

Youth Committee
Teen Driving Policy

1. Teens shall only drive vehicles that are properly registered and insured in accordance with NJ law, and teens shall at all times follow and obey all current NJ rules of the road and all driving laws.
2. Teens with a probationary (formerly “provisional”) license shall also comply with the following additional NJ rules currently governing probationary drivers:
 - Display a reflectorized decal on each license plate (front/back); decals are available at motor vehicle agencies**
 - No driving after 11:01pm and before 5:00am.**
 - Parent(s), guardian(s) or dependant(s) are allowed as passengers. A dependant is a permit or probationary driver’s child, not siblings**
 - Only one additional passenger is allowed unless accompanied by a parent or guardian**
 - You can’t use cell phones, hand held video games or any other hands-free interactive, wireless communication device**
 - Seat belts must be worn at all times**
3. Participants in RTSY events can drive family members and only one non-family participant to or from an event.
4. A teen may drive a teen from another family only if advance consent in writing or via email is provided to the RTSY advisor by a parent of both the driver and the passenger.
5. Teens may drive themselves to or from events but they may not drive during an event.
6. Because overnight events can cause lack of sleep and create dangerous driving conditions, teens will not drive to or from a shul-in unless advance permission for a special situation is given in writing (e-mail is also acceptable) to the RTSY advisor by a parent/guardian.
7. Teens will also follow NFTY regulations about driving to or from NFTY regional events: Because overnight events can cause a lack of sleep and create dangerous driving conditions, teens will not drive to, during, or from events unless advance permission for a special situation is requested in writing by the parent/guardian and granted in writing by the NFTY Regional staff member. This includes driving to/from one’s home to meet NFTY’s designated transportation.