

## **DRIVER'S LICENSE FACTS**

Students ages 14 to 18

In accordance with Florida State Statute 322.091 and 1003.27

## If you have 15 or more unexcused absences \*in any class period\* or drop out of school

- Your learner's permit or driver's license will be suspended
- Students without a license or permit will have a block placed on their record so that they cannot be issued a license

## NO SCHOOL = NO DRIVING

- The block or suspension will not be lifted until you can prove that you are in compliance with attendance laws, or turn 18 years of age
- Compliance, for students attending a physical school, means that you must:
  - 1) be back in school 30 school days without an unexcused absence, attend an adult education class for 6 weeks, graduate with the FLDOE minimum of 24 credits or receive your GED
  - 2) obtain a notarized compliance form from Bay District Schools Student Services Department, take the form to the DHSMV and pay a fine at that time

- Compliance for home school students
   After enrollment with the district, as a home school student for 30 days:
  - 1) book curriculum students must provide, to the Bay District Schools Home School Department for review, a home school portfolio showing adequate progress
  - 2) virtual school students must provide, to the Bay District Schools Home School Department, a transcript showing 4 active classes at 20% completion
  - 3) a notarized compliance form must be obtained from the Bay District Schools Student Services Department, taken to the DHSMV and a fine paid at that time
- If your license is suspended, penalties may also be added to your insurance bill.
  - \*\*\* DRIVE SMART. STAY IN SCHOOL. \*\*\*