pass Course is spread over two or more weeks to suit you and your instructor's schedule. This is the most popular and successful form of intensive training. It is designed for people who want to pass the test quickly but at a comfortable pace.

The in-car training provided is 30 hours on a one student to one instructor basis. (This includes 2 hours for attending the driving test.) When you add the home study, using the **LDC** driving skills DVD's and workbook, the total duration of this course is around 40 hours.

## One Week Pass Course

The One Week Pass Course is identical in content to the Semi-intensive Pass course except that it would usually start on Sunday or Monday and finish on Friday.

It is ideal for those who are in a real hurry and who could not otherwise find the time. You would need to book the course and pass the theory test in advance of the required start date.

Residential one week courses are also available at various quiet and picturesque locations throughout the UK. Please note these courses are very popular and limited in number.

## Midway Pass Course

For those who have already learned the basic control skills of driving we have the Midway Pass Course.

The in-car training provided is 20 hours on a one student to one instructor basis. (This includes 2 hours for attending the driving test.) When you add the home study, using the **LDC** driving skills DVD's and workbook, the total duration of this course is around 28 hours.

## Test Booster Course

For those who are nearing test standard and who just need a short burst of lessons prior to the test, we have the Test Booster Course. It is also ideal for those who have had an attempt at the test some time ago but haven't had any lessons since.

The in-car training is 15 hours on a one student to one instructor basis. (This includes 2 hours for attending the driving test.) When you add the home study, using the **LDC** driving skills DVD's and workbook, the total duration of the course is around 20 hours.

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### How do I book my course?

Congratulations, you have now taken the first step towards getting your Driving Licence. Booking a driving course with your local **LDC** instructor couldn't be easier. You can either call our freephone number (0800 400 777) and book directly over the telephone or you can send in the completed Course Enrolment Form enclosed with this brochure to the National Booking Office. We accept most credit and debit cards, as well as cheques. We will also accept cash and postal orders but recommend you send them registered post. You can also buy a course online at [www.learnerdriving.com/store](http://www.learnerdriving.com/store).

Once we receive your booking we will arrange for your local **LDC** instructor to contact you to organise your driving lessons. If you have already passed your theory test your instructor will usually book your driving test and plan all your lessons with you either by telephone or on their initial visit. If you have not passed your theory test your instructor will organise the first part of your course but he or she will have to wait until you have passed the

theory test before booking the driving test and the remainder of your course lessons.

### What happens after I book?

If you have booked through the National Booking Office you will receive a Confirmation of Booking inclusive of what you have paid for and a further copy of the Terms and Conditions. Please check that we have written down any Special Requirements you stated when you made the booking by phone, through the post or online. Along with this form or within a day or two, you will receive any materials that come with the course of lessons you booked including any theory materials.

Your local **LDC** driving school instructor will receive all the information regarding you on or about the same day. They will give you a call to confirm things and to arrange a home visit to introduce you to the LD System and our student-centred learning approach. If you live in a remote area, they may do all of this by phone.

