



Route to Your Moped Licence

Provisional Licence

- You need to apply for a provisional licence.
- Check that you have Category 'P' entitlement

This entitles you to ride a moped unaccompanied on the road once you have completed a Compulsory Basic Training Course. A moped is defined as a machine which does not exceed 30mph, weigh more than 250kg or have an engine over 50cc].



Compulsory Basic Training (CBT)

- You will need to successfully complete a CBT Course and be issued with a CBT Certificate.
- CBT Courses can only be run by Driving Standards Agency approved training bodies.

Your CBT Course must include an assessed road ride of no less than 2 hours.



Your Choice

Once you have successfully completed your CBT course you may ride your moped with L-plates unaccompanied on the road. You may not use a motorway or carry passengers. You may choose to take a full moped test.



The Theory Test - required for all categories

- You will require a Theory Test pass before taking a practical test for any of the Categories of motorcycle licence. **A full car licence does NOT exempt you from the Theory Test.**
- The theory test is not required if you have passed a two part moped test or a lower category motorcycle test since 1st July 1996.

The Theory Test Pass Certificate is valid for 2 years.



Full Moped Test

During your moped test the examiner will test your riding skills on the road. If you pass you will be issued with a full category P entitlement. This will entitle you to ride without L plates and, if your moped is equipped with appropriate foot rests, you may take a pillion passenger. You are still not entitled to ride on the motorway.