

GDL Component		Province Territory												
		BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	PEI	NL	YK	NWT	NU
Licence Class		6L				Limited speed			LM stamp	Endorsement A or D				
Age Restriction	Minimum Entry Age	18 years and 6 months <sup>1</sup>				16			18	18				
	Minimum Exit Age	18 years and 7 months												
Entry Requirements	Vision Test					yes			yes <sup>2</sup>					
	Knowledge Test	yes				yes <sup>3</sup>			motorcycle safety values					
	Parental Consent: Age Applied	yes, for those under 19							yes, for those under 18					
	Driver Education	voluntary							voluntary					
	Pass Test/Course					M1 <sup>4</sup> and M2 <sup>5</sup>			yes	practical skills motorcycle test				

<sup>1</sup> Have to have a full-privilege licence – GLP minimum 2 years, 6 months.

<sup>2</sup> Includes Balance Test.

<sup>3</sup> After passing the motorcycle knowledge test, riders will get a Class M1 licence.

<sup>4</sup> Passing the M1 road test lets riders move to Level Two (Class M2 with L condition).

<sup>5</sup> Passing the M2 road test gives riders restricted Class M driving privileges to operate a limited-speed motorcycle or moped only (maximum speed of 70 km/h).

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Exit Requirements	Pass Test/Course									advanced skills road test <sup>6</sup>					
	Time Completion	30 days							1 to 3 months <sup>7</sup>	1 to 3 months <sup>8</sup>					
Stage Duration	Minimum Duration	14 to 30 days <sup>9</sup>							1 to 3 months						
	Maximum Holding Period	1 year <sup>10</sup>							one year						
Supervisory Driver	Age	+19													
	Licence Held	class 6													
	BAC Level While Supervising														

<sup>6</sup> If drivers complete the requirements, they will have the following endorsements added to their driver's licence: A – Valid for the operation of any motor vehicle or D – Valid for motorcycles with engines of 100 cc's or less.

<sup>7</sup> Reduced to one month if an approved motorcycle training course was completed.

<sup>8</sup> Held a Learner licence for 3 months, 1 month if approved motorcycle training course was completed.

<sup>9</sup> After 14 days, drivers can take the MST; after 30 days they can take the Class 6 road test.

<sup>10</sup> 1 year before having to re-qualify for licence (by taking the vision, knowledge and motorcycle skills tests again).

# Young and New Driver RESOURCE CENTRE

## GDL – NEW DRIVERS Other Motorcycle Licences At a Glance

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	Driver Log													
	Location While Supervising	trainee in sight of driver												
Supervised Driving	Minimum Amount													
	BAC Level While Driving	under 0.05				0.0			0.0	0.0				
Driver Restrictions and Conditions	Night Driving	drive only between sunrise and sunset							drive during daylight hours only					
	Passenger Restrictions	no passengers							no passengers					
	Road Restrictions													
	Display "L" Sign/Plate													
	Other Restrictions													



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Suspensions/ Prohibitions	Lower Driver Penalty Point Threshold	15 to 19 points (same as experienced drivers)												
	Suspensions					same as M1								
Driver Improvement Actions					approved motor scooter courses <sup>11</sup>									
Additional GDL Features								yes <sup>12</sup>						

<sup>11</sup> The ministry has approved motor scooter training courses, offered by motorcycle safety associations/colleges and these courses may or may not include road testing.

<sup>12</sup> If driver completes an approved motorcycle training course, the chief instructor will stamp their licence with “LM”; the driver will not be examined by a driver enhancement officer because both practical tests were included in the training program.