



Oregon's Driver Ed is looking for adults who have a passion for helping their communities to become safer. Become an ODOT-approved Driver Ed instructor!

Why Teach with Ed?

Every year, thousands of Oregon's teens become new drivers. And every year, motor vehicle crashes are the No. 1 cause of death for teens aged 15-20. That's tragic. But it's also preventable. Studies show teens who successfully complete a driver education course in Oregon greatly reduce their chance of being in a fatal crash, and have fewer traffic convictions and suspensions.

Here's the challenge:

Oregon is facing a statewide shortage of ODOT-approved driving instructors. Fewer instructors mean more teens on the road without access to proper training, skills development and practice. And that affects everyone. After all, safer drivers lead to safer roads.

It's time for action!

Become an ODOT-approved Driver Ed instructor! Here are some great reasons to teach with Ed:



MAKE A LITTLE DOUGH-RE-MI

Becoming an ODOT-approved Driver Ed instructor is a nice way to some extra income. What's more, **tuition is free of charge** for Oregon residents.

Eugene/Springfield driving schools offer competitive starting wages and have immediate openings.

Tuition is funded by a grant from ODOT Transportation Safety Division for Oregon residents. Participants are responsible for paying their own materials fee of \$100 and criminal history check fee of \$10 for a total cost of \$110.

GIVE PARENTS A HAND
Teens taught to drive solely by their parents are nearly **three times more likely** to be involved in serious crashes than those taught by professionals.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE
You'll help teens develop lifelong **safe driving habits**. Now that's a job that can make anyone proud.

BE THE HERO*
ODOT-approved driving instructors literally **save lives** in their communities.
**Cape and tights optional*

Parents have sung the praises of ODOT-approved courses. Their teens learn to be safe drivers, easing the worry parents face when teens are driving on their own.



EASE ON DOWN THE ROAD

With a simple registration process, online and hands-on instruction, and **less than nine weeks to complete**, getting your certification is easy!

We now offer certification courses in Eugene! These courses take place over nine weekends (both days). Classroom discussions, video presentations, and hands-on (behind-the-wheel) exercises will fill your days in class. You will have some homework to complete prior to your next class.

Please go to: <http://trouw.org/projects/tse/scheduleofcourses> for more information and to register for Eugene's Fall/Winter course.

Enrollment closes 10/1/2018 and is limited.

Questions can be emailed to trafficsafety@wou.edu. We would like to acknowledge the support of Oregon Department of Transportation – Traffic Safety Division.