Procedure for Driver's License Examination (including changing the conditions and class of vehicle)

Place to Apply

 Police station (including branch police stations, but excluding the Police Headquarters, Branch Police Headquarters and Hamakita Police Station) Hours of Operation: Mon-Fri 9am-11:30am and 1pm-4pm (Closed: Saturday, Sunday, National Holidays and December 29-January 3) Your examination dates will be assigned after your application is processed at the police station (including branch police stations). You can take the examination at the Driver's License Testing and Issuing Center on or after the designated day.

• An authorized driving school you are currently attending.

Required Documents

- Valid Japanese driver's license.
- If you do not have a valid Japanese driver's license, you must bring a Certificate of Residence with your permanent address.
- A Certificate of Residence that shows your nationality and a Resident Card with valid permission of residence. (Foreign Applications Only)
- Social Security Number (My Number) is NOT required.
- One of the following identifications:
- ✓ Health Insurance ID Card
- ✓ Social Security Number Card (My Number Card)
- ✓ Passport
- ✓ Valid driver's license, driving permit, or certificate of qualification issued by a government office, and a document that is sufficient to prove the identification issued by the government office to its staff.
- Photo for the Application

One (1) photo. (You can bring two (2) photos if you wish to use that photo for your driver's license. No photo is required for the examinees who take the examination and assessment for changing the conditions and class of vehicle.)

• Those who have graduated from an authorized driving school in other prefectures must provide the graduation certificate.

Note:

A student ID and private company employee ID card will also be accepted after your identity is confirmed through the school or office. Bring as many of the required documents as possible.

At the time of the procedure, we will explain to you what is necessary for taking the examination at the Driver's License Testing and Issuing Center.

Other Points to Consider:

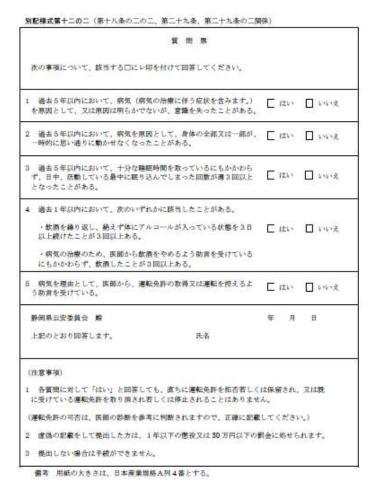
- You MUST be a resident of Shizuoka Prefecture in order to take the examination.
- If you are physically disabled or challenged, please contact the nearest Driver's License Testing and Issuing Center for a consultation in advance.
- If your driver's license has been revoked, pre-revoked, issuance of your driver's license has been refused, or you have been prohibited to drive for more than six (6) months, you will NOT be qualified to take the examination for your new driver's license without attending the Revoked License Offender's Lecture within a year before taking the examination (except for a learner's permit).

However, this excludes those whose driver's licenses have been canceled based on the Retest system after the Beginner Driving Period is over.

- If you have incurred any demerit points for committing offences such as driving without a license, you should inform the nearest Driver's License Testing and Issuing Center in advance. A decision may be made to refuse the issuance of your driver's license even if you pass the examination.
- During the suspension, revocation and the period of disqualification of your driver's license, you are NOT qualified to take the examination.
- If you are under medical treatment, please contact the nearest Driver's License Testing and Issuing Center or window-counter at the police station for a consultation. The staff will listen to your specific situation and advise.

You will be obliged to submit the "Questionnaire" with regards to the symptoms on certain disease at the time of acquisition or renewal of the driver's license.

*Please provide complete and accurate information.



Note:

The privacy and personal data of individuals included in the "Questionnaire" containing the answers will be carefully protected.

Contact information

Place	Location	TEL	Hours of Operation
Tobu Driver's License Testing and Issuing Center (Eastern Area)	241-10, Azaonoue, Ashitaka, Numazu City	055-921-2000	Mon-Fri 9am-5 pm
Chubu Driver's License Testing and Issuing Center (Central Area)	6-16-1, Yoichi, Aoi- ku, Shizuoka City	054-272-2221	Mon-Fri 9am-5 pm
Seibu Driver's License Testing and Issuing Center (Western Area)	3220, Komatsu, Hamakita-ku, Hamamatsu City	053-587-2000	Mon-Fri 9am-5 pm