



Application for Armed Forces, Coast Guard Auxiliary, Merchant Marine & Civil Air Patrol License Plates

For County Use Only	
License No _____	
Mo/Yr of Exp _____	
Date Issued _____	

Instructions

Submit the completed application and payment if required in the form of a personal check, money order, or cashier's check with proof of eligibility to your local county tax assessor-collector's office. **Do not mail cash.** There is no specialty plate fee; however, the annual registration and other applicable fees must be paid.

The license plates may be personalized for an additional \$40 fee; make your choice on page 2. Your annual registration fee must be paid to your local county tax assessor-collector when your plates are issued. NOTE: When the specialty plate is issued, additional fees may be collected to establish a single expiration date for both the new specialty plate and the vehicle registration.

The vehicle must have a title and registration in your name. If the vehicle is not titled in your name, attach a statement stating you have legal right of possession and control of the vehicle. If you recently submitted an application for title, attach a copy of the title application receipt (VTR-500-RTS). If the vehicle is leased, attach a copy of the lease agreement.

If you order by mail, please contact your county tax assessor-collector's office in three weeks to verify your plates are ready or if you have any questions.

Applicant Information

First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	Suffix	County
Address		City	State	ZIP
Email		Phone		

Vehicle 1

Vehicle Identification Number	Current TX Plate (if any)	Year	Make	Body Style
Empty Weight (lbs.)	Vehicle Type <input type="checkbox"/> Passenger Car (up to 18,000 lbs.) <input type="checkbox"/> Truck (up to 18,000 lbs.) <input type="checkbox"/> Motorcycle/Moped <input type="checkbox"/> Trailer			

Vehicle 2

Vehicle Identification Number	Current TX Plate (if any)	Year	Make	Body Style
Empty Weight (lbs.)	Vehicle Type <input type="checkbox"/> Passenger Car (up to 18,000 lbs.) <input type="checkbox"/> Truck (up to 18,000 lbs.) <input type="checkbox"/> Motorcycle/Moped <input type="checkbox"/> Trailer			

Plate Type

Circle your specialty plate choice below or enter your choice here: _____

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Armed Forces Reserve • Honorably Discharged U.S. Air Force • Honorably Discharged U.S. Army • Honorably Discharged U.S. Coast Guard • Honorably Discharged U.S. Marines Corps • Honorably Discharged U.S. Navy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Merchant Marine • Retired U.S. Air Force • Retired U.S. Army • Retired U.S. Coast Guard • Retired U.S. Marine Corps • Retired U.S. Navy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. Air Force • U.S. Army • U.S. Coast Guard • U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary • U.S. Marines Corps • U.S. Navy |
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Certification – State law makes falsifying information a third-degree felony.

I meet the eligibility requirements as listed on page 2 of this application and am providing proof to that effect.

Signature _____
Date

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Eligibility Requirements

- Armed Forces: Proof you are either an active member of the U.S. Armed Forces or a former member of the U.S. Armed Forces with an honorable discharge.
- Armed Forces Honorably Discharged: Proof you are a **former** member of the U.S. Armed Forces with an honorable discharge.
- Armed Forces Retired: Proof you are a retired member of the U.S. Armed Forces. The TxDMV will accept a letter from the Departments of Defense or Homeland Security stating the member has 20 or more years of satisfactory federal service or an ID card from one of those agencies indicating that the member is retired with an honorable discharge.
- Armed Forces Reserve: Proof you are an active or former member with honorable discharge from the Armed Forces Reserve.
- Merchant Marine: Proof you are a member or former member of the U.S. Merchant Marine with an honorable discharge.
- Texas Wing Civil Air Patrol: Proof you are a member of the U.S. Air Force Auxiliary, Civil Air Patrol.
- U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary: Proof you are a member of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary.

Personalize Your Plate – If you would like to personalize your specialty plate, there will be a \$40 fee per year in addition to the annual

- Show personalizations exactly as you want them to appear on your license plate(s). You may list more than one option in the event the personalization you have chosen has been issued.
- A personalization that has been issued, is deemed offensive, or conflicts with the regular license plate numbering system cannot be approved.
- Enter your desired personalized letters, numbers, and/or symbols in the blocks below. The available symbols include: a period, a dash, a blank space, a Texas silhouette (use an asterisk "*" to indicate), a heart (use an at "@" to indicate), and a star (use an ampersand "&" to indicate).
- Passenger car, truck, and trailer plates are limited to six (6) characters total, including punctuation characters.
- Motorcycle/moped plates are limited to four (4) characters total, including punctuation characters.
- The International Symbol of Access "♿" counts as two (2) characters and will be located at the beginning of the plate number. If you are disabled and applying for personalized specialty plates, use a percent "%" to indicate the International Symbol of Access.

Personalization fee will not be refunded once the application is submitted.

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International Symbol of Access

To display the International Symbol of Access on your license plate, attach a signed *Application for Persons with Disabilities Parking Placard and/or License Plate* (Form VTR-214) to this application to show your eligibility. Contact your county tax assessor-collector's office if you have questions.