

Log Books

Drivers will be given an e-log book to chart the progression of their driving skills throughout the programme. The successful completion of each mission will be 'certified' by Goodwood's resident Chief Instructor.

Online Learning **a²om**

Goodwood has secured the support of ground breaking online learner & pre-learner education organisation a²om. The company was founded to teach young people that they "drive with their minds and not just their hands and feet" and uses highly interactive software.

a²om has developed a programme to educate students that sits alongside the Goodwood training programme, which will be offered to the young drivers to complete online.

Booking

Prices start from just £99 and all bookings can be completed online at: www.goodwood.com/minidrivers

Gift vouchers are also available so that parents, grand-parents, guardians and friends can treat their young ones to life-long safe and secure driving skills.

For further information please contact Goodwood Motor Circuit on 01243 755060 or email minidrivers@goodwood.com



MINI DRIVERS @ GOODWOOD



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EARLY LEARNING FOR YOUNG DRIVERS

The Statistics

- Four fatalities per day on UK roads involve young drivers under the age of 21.
- One in five young drivers crash within six months of driving.
- 50 collisions per day are caused by eighteen-year-olds... nearly three times as many as drivers in their fifties.

“The first time your child leaves the driveway and turns out into the road... that’s when the real fear comes”

Anthony Hamilton, father of former F1 World Champion Lewis Hamilton

Information for Young People

A unique opportunity for you to drive the fantastic MINI ONE. The perfect machine for first time drivers.

A chance to drive on a real motor circuit... the famous and historic Goodwood Motor Circuit in the tyre tracks of legends.

No age restriction... simply a minimum height of 1.5m / 4ft 10” or taller.

Courses are specifically designed for young people who have yet to pass their driving test – or indeed, even drive a car.

Learn the basics of driving in 3 introductory ‘missions’ and a series of 4 advanced car control and driving programmes.

Information for Parents

MINI Drivers is not a performance driving course or race school – it is educational and designed to introduce young people to the skills they need to drive a car.

Our aim is to equip young people with the awareness and driving skills they need before heading out onto the open road.

There will be a range of programmes available from three taster experiences, a series of four advanced modules, to a full blown mock exam & driving test.

Goodwood Motor Circuit is one of the safest places to learn to drive. It is a controlled environment, with professional instructors and there are few dangers in comparison with public roads.

The Programme

MINI Drivers is the UK’s first dedicated young drivers programme permanently based at a motor circuit, supported by a fleet of MINI ONEs supplied by MINI UK and fitted with dual controls.

The programmes teach trainee drivers controlled, safe and secure driving skills, so that they are fully prepared and equipped to deal with today’s demanding public roads and driving conditions.

As the young drivers progress through the courses under expert tuition from Approved Driving Instructors (ADIs) they will move from automatic MINIs to manual-equipped cars.

Having completed the full programme, Goodwood intends that participating drivers will qualify for insurance discounts, the savings of which should cover the costs of the full MINI Drivers @ Goodwood training schedule.

Introductory MISSIONS

MISSION 1 (Automatic) – Participants will learn basic theory and driving skills. Use of the accelerator, brake, handbrake, steering and observation will be covered. At the end of the session the driver will have an opportunity to drive a full lap of the Goodwood Motor Circuit.

MISSION 2 (Automatic) – Participants practice the basic skills for starting and stopping, reversing in a straight line, steering and manoeuvring the vehicle.

MISSION 3 (Automatic) – Participants will be able to complete parking manoeuvres and emergency stop procedures effectively and consistently. Drivers will also learn more about the vehicle, how worn out tyres can affect the car’s performance and how to carry out safety checks.

Advanced MISSIONS

MISSION 4 (Introduction to manual gear box) – For this mission the driver will be introduced to the manual gear box and get to grips with clutch control and changing gear, followed by hill starts.

MISSION 5 (Manual) – Drivers will learn how to complete manoeuvres whilst maintaining clutch control including 3-point turns, parallel parking and reversing around a corner. Mock road set ups will also be included.

MISSION 6 (Manual) – Drivers will learn how to cope with different grip levels through a series of controlled tests. This will give them the knowledge of handling their vehicle in real-life situations such as rain and ice.

MISSION 7 (Manual) – To reach this stage the drivers must show that they have mastered the general driving skills and be able to perform a sequence of manoeuvres effectively and with confidence. They must understand the traffic rules and theory of driving.

