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## Florida Virtual School® Driver Ed Students Now Able to Take Permit Exam for Free

**ORLANDO, Fla.** (July 16, 2015) – For the first time, students who successfully complete the <u>Driver Education/Traffic Safety</u> course with Florida Virtual School (FLVS®) will have the opportunity to take the Florida Learner's License (permit) exam for free. The exam – which is now available online with Driversed.com – had previously been a separate component that students must pay for through an approved online provider or take at their local DMV.

Any student who successfully completes the FLVS Driver Education course will be sent the link to grant him/her one free Learner's License exam, a savings of almost \$25. When students pass the exam, the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles (DHSMV) will automatically be notified. Students can then visit the DHSMV office to complete the licensing process.

The FLVS Driver Education/Traffic Safety course helps students to develop safe driving skills, provides students with the required Traffic Law & Substance Abuse Education (TLSAE) waiver, and prepares students for the Learner's License exam. Students will also have the opportunity to take up to 50 free practice tests for the Learner's License exam.

Students completing the Driver Education/Traffic Safety course will also be able to fulfill their virtual learning requirement per Florida's Digital Learning Act.

Students interested in registering in the <u>Driver Education/Traffic Safety</u> course or any of the other more than 150 courses FLVS offers should visit www.flvs.net.

## **About Florida Virtual School**

Florida Virtual School (FLVS) is an established leader in developing and providing virtual Kindergarten-12 education solutions to students all over Florida, the United States and the world. A nationally recognized elearning model and recipient of numerous awards, FLVS was founded in 1997 and was the country's first, statewide Internet-based public high school. Today, FLVS serves students in grades Kindergarten-12 and provides a variety of custom solutions for schools and districts to meet student needs. For more information on FLVS, visit <a href="https://www.flvs.net">www.flvs.net</a>.

## About DriversEd.com

Part of the <u>eDriving</u> family of companies, <u>DriversEd.com</u> is the largest provider of online and behind-the-wheel novice driver training in the United States, offering state-approved online novice courses in 17 states. eDriving offerings also include <u>I Drive Safely</u>, the largest provider of online driver improvement courses nationwide, and <u>eDriving Fleet</u>, a leading provider of online fleet driver training and management tools. For more information, visit <u>www.edriving.com</u>.

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