

Virginia Driver's License

for F-1 International Students

International driver's license: If you are a non-resident temporarily living in Virginia, you may drive with your home state or country driver's license and license plates for no more than six months. This does not apply to commercial vehicle drivers. If you become gainfully employed, you are required to hold a Virginia driver's license.

License from another state: If you already have a valid driver's license from another state in the U.S. and are currently enrolled as a full-time student at an accredited university, you do not need to get a Virginia driver's license.

Getting a Virginia Driver's License

Commonwealth of Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles
Please see the DMV website for more information. http://www.dmv.state.va.us/webdoc/moving/newva.asp

Lynchburg DMV

3236 Odd Fellow's Road Lynchburg, VA 24502 Toll free (866) 368-5463

Note:

- Your Virginia driver's license will expire on the end date of your I-20.
- ➤ If you remain in the U.S. on OPT you will need to take your E.A.D. card, I-20 authorizing OPT, and I-94 card to DMV to extend your license.