

4WD Sand Course



Safe Driving
is no accident



DRIVER TRAINING
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When travelling off road in your 4WD vehicle in sand, on beaches or just through the wilderness of the Australian outback, safety and sand combine to provide a wonderful 4WDing experience.

Travelling in sand can be dangerous—the risk of being bogged on your own on a beach with an incoming tide or the possibility of a roll over from an ill-fated attempt to ascend a dune or sand hill or an accident with another vehicle. All of these situations are controllable and avoidable by you, the driver. A responsible attitude will enhance your enjoyment of any adventure - not destroy it! For less than the cost of a replacement tyre, a Australian 4WD Sand Course may well be one of the best investments that you will ever make.

This Australian 4WD Driver Training Course will provide you with the opportunity to tackle a variety of different and challenging sand obstacles in a safe supervised environment. This Course will further provide you with the personal confidence in your own ability and the capability of your vehicle. For the experienced driver, the course will provide the opportunity to enhance your driving skills and develop greater confidence, enabling you to cope with varying conditions.

Focusing on systematic sand driving techniques, this Sand Specific Course will enable you to pass through obstacles with greater control whilst providing more safety and comfort for your passengers with the use of not only the correct sand driving techniques but also the right vehicle maintenance will save you money and inconvenience.

Description: Drive a 4WD vehicle in sand terrain using advanced techniques deals with the advanced skills and knowledge required to use appropriate range, gear and techniques to drive a four wheel drive vehicle through and on sand terrain.

Aim: The aim of this course is to familiarise drivers of the key features, capabilities and limitations of their off road capable vehicle whilst developing a clear understanding of the correct and safe use of a 4WD vehicle in sand terrain, where protection of their passengers, the vehicle and the environment, can be demonstrated.

Teaching Elements

Theory

Advice on equipping your vehicle for Sand Driving,
Beach Driving Rules,
Environmental Impact,
Sand Appreciation,
Sand Recovery equipment including safe use of a snatch strap and Maxtrax.

Practical

Preparing and checking a 4WD vehicle for sand driving,
Sand driving techniques,
Ground appreciation and wheel printing,
Tyres and tyre pressures,
Recovery techniques in sand without recovery equipment
Correct and safe use of a snatch strap & Maxtrax

Is my vehicle suitable?

All vehicles with a lockable Transfer Case are ideal for this course. AWD vehicles are suitable, however we need to understand and apply special driving techniques. This course will greatly enhance your skill and ability, thus ensuring full maximum enjoyment in your recreational vehicle.

What happens on the day?

Times: 8.00 am to 12.30 pm approx

This entire course is practical "hands on" in a sand specific environment. Following completion of the course you can spend the remainder of the day 4WDing on the beach. This will reinforce the skills acquired in the Sand Course.

What do I need to bring?

Bring your own 4WD with a full tank of fuel and tyre pressure gauge.

Meals: Bring along a morning tea, light lunch (a sandwich is ideal) and adequate drinking water.

Chairs: Folding chair is also required.

Clothing: Sturdy outdoor attire, hat, covered footwear and sunscreen.

When: Sunday fortnightly or visit our dates.

Where: Bribie Island.

Noosa North Shore – Tewantin for group/corporate request.

Corporate or Group Bookings

We can plan and conduct group or corporate specific courses, on request. Please contact us for further information.

Course Fee:

\$200.00 plus \$35.50 - seven days Beach Permit.

Barge or Permit Fees not included.

Includes:

Training Handbook and Certificate of Attendance.

Partner is welcome to have a drive.

Driver only receives Certificate.

Ongoing advice and support

If you would like us to help you realise the full potential of your vehicle and have an enjoyable and educational day out, please contact us via our website, email or telephone.

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