

On the Road



GETTING YOUR DRIVERS LICENCE.

This program aims to create awareness about Victorian road laws and traffic regulations among newly arrived refugees, improve newly arrived refugees understanding of the role of police in Australia, and empower new drivers with confidence, skills and knowledge to drive on our road.

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WHAT WE OFFER:

Information through our partners covering:

1. **Victoria Police**
*Role of the police
Traffic regulations and penalties*
2. **VicRoads**
*Registering a motor vehicle and compulsory insurance (TAC)
Process of getting a licence
Drivers licence conditions*
3. **Insurance**
*Types of insurance
Insurance claims*
4. **Department of Justice (Consumer Affairs)**
*Consumer affairs and trade practices
Consumer contractual rights and responsibilities*
5. **Consumer Affairs (Sheriff's Office)**
*Role of the Sheriff in Australia
Fines and payment options*
6. **Maurice Blackburn Lawyers**
*Accident & lodgement of claims
Role of Transport Accidents Commission (TAC)
Workers Rights.*

We also offer limited discount driving lessons plus assistance with your drive test fees.



L - PLATE CRITERIA.

The Learner Session is open to all applicants age 16 and above if they meet the following criteria below:

- Living in Australia for less than 5 years
- Arrived in Australia as a Humanitarian or refugee entrant
- Willing to attend 6 x 2 hour information sessions

What we offer.

- 6 x 2 hours of information on Road rules
- Free practice session on computers
- VicRoads presentation on required document to get your learners permit
- Free booking for your Learner's Permit
- Free trip to VicRoads to sit for your Learner's Permit.

P - PLATE CRITERIA.

- Living in Australia for less than 5 years
- Arrived in Australia as a Humanitarian or refugee entrant
- Hold a current concession card
- Evidence of driving lessons you have recently undertaken
- Willing to attend 6 evening information sessions
- Willing to provide feedback on your driving practice
- Held your Learner's Permit for at least 1 year. Overseas licence holders are exempted from this.

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