

NTSA DRIVING LICENSE CATEGORIES, REQUIREMENTS AND FEES

1. Category A

AM (Moped)

- **Age:** 16 years minimum
- **Passengers:** No
- **Type:** Motorcycle
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 7,500 (average)

A1 (Light Motorcycle)

- **Age:** 18 years minimum
- **Passengers:** Yes (maximum load 60 Kg)
- **Type:** Motorcycle
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 7,500 (Average)

A2 (Motorcycle taxi, Couriers and 3-wheelers)

- **Age:** 18 years minimum
- **Passengers:** Yes (maximum load 100 Kg)
- **Type:** Motorcycle
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 7,500 (Average)

A3 (Motorcycle Three Wheelers)

- **Age:** 18 years minimum
- **Passengers:** Maximum 3
- **Type:** Motorcycle
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 7,500(Average)

2. Category B

B1 (Light Vehicle Automatic)


- **Age:** 18 years minimum
- **Passengers:** Maximum 7
- **Type:** Car
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 13,500 (Average)

B2 (Light Vehicle)

- **Age:** 18 years minimum
- **Passengers:** No
- **Type:** Car
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 13,500 (Average)

B3 (Professional)

- **Age:** 21 minimum
- **Passengers:** Maximum 7
- **Type:** Car
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 10,000 (Average)

<div> <div>CATEGORY B</div>  </div>				
Licence category	Vehicles in licence category	Description of vehicle to operate and restrictions	Other Categories holder can operate	Minimum requirements
CATEGORY B	Category B1 Automatic (Light Vehicle Automatic)	Can carry up to a maximum of 7 passengers. Enables one to drive a Light vehicle (passenger car) equipped with automatic gear box with a maximum Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW) of m 3500 kg with one light trailer (not exceeding 750 kg). Cannot drive a vehicle equipped with a manual transmission. Can carry up to a maximum of 7 passengers.	N/A	Minimum age : 18 years.
	Category B-2 (Light Vehicle)	Enables one to drive a light vehicle (passenger car) with a maximum Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW) of 3500 kg with one light trailer (not exceeding 750 kg). This includes vans whose tare weight is below 3500 kgs and which are not used for Carrying passengers. Can drive a vehicle equipped with both a manual or automatic transmission.	B1	Minimum age : 18 years.
	Category B3 (Professional)	Enables one to drive a Taxicab which is a light vehicle (passenger car) with a Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW) of maximum 3,500 kg with one light trailer (not exceeding 750 kg). Equipped with manual or automatic gear box. Can carry up to a maximum of 7 passengers.		Minimum age : 21 years

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3. Category C

C1 (Light Truck)

- **Age:** 22 – 65 years (with B2 license for at least 2 years)
- **Passengers:** No
- **Type:** Truck
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 14,500 (Average)

C (Medium Truck)

- **Age:** 24 -65 years (with 2 years experience of driving category C1)
- **Passengers:** No
- **Type:** Truck
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 14,500(Average)

CE (Heavy Truck with Trailer)

- **Age:** 28 – 65 years (with 4 years experience of driving category C)
- **Passengers:** No
- **Type:** Heavy Truck (articulated)
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 27,000 (Average)

CD (Heavy Good Vehicle for Transportation of Hazardous Materials)

- **Age:** 30 – 65 years (with 2 years experience of driving category CE)
- **Passengers:** No
- **Type:** Heavy Truck (articulated)
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 27,000 (Average)

4. Category D

D1 (Van)

- **Age:** 22 – 65 years
- **Passengers:** Maximum 14
- **Type:** Van
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 10,000 (Average)

D2 (Minibus)

- **Age:** 25 – 65 years (with 3 years experience of driving category D1)
- **Passengers:** 14 to 32
- **Type:** Bus
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 10,000(Average)

D3 (Large Bus)

- **Age:** 30 – 65 years (with 3 years experience of driving category D2)
- **Passengers:** 33 or more
- **Type:** Bus
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 10,000(Average)

D4

- **Age:** Maximum 65 years (with 3 years experience of Driving category D3)
- **Passengers:** Yes
- **Type:** Articulated Bus
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 10,000(Average)

5. Category E

- **Age:** 21 – 65 years (Licensed as EC1, EC, ECE, ED, ED1, ED2 and ECD3)
- **Passengers:** yes
- **Type:** Special Professional

6. Category F (Persons with Disability)

- **Age:** 18 years minimum (must have valid medical certificate, assessment report or disability certificate)
- **Type:** Can drive any vehicle that one is qualified.

7. Category G

Passengers: No

- **Type:** Industrial, Construction and Agricultural (Plants and Equipment operator)
- **Driving Course Cost:** Ksh. 45,000 (Average).