**Program**: Defensive-driving course

**Interface**: Mobile Phone

**Tone**: Playful, young, but not too junior.

**Target Audience**: 15-year-olds

**Overall Theme of Program:** Help Abe Beachy (an inexperienced Amishman) pass defensive-driving school, learning the safety guidelines along the way.

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| **Level 0:** *The Dream*  **Image**: (*Gif) Young Abe in conservative Amish garb with hipster wide-rimmed sunglasses.*    (note to editor: ^just an example)  Growing up in the Amish community of Berlin, OH, Abe Beachy was not allowed to use most modern devices. Cell phones, televisions, and cars were declared out-of-reach to a young curious Abe. |

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| **Level 0:** *The Dream*  Every night before bed, Abe dreamed of driving a gas-powered vehicle to new places…Texas. California. Mexico… Exotic places far away from Berlin, Ohio.  **Image**: *(Gif) Abe laying in bed with a dream cloud depicting him driving through hills of Ohio in a red convertible* |

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| **Level 0:** *The Dream*  **Image**: (*Gif) Abe boarding a bus.*  Abe decided to pursue his dreams on his 18th birthday, leaving his home for the promised land of Austin, Tx. |

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| **Level 0:** *The Dream* **Image**: (jpg) *Abe in his Sunday best, about to enter a door that reads Keep Driving Weird.*  Now that Abe is in Austin, he wants to learn how to drive. Abe is a little nervous about taking the defensive-driving course though. Will you help him? |

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| **Level 0:** *The Dream* **Image**: (jpg) *Danke’ sha!* (in big gigantic font*) Thank you!* (in small font*)*  You and Abe will now go through a series of levels and pit stops filled with review questions. Every time you answer a question correctly, you will earn “Radio Shack” points for Abe to spend on modern prizes such as cell phones and electric toothbrushes. Again, Danke’ sha! (thank you) |

**Lesson 1**

**Objective**: Student will be able to:

*(A) describe the process, responsibility, and obligation of obtaining, possessing, and renewing a Texas driver license including the instruction permit; (B) recognize driver license types, restrictions, endorsements, and special information; (F) reduce risk and accept driving as a privilege by legally and responsibly possessing a driver license, registering and having a current inspection on a motor vehicle, and obeying the Safety Responsibility Act.*

In other words, student will be able to identify who can drive, what they can drive, and why they can drive in Texas.

Student will show mastery of lesson by correctly identifying 4/5 possible answers on assessment at the end of the lesson.

**Assessment:** Student will be assessed by 5 multiple choice questions that cover the content of the lesson.

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  ***Image****: (gif) Abe waiting on a bench after football practice, looking at a minivan sadly.*  Driving is amazing. When you have a driver license, you don’t have to wait for mom to pick you up after football practice. Moms are great, but getting picked up in a minivan? Not so much.  So you’ll want to pay attention to this lesson. ***Driving is a privilege, not a right.*** Don’t mess with Texas, or Texas will take away your right to drive.  And it’s important you pay attention to these rules. You don’t want to wait for mom and the minivan again. |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  ***Image****: (jpg) (Abe pointing and laughing at a disappointed Tara the Turkey)*  Who can drive in Texas?  People. Texas is an anti-animal driving state. ☹  But even people need to have a valid drivers license. So if you’re a person who has a valid Texas driver license, congrats! You may drive. |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  **Image:** *(jpg) Jacque (Abe with a French beret) and Abe sitting on swings.*  Abe’s French cousin Jacque Yoder is visiting Abe in Texas. Jacque, who is 16 years old, has a driver license in France. They’d like to go to an amusement park and ride some rollercoasters. Can Jacque drive in Texas? |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  **Yes, Jacque can! Wheeeeeee!**  **Image:** *(gif) Jacque and Abe sitting going up and down a roller coaster!*  There are two requirements for non-residents:   * 1) Be at least 16 years old. And if you want to drive a commercial vehicle, you must be at least 18 years old, and have commercial driver license in your home state or country. * 2) Have a valid driver license from a state or country that recognizes Texas driver licenses as well. You gotta recognize Texas son! |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  *Image: (jpg) Abe in fatigues*  If you can serve our country, you should be able to drive as well. Active members of the US military, their spouses, and their children may drive in Texas if they have a valid driver license in another state. |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  *Image: (gif) Abe in fatigues, checking the time on his watch on his wrist.*  Military members are pretty busy.  So their driver licenses are valid even if they have expired, as long as they are still active in the military or have been in Texas for less than 90 days. |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  **Image: (gif)** Abe standing in a field with a time lapse of the seasons changing (summer, fall).  Every non-resident must obtain a Texas driver license within 90 days of residence in Texas. |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  ***Image****: (jpg) Abe on a tractor, yelling yeehaw!*  Wait. Can Abe drive yet? |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  ***Image****: (jpg) Abe on a tractor, smiling sheepishly ☺*  Oh Abe, goshdarnit. I forgot. You can drive a tractor without a license.  While farm equipment should not be driven on a highway for a long time, farm equipment can be transported on highways without a license.  You also do not need a license if you drive an official motor vehicle in the US military (as long as it is not commercial) |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  ***Image*:** *(gif) Abe rubbing his hands excitedly.*  Whew! You flew through that lesson. Ready to ace the Pit Stop Quiz?  Let’s do it! |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  Pit Stop!  Level 1 Review  Question: 1  **How many days do new residents have to secure a Texas license? *Choose the correct answer.***   1. 60 days 2. 120 days 3. 90 days |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  Pit Stop!  Level 1 Review  Question: 2  **Which of the following vehicles does not require a license to operate on a highway?**  ***Choose the correct answer.***   1. Tractor 2. Motorcycle   C) Truck |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  Pit Stop!  Level 1 Review  Question: 3  **Jacque is from France, and has a driver license from France.**  ***Which of the following is not a requirement?***   1. Be at least 16 years old. 2. Have a visa. 3. France must recognize Texas driver licenses as well. |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  Pit Stop!  Level 1 Review  Question: 4  **A 16-year-old non-resident who possesses a valid driver license in his home state (that likewise recognizes Texas citizens’ licenses) may not drive the following:**  ***Choose the correct answer.***   1. Tractor 2. Car 3. Commercial vehicle |

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| **Level 1:** *License to Drive*  Pit Stop!  Level 1 Review  Question: 5  **A driver license is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**  ***Complete the sentence with the correct phrase.***   1. a right.   B) a privilege. |