

INFORMATION SHEET

Thank you for your interest in Geared 2Drive.

Geared 2Drive provides an opportunity for young people aged 16-25 with a Learner's permit, who otherwise lack the support to do so, to achieve the required supervised driving hours in order to be eligible to attain a provisional driving licence.

Eligibility for the Geared 2Drive program:

- 16 – 25 years old
- Hold a valid learners permit
- Have limited means of access to a supervising driver
- Have completed a sufficient number of professional driving lessons (preferred minimum 3 lessons) to be declared competent at safely operating a motor vehicle under supervision.
- Participants **MUST** have the instructor/driving school complete a Driving Competency Report prior to commencement.

Program Cost:

The program costs \$ 5 per supervised driving session. This cost is simply in place to cover the costs of fuel, registration and insurance.

***PLEASE NOTE:** Professional driving lessons prior to entry and during the Geared 2Drive program are expected to be at the participants own cost. Please speak with the Program Coordinator if you require assistance.

Application/Referral Process:

Referrals are welcome at any time; however time of entry into the program is dependent on volunteer availability.

Once a young person is accepted into the program, they will be required to attend a free pre-entry workshop which covers road safety, communication, dealing with peer influence, cooperation and decision making.

Enquires:

Please direct all enquiries to:

Email: info@dcgrant.sa.gov.au

Telephone enquiries: District Council of Grant on (08) 8721 0410

Please return completed **Application Form** and **Driving Competency Report** (if you have one completed by professional driving instructor/school) to:

Office: 324 Commercial Street West (PO Box 724), Mt Gambier SA 5290

Email: info@dcgrant.sa.gov.au (Please print, sign, and scan to email)

Fax: 08 8721 0410