



## Rules for L drivers by State and Territory

### Time and training

#### Night driving required

**20 hours**

NSW | Vic

**10 hours**

ACT (under 25) | QLD

**15 hours**

SA | Tas

**5 hours**

ACT (over 25) | WA



#### No logbook

All ages

NT

Over 25 years

WA

Over 21 years

Vic

Over 25 years

QLD

Over 25 years

NSW



#### Logbook required

**120 hours**

NSW | Vic (under 21)

**100 hours**

ACT (under 25) | Qld

**80 hours**

Tas

**75 hours**

SA

**50 hours**

ACT (over 25) | WA



In NSW, Qld and ACT 1 hour with a professional instructor counts as 3 hours driving in logbook (capped at 30 hours). In Tas 1 hour with a professional instructor counts as 2 hours (capped at 20 hours).



### While learning

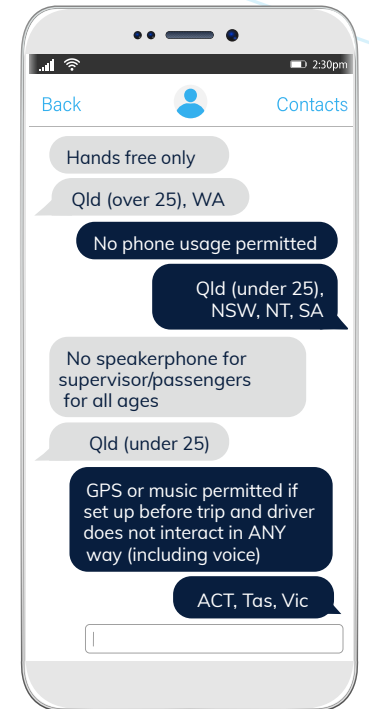
#### Demerit points

	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3
ACT	4 points		
NSW	4 points		
NT	5 points	5 points	5 points
	12 points		
Qld	4 points	4 points	4 points
SA	4 points		
Tas	4 points	4 points	4 points
Vic	5 points	5 points	5 points
	12 points		
WA	4 points	8 points	

Note: In Tas and Vic where more than one threshold exists, the strictest one applies.

If a learner driver accrues more than the specified number of points in the relevant time period, their licence can be suspended or refused (varies by state/territory).

#### Use of devices



Note: Specific phone function rules may vary slightly by state (e.g. bluetooth use, GPS, speakerphone)

### Permit/licence approval

#### Minimum age

**15 ¾ Years**

ACT



**16 Years**

All other states and territories

#### Permit/licence validity



**2 years**

NT | SA

Qld | WA

**3 years**

**5 years**

ACT | NSW | Tas

Vic

**10 years**

#### Minimum permit/licence tenure

**Under 25 years**

**6 months**

NT | WA | Vic (21–25)

**10 Months**

NSW

**12 Months**

ACT | QLD | SA  
Tas | Vic (under 21)

**Over 25 years**

**3 Months**

Vic

**6 Months**

ACT | SA | NT | WA

**12 Months**

Qld | Tas



No minimum period | NSW



### The road from Learner to Provisional

Pre-Learner  
Knowledge Test

All states and territories



Hazard Perception Test

WA | NSW | Tas | Vic | SA | ACT | Qld

Provisional Driver  
On-Road Driving Test

All states and territories



**100** km/h  
SA | WA

**90** km/h  
NSW | Tas

As signposted  
Qld | Vic | ACT

**80** km/h  
NT

**0% BAC\***

All states and  
territories

Drivers must be alcohol  
and drug free.



\* Blood Alcohol Concentration.