



## Proviso Township District 209 Behind the Wheel

Parents and Guardians:

The Illinois State Board of Education has approved Behind the Wheel to continue during the summer. Proviso Township District 209 puts everyone's health and safety first and foremost in the continuation of BTW. We want to ensure you that we are following all the ISBE guidelines to help the students complete BTW.

Students and faculty will not participate if they have any of the following symptoms:

*Fever or chills, Cough, Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, Fatigue, Muscle or body aches, Headache, New loss of taste or smell, Sore throat, Congestion or runny nose, Nausea or vomiting, Diarrhea*

Other precautions that will be taken include the following:

1. Every student and instructor need a mask
2. Everyone's temperature is taken and must be below 100.4
3. Only people in the car is the instructor and 2 students
4. Driver's area needs to be sanitized between drives (Steering Wheel, Shift Indicator, Windshield Wipers, Turn Signal)
5. Drives should last no longer than 2 hours
6. Windows will be open weather permitting
7. Car will be wiped down in between drivers
8. Car will be completely sprayed between drives

We are going to do our best to try and have the same students paired together to reduce the amount of exposure students will have. Students are going to be exposed to others without symptoms. Therefore, the school is not liable for anyone becoming ill. Since only two students will be in the car, it is imperative that everyone shows up to their drives and communicates with their instructor. Students should show up at least **10 minutes early** to all drives. If students miss multiple drives, their BTW process can be postponed until the fall.

We do not want to put any students in a difficult situation. If the parents or the students are not comfortable going back to BTW, they will not be penalized and will be able to finish whenever they are comfortable.

Sincerely,

Proviso Driver Education Departments