Use of wireless communication devices* prohibited until teen completes the six-month period of passenger and late-night driving restrictions.

Kansas law states that persons 14-17 years old MUST wear a seat belt when riding in a vehicle. Failure to do so will result in a $60 ticket.

Note: This information is available in alternative accessible formats. To obtain an alternative format, contact KDOT Public Affairs, Eisenhower Building, 700 SW Harrison, 2nd Floor West, Topeka, KS 66603-3754 or 785-296-3585 (voice)/hearing impaired – 711.
**FARM PERMIT**  
*KSA 8-296*  

- Ages: 14-17  
- Must reside on a farm (parcel of land larger than 20 acres used in agricultural operations), or be employed for compensation on a farm  
- Written application of parent/guardian required  
- Must pass vision, written and driving examinations

**INSTRUCTION PERMIT**  
*KSA 8-2, 100*  

- Ages: 14-16, Duration: 12 months  
- Minimum age 14: valid for one year  
- If under age 16, written application of parent/guardian required  
- Must pass vision and written examinations

**RESTRICTED LICENSE**  
*KSA 8-2, 101*  

- Ages: 15-16, Duration: 12 months  
- Minimum age 15  
- Written application of parent/guardian required  
- Must have held instruction permit for at least one year and completed at least 25 hours of supervised driving  
- Must have successfully completed an approved Driver Education course (not required if applying at age 16)

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**FULL LICENSE**  
*KSA 8-235d*  

- Age: 17  
- Age 17 – if applying as a first-time applicant  
  - Must pass vision, written, and driving exams with appropriate license in hand  
  - Must provide proof of age and identification  
  - Signed affidavit of parent or guardian stating applicant has legally completed at least 50 hours of adult-supervised driving with at least 10 of those hours being at night

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**CHARGING**  

- Penalties apply to all teen drivers  
  - KSA 8-291 subject to suspension or revocation as any other driver's license  
  - Farm Permit shall be suspended for any violation of restrictions and/or two or more crashes chargeable to the holder

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- Penalties apply to all teen drivers  
  - KSA 8-291 subject to suspension or revocation as any other driver's license  
  - Shall be suspended for any violation of restrictions  
  - 1ST OFFENSE – 30-day suspension  
  - 2ND OFFENSE – 90-day suspension  
  - 3RD OFFENSE – One-year suspension

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*DEFINITIONS CAN BE FOUND AT KSA 8-234A.  **AT LEAST 21*