



Rider Coach Preparation (RCP) Course – Call for Applications

The South Carolina Rider Education Program, administered through the South Carolina Technical College System, will host a Rider Coach Preparation (RCP) course for individuals interested in becoming motorcycle instructors. Participants who successfully complete the course will be eligible to seek certification through the Motorcycle Safety Foundation (MSF). Participants must attend **all** scheduled events.

The 2021 RCP course schedule is as follows:

- January 9, (Time TBD) - RCP Online Information Session (1 hour)
- February 6 - Home Study Assignments Due, submit electronically to Rider Coach Trainer
- February 6, (8 am - 3 pm) - Riding Evaluation at Tri-County Technical College, Anderson, SC
- February 19 – 21, (8 am - 6 pm) - Training Session at Tri-County Technical College, Anderson, SC
- February 26 – 28, (8 am - 6 pm) - Training Session at Tri-County Technical College, Anderson, SC
- March 5, (2 pm - 10 pm) - Training Session at Tri-County Technical College, Anderson, SC
- March 6 - 7, (8 am - 6 pm) - Training Session at Tri-County Technical College, Anderson, SC

Applicants for the RCP course must submit the information listed below by **December 1, 2020**.

- Application
- Three-Year Driving Record (*available through the Department of Motor Vehicles*)
- Copy of Driver's License

The information listed above can be emailed to SCRiderEd@sctechsystem.edu or mailed to the following address:

SC Technical College System
Attn: SC Rider Education Program
111 Executive Center Drive
Columbia, SC 29210

The cost of the course for South Carolina residents is **\$350** (includes all course materials). The course fee for non-SC residents is **\$600**. Lodging, travel, and food costs are not included and are the responsibility of the candidate. New instructor candidates may be interviewed and are subject to an on-cycle riding evaluation prior to final acceptance to the course.

Candidates will be notified of acceptance by December 18, 2020. Upon acceptance to the RCP, the \$350 or \$600 fee must be paid by January 16, 2021.

All COVID-19 guidelines are currently in effect and will be adhered to unless otherwise notified. A COVID-19 waiver is required for participation.