The Motorcycle Safety Basic Rider Course is a public program created by the Motorcycle Safety Foundation (MSF) and sponsored by SOTC to promote motorcycle safety through hands-on training and classroom lecture.

SOTC has the following order of priorities:

- Develop a safe, responsible motorcyclist
- Develop the mental skills for safe motorcycling
- Develop the physical skills for safe motorcycling
- Create an understanding of risk awareness and risk taking
- Develop a strategy to manage risk

Who should take this course?

- Anyone planning to ride a motorcycle.

Can I get my “M” endorsement on my license after completing the course?

Successful completion of this course ensures your “M” endorsement on your driver’s license. Driving and written motorcycle tests at DMV will be waived.

Will this lower my insurance on my motorcycle?

All insurance companies maintain different policies regarding motorcycle insurance discounts. Some providers offer discount-incentives for completing a motorcycle rider safety course. Please contact your local insurance agent for further details.

Where will the course be given?

SOTC has a course designed in the parking lot of the Engineering Technology Center.

6 students maximum per class

- 5 classroom units
- 17 riding exercises
- Evaluation

Standard hours of class

- Friday (6pm – 9pm)
- Saturday (8am – 4:30pm)*
- Sunday (8am – 4:30pm)*

- Classes will begin at 7:00am May – Sept.
- Students must attend ALL classes and range exercises as attendance is required for successful completion of this course.

COST- $125

TO ENROLL CALL 580.223.2070

Further questions, contact Motorcycle Safety Project Director, Michelle Bohn 580.224.8208

*Students approved to use their own scooter must provide:

- Proof of Liability Insurance at or above: $25,000 personal injury, $50,000 injury per occurrence and $10,000 property damage
- Proof of Ownership or permission to use, and owner’s registration.
- Permission for the instructor to conduct a pre-ride safety inspection

Students must bring:

- Helmet (DOT or SNELL approved)
- Eye protection
- Sturdy over the ankle footwear
- Long-sleeved shirt or jacket
- Sturdy long pants
- Full fingered gloves

SOTC provides motorcycles

Classes will begin in April and will be offered every 1st & 3rd weekend of each month during riding season. Riding season is from March to October.

Minimum age is 14. IF LESS than 18, a parent or guardian must be present on the first day of class to sign a waiver. NO exceptions.

16 and under must have their permit for 30 days and take two written and one vision exam at the examiner’s office. Call your Driver’s License Examiner’s office for more information.

Instructors have successfully completed the MSF (MSF) Basic RiderCourseSM RiderCoachSM Preparation Course. This consisted of classroom and range instruction, and fully complies with the instructional guidelines recommended by the Motorcycle Safety Foundation.

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