



Justice Institute of British Columbia COURSE OUTLINE

Course Code: Taxi180

Course Title: Collision Avoidance Driving

Prerequisite Courses: TaxiHost Assessment (for TaxiHost Pro Students)

School: School of Public Safety and Security

Division/Academy/Centre: PTEC

Previous Course Code & Title:

Course First Offered:

# of Credits:	0.5
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Course Description:

This course combines in-class and hands on driver training. The course enrolls five participants per class and gives each person ample time to practice new driving techniques and receive feedback from the instructor, other participants, and the on-board computer analyst that registers the smoothness of braking, accelerating, and steering. Participants practice strategies to prevent collisions and receive feedback about their personal strengths and weaknesses as drivers. This course helps drivers develop the key attitudes and road skills required to be a safe professional driver.

Course Goal(s):

Learning Outcomes:

By the end of this course, the learner will be able to .

- Explain the attributes of a good driver
- Explain the importance of a pre-trip vehicle check.
- Identify the safety devices in a vehicle.
- Explain the term "vision driving"
- Identify the elements of smooth driving
- Describe the proper use of signals.
- Describe the correct method of merging on a freeway.
- Explain the right-of-way rules.
- List guidelines for intersection safety
- Identify six conditions that affect driving, and describe ways to deal with them.
- Describe the problem of speed



- Explain the “two-second following distance” rule.
- List guidelines for driving safely in a parking lot.
- Explain what traffic road lines and markings mean.
- Describe what drivers must do when an emergency vehicle approaches.
- Explain the law on passing on the right side and on emerging from alleys.
- Define “preventable collision.”
- Describe strategies for preventing collisions

Course Topics/Content:

- Driver Behaviour (Correct Attitude)
- Preventable Collisions
- Driving Habits and Techniques
 - Vision Driving
 - Right of Way
 - Following Distance
 - Intersection Safety
- Traffic Laws – Road Lines and Markings

Text and Resource Materials:

Required:

Recommended:



Course Level:

X	First Year		Second Year		Third Year		Fourth Year
	Other (describe):						

Equivalent Course(s) within the JIBC:

Class Delivery Methods:

Delivery Methods	Class Option A (Hours)	Class Option B (Hours)	Class Option C (Hours)	Class Option D (Hours)
Classroom/Lecture/Discussion	7			
Simulation/Lab				
Practicum/Fieldwork				
Online				
Correspondence				
Total Class Hours				

Comments on Delivery Methods:

Course Grading System:

	Letter Grades		Percentage	X	Pass/Fail
	Complete/Incomplete		Attendance Only		

Passing Grade:	75%
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Evaluation Activities and Weighing:

Final Exam	60%	Assignments	%	Project	%	Capstone Project	%
Midterm Exam	%	Portfolio	%	Participation	40%	Other	%
Quizzes/Test	%	Simulations	%	Practicum	%	TOTAL	100%

Comments on Evaluation Activities and Weighing:



Other Course Guidelines, Procedures and Comments:

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