

DSA driving assessment for taxis and private hire vehicles

The applicant is required to be the holder of a Drivers Standard Agency (DSA) pass certificate for Hackney Carriage and Private Hire assessment or a current holder of a valid advanced driving certificate from an officially recognised body, once an applicant has reached 66 years of age this will also be required every three years. This will be at the applicants own expense. Once the assessment is complete the original certificate will need to be produced at the Licensing Department.

To book an assessment please call the Driving Standards Agency on 0300 200 1122 or go to the DSA website.

The nearest test centres are;

Basildon MPTC
Paycocke Road
Basildon Essex
SS14 3JS

Hornchurch
75 Station Lane
Hornchurch]
Essex
RM12 6JX

Chelmsford
Synergy Centre
4 Hoffmans Way
Chelmsford
Essex CM1 1GU

For large vehicles

Chelmsford LGV
Hanbury Road
Widford Ind Est
Chelmsford
Essex CM1 3DR