



JourneySafe Teen-Parent Driving Contract

As a newly licensed driver and the parent of a teen driver, WE recognize that driving is a serious responsibility. We understand that 6,000 teens are killed in car crashes every year. Out of respect and loving concern for each other, WE agree as a teen driver and his/her parent to abide by the following "rules of the road" set forth below.

Teens and Parents

- I will always wear my seat belt and insist that everyone in the car wears a seatbelt at all times
- I will obey all traffic laws and observe speed limits
- I will NOT use a cell phone while driving; including hands free and texting
- I will never use drugs or alcohol and drive; nor will I ride with anyone using drugs or alcohol
- I will keep my eyes on the road and hands on the wheel at all times
- I will reduce/eliminate distractions as much as possible (eating, iPod, station surfing, etc)

Teens

- I will limit the number of passengers to _____ for _____ months
- I will NOT ride with another teen driver who has more than _____ passengers for _____ months
- I will maintain a _____ GPA
- I will observe my set curfew and call home if I will be late or my plans change
- I will drive at night only with permission and may drive no later than _____ PM

Event	Consequences
Received a ticket for a moving violation	
Failed to have all passengers wear a seat belt	
Violated the agreed upon number of passengers	
Used drugs or alcohol while driving	
Used cell phone or other device while driving	
Abused my curfew privileges	
Failed to maintain a _____ GPA	

Teen: I promise to follow the rules of this contract and will abide by the consequences if I fail to do so. I understand that driving not a right but a privilege that requires great responsibility. I realize that teens are more likely to be killed in an automobile crash than from any other cause and understand that I am responsible for the lives of my passengers. I will endeavor to keep myself, my friends and others on the road safe through my actions.

Signed _____ Date _____

Parent: I promise to do what I can to help my teen abide by these rules. I will do my best to monitor situations that might put my own or other teens at risk. I will lead by example and exhibit the kind of driving skills I expect my teen to emulate.

Signed _____ Date _____