

ALBERTA DRIVER'S LICENSE



To operate a class 5 vehicle (e.g. car, light truck, recreational vehicle) in Alberta you must have a **valid driver's license**.

Is my current driver's license acceptable?

You can drive in Alberta with a license from a different country or Canadian province for up to 90 days after your date of arrival. After the 90's days you will need to get a Alberta drivers licence; learn more about driving in Canada on a foreign licence [here](#).

How do I get an Alberta Driver's License?

License from a different Canadian Province:

I have a driver's license from a different Canadian province you can exchange your licence at the Registry and you will receive the Alberta equivalent license for the class of your out of province license.

Licence from a different country:

If you have a driver's license from one of the following countries: [United Kingdom](#), [Northern Ireland](#), [Isle of Man](#), [Australia](#), [Japan](#), [Austria](#), [Belgium](#), [France](#), [Germany](#), [Switzerland](#), [Taiwan](#), [USA](#) or [Republic of Korea](#): You will receive an Alberta class 5 license. If you have been a licensed driver for less than 2 years you may be issued a GDL license which has some limitations

If you have a driver's license from a country not listed above: You will need to pass a written knowledge test AND a road test. If you pass both you will receive an Alberta class 5 license. If you've been a licensed driver for less than 2 years you may be issued a GDL license, which has some limitations.

In addition to providing the documents listed below you will also have to prove the date you first received a driver's license.

To register go to:

[The Banff Registry](#) (103- 211 Bear St) or the [Canmore Registry](#) (104 Kananaskis Way)

You'll need to take: Your current driver's license and a confirmation of employment letter issued within the last 14 days (email hr@bestofbanff.com to request a confirmation of employment letter)

AND

[Canadian Citizens /Permanent Residents](#): An original passport OR birth certificate

[Temporary foreign workers](#): Original passport AND work permit

If you have any questions or difficulties you can contact:

Human Resources Email: hr@bestofbanff.com Phone: 403 760 8521

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