

Parental Consent Form

Dear Parent / Guardian,

Your son/daughter/ward has expressed an interest in undertaking the Northern Territory Government's DTAL Program, a Program designed to provide students with broad theoretical road user knowledge and the fundamental practical skills to help them become safe, proficient and skilful drivers in the community.

Through the Program, the Northern Territory Government provides 12 subsidised lesson vouchers to each student, valued at \$40 (plus GST) each. The vouchers are used towards the cost of professional driving lessons with DTAL registered instructors, however, the student will need to pay the difference between the voucher and the lesson fees, usually between \$10 to \$25 each.

To complete the Program students are required to undertake Theory classes along with the practical training. Theory 1 is the first step into the DTAL Program, teaching students the road safety and legislation information required to get out on the road. The second and final theory class, Theory 2, is undertaken partway through the Program as a review and discussion group in relation to attitudes to driving and road safety.

It is strongly recommended that students undertake additional practice between lessons with a fully licensed driver. The more practice Learner's receive, the better, *safer*, drivers they are likely to become.

It will cost \$33 to enrol in the Theory 1 class, and an additional \$33 for the second Theory lesson. However, along with the vouchers, the DTAL Program covers costs associated with the issue of a Learner's Licence through MVR, as well as one vehicle on-road test and the resulting Provisional Licence on successful completion of the Program, a saving of up to \$78.

In order for a student under 18 years of age to participate in the Program, parental consent is required. To provide your consent for your son/daughter/ward to complete the DTAL Program, please complete the details below and, along with the \$33 enrolment fee, return it to the DTAL Coordinator at the school/organisation conducting the Theory session.

For further information relating to DTAL, including eligibility requirements, please visit the DTAL website: www.deet.nt.gov.au/training/students/dtal

Student Details:

Full Name:	
Date of Birth:	
Home Address:	
Contact Number:	

Theory Session Details:

Theory Class (1 or 2):	
School/Organisation:	
Date:	

Parent/Guardian Consent:

I have read and understood the requirements of the program and give my consent to allow my son / daughter / ward to enrol and complete the DTAL Program:

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Signature: Date: