

COURSE OUTLINE – FALL 2021

RFL01-READY TO RIDE MOTORCYCLE SAFETY TRAINING – 20 HOURS

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OFFICE HOURS: n/a

PREREQUISITE(S)/COREQUISITE: 18 years of age, student must possess a valid Alberta Class 5 operator's license or learner's permit and proper PPE (DOT approved helmet, leather boots that cover the ankle, eye protection, leather gloves that cover the full hand and fingertips, and denim strength pants and jacket).

FALL 2021 DELIVERY: Mixed Delivery. This course is delivered remotely with some face-to-face/onsite components at the GPRC Grande Prairie campus.

- For the remote delivery components: students must have a computer with a webcam and reliable internet connection. Technological support is available through helpdesk@gprc.ab.ca.
- For the onsite components: students must supply their own mask and follow GPRC Access to Campus Guidelines and Expectations (<https://www.gprc.ab.ca/doc.php?d=ACCESSGUIDE>). The dates and locations of the onsite components are on the Course Calendar.

REQUIRED TEXT/RESOURCE MATERIALS: provided

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION: The program is designed for motorcycle riders of all skill levels who want to drive safely or achieve their Class 6 motorcycle license. The program includes classroom instruction using a full multimedia presentation as well as extensive on-bike training.

CONTACT HOURS: 20

DELIVERY MODE(S): Classroom/In field practical

- OBJECTIVES (OPTIONAL):**
- Instrument and control familiarization
 - Overview of Personal Protective Equipment
 - Vehicle pre-trip inspection
 - Moving forward at slow speed
 - Basic shifting and clutch control
 - Gear selection
 - Shift points
 - Stopping at various speeds
 - Basic turning
 - Steering, curves, corners, and lane positioning
 - Observation of traffic and highway laws
 - Visual search: collision avoidance techniques, pedestrians, cyclists, vehicles, animals
 - Speed management: stopping distances, planning and timing
 - Space management: blind spots, space cushion driving, crossing, joining, leaving, traffic blending
 - Gravel road riding
 - Emergency maneuvers

TRANSFERABILITY:

None

GRADING CRITERIA:

- Instructor evaluated operational skills

EVALUATIONS: GPRC issued and evaluated

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES: Attendance and successful completion of training.
Successful completion of Theory exam.

STATEMENT ON PLAGIARISM AND CHEATING:

Refer to the College Policy on Student Misconduct: Plagiarism and Cheating at

https://www.gprc.ab.ca/files/forms_documents/Student_Misconduct.pdf

**Note: all Academic and Administrative policies are available at

<https://www.gprc.ab.ca/about/administration/policies/>

COURSE SCHEDULE/TENTATIVE TIMELINE: Customized scheduling, available year round.