

Requirements for an Idaho Driver's License or Idaho Identification Card

Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV)
Located in the Eastside Market Place

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Location: The Driver's Licensing Department is part of the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) and is located in the Eastside Marketplace (the mall off of the Troy Highway where Safeway and Mongolian BBQ are located).

Items you will need to take with you:

- Legal Presence Documents
 - Valid Passport with valid U.S. Visa (a certified Birth Certificate translated into English will be required if your country does not issue visas for travel to the U.S.)
 - Valid Immigration Naturalization Service Card or original Certificate of Naturalization/Citizenship, Resident Alien Card or Permanent Resident Alien Card
 - I-94 with D/S (duration of stay) stamp
 - I-20 (F1 status) or DS-2019 (J1 status)
- Social Security Number (SSN), or a letter of denial from the Social Security Administration stating that you cannot receive a SSN (will be provided in the U.S.).
- **Proof of current Idaho residency**: document that includes your name and physical address such as a lease or rental agreement, utility or cable billing. If you are unable to provide one of these documents an affidavit signed by a person you reside with, who has a current Idaho driver's license or I.D. card with the current address on it, will suffice. Documents NOT accepted are cell phone bill, vehicle registration, pay stub, bank statement, checkbook, insurance card, regular mail received addressed to you.

Driver's License: A written and driving skills test is required. You will want to pick up an Idaho *Driver's Manual* from the DMV and *study for this test* ahead of time by becoming familiar with Idaho driving rules and regulations. All documents are subject to approval by the Idaho Department of transportation office (IDT) in Boise.

Driver's licenses and state ID cards are only issued for 1 year or when your I-20 expires, which ever date is less.

