

Private Pilot course

The Private pilot license will be your first license towards becoming an airline pilot or simply a private pilot who wants to take your family and friends for dinner in nearby towns and cities. As a private pilot you will be able to carry passengers but will not be able to receive compensation for carrying your passengers or cargo. As a private pilot you are restricted to beautiful sunny days only with the beautiful horizon in sight. You can even fly at night as a private pilot. See our night proficiency course to learn more about how you can become proficient as a night time pilot.

In accordance with the Federal aviation Regulations (FAR) the requirements for you to become a private pilot are as follows:

1. Must be 17 years of age
2. Must be able to read, speak, write and understand the English language. **Register for our English tutoring course to help you become proficient in the English language if needed.**
3. Must have receive a student pilot/medical certificate. Please visit <https://www.faa.gov/pilots/amedirectory/> to locate an Aviation Medical Examiner (AME) for the student pilot/medical certificate.

Here are some of the aeronautical experiences that will be required of you in order for you to be granted a private pilot license.

1. Must log at least **40 hours** of flight time which includes **20 hours** of flight training from an authorized instructor and 10 hours of solo flight training (**you fly alone**)
2. 3 hours of cross country (**airport to airport**) flight training in a single engine airplane
3. 3 hours of night flight training in a single engine airplane.
4. 3 hours of flight training in a single engine airplane **solely** by reference to instruments.
5. One cross country flight of over 100 nautical miles

Total cost for the Private Pilot course with **your** own aircraft \$2049

Total cost for the Private pilot course with **our** aircraft \$6995

Note: The above prices are based on the minimum hours required to obtain the Private pilot license. Prices are subject to change based on the student's progress in the Private Pilot course. Prices can go up if additional training is required for you to become a safe and competent private pilot. We advise students to be prepared for each flight and classroom sessions as much as possible to help keep additional costs down.