

Chelmsford Driving Test Centre Routes

To make driving tests more representative of real-life driving, the DVSA no longer publishes official test routes. However, you can find a number of recent routes used at the Chelmsford driving test centre in this document.

While test routes from this centre are likely to be very similar to those below, you should treat this document as a rough guide only. Exact test routes are at the examiners' discretion and are subject to change.

Route Number	1
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout left
New St	Traffic light right
Victoria Rd	Double mini roundabout left, right
Victoria Rd South	Roundabout left
Parkway	Roundabout ahead, roundabout left
Chelmer Rd	Roundabout right
Chelmer Village Way	Roundabout left
Beeleigh Link	Roundabout ahead
Chelmer Rd	1st slip road, roundabout right
Springfield Rd	Left
Pump Lane	Mini roundabout left
Havengore/Rushleydale	End of road right
Pump Lane	Left
Springfield Rd	Roundabout left
Colchester Rd	Roundabout ahead, roundabout right, roundabout ahead, roundabout left

Chelmer Rd	Roundabout right
Chelmer Rd	Traffic light right
Sandford Rd	End of road left
Springfield Rd	Traffic light right
Victoria Rd	Traffic light right
New St	Roundabout right
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	2
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout left
New St	Traffic light left
Victoria Rd	Traffic light left
Springfield Rd	Traffic light right
Sandford Rd	Traffic light left
Chelmer Rd	Roundabout right
Beeleigh Link	Roundabout right
Chelmer Village Way	Roundabout left
Chelmer Rd	Roundabout left
Essex Yeomanry Way	Left at slip road, roundabout left
Maldon Rd	Roundabout 1st exit
A12	Left at 1st slip road, roundabout left
Colchester Rd	Roundabout right

White Hart Lane	4x roundabout ahead
Chelmer Valley Rd	Roundabout left, traffic light left
Rectory Lane	Roundabout ahead
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	3
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout left
New St	Traffic light left
Victoria Rd	Traffic light left
Springfield Rd	Left
Springfield Green	Right
Bodmin Rd/Helston Rd	Left
Sidmouth Rd	Mini roundabout left
Pump Lane	Mini roundabout ahead, roundabout left, roundabout ahead
Essex Regiment Way	Roundabout ahead, roundabout left
Back Lane	End of road left
Wheelers Hill/Brook Hill	Left
The Street	End of road left
Main Dr	Roundabout ahead
Broomfield Rd	Left at slip rd
Valley Bridge	Roundabout right
Chelmer Valley Rd	Traffic light left

Rectory Lane	Roundabout ahead
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	4
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout ahead
Rectory Lane	Traffic light right
Chelmer Valley Rd	Roundabout left
Valley Bridge	Traffic light left
Broomfield Rd	Traffic light ahead, traffic light right
Corporation Rd	Left
Kings Rd/North Ave	2x roundabout ahead, roundabout right
Partridge Ave	Roundabout ahead
Patching Hall Lane	Right
School Lane	Left
Main Rd	Roundabout ahead, right
The Street	Right
Brook Hill	Right, ahead
Wheelers Hill	Right
Back Lane	Roundabout right
Essex Regiment Way	Roundabout ahead, roundabout right
Chelmer Valley Rd	Roundabout ahead, roundabout left, traffic light left
Rectory Lane	Roundabout ahead

Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	5
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout left
New St	Traffic light ahead
Tindal Square/Market Rd	Left
Victoria Rd South	Roundabout left
Parkway	Right into slip rd, traffic light right
New London Rd	Traffic light left
New Writtle St	Right
Moulsham St	Left
Hamlet Rd	Crossroads ahead
Lady Lane/Rosebery Rd	Right
St Johns Rd	Left
Moulsham St	Left, roundabout ahead
Wood St	Mini roundabout right
Galleywood Rd/Stock Rd	Traffic light ahead, roundabout left
A12	Slip road, roundabout left
A1114/Essex Yeomanry Way	Over flyover
Parkway	Roundabout ahead, roundabout right
Victoria Rd South	Mini roundabout right
Duke St	Left

Tindal Square/New St	Traffic light ahead
New St	Roundabout right
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	6
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout ahead
Rectory Lane	Traffic light right
Chelmer Valley Rd	2x roundabout right
Lawn Lane	Left
Brackenden Drive	Mini roundabout left
Pump Lane	Roundabout left
Paddock Drive/New Nabbotts Way	Roundabout right
White Hart Lane	Roundabout ahead, roundabout 2nd exit
Colchester Rd	Roundabout ahead, 2x roundabout right
A12	2nd slip rd
A130	Roundabout right
A1114	Roundabout ahead
Essex Yeomanry Way	Over flyover
Parkway	Roundabout ahead, roundabout right
Victoria Rd South	Mini roundabout right
Duke St	Left
Tindal Square/New St	Traffic light ahead

New St	Roundabout right
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	7
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout ahead
Rectory Lane	Traffic light right
Chelmer Valley Rd	Roundabout left
Valley Bridge	Traffic light left
Broomfield Rd	Traffic light ahead, right
Kings Rd	Right
North Ave	Roundabout 2nd exit
Melbourne Ave	Left
Chignal Rd/Roxwell Rd	Roundabout left
Lordship Rd/Ongar Rd	Roundabout left
Bulmers Way	Roundabout left
Greenbury Way A414	Roundabout ahead, roundabout left
London Rd	Roundabout ahead, roundabout left
Moulsham St/New London Rd	Left
Parkway	Roundabout right
Victoria Rd South	Mini roundabout right
Duke St	Left
Tindal Square	Becoming

Tindal Square/New St	Traffic light ahead
New St	Roundabout right
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	8
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout left
New St	Traffic light right
Victoria Rd	Mini roundabout left
Duke St	Mini roundabout right
Victoria Rd South	Roundabout left
Parkway	2x roundabout ahead
Essex Yeomanry Way	Slip rd, roundabout right
Maldon Rd	Left
Jeffrey Rd	Right
New Rd/The Causeway	Left
Maldon Rd	Roundabout left
High St/Church St	Follow onto
A1114 Essex Yeomanry Way	Roundabout left
A12	Slip rd roundabout 2nd exit
Colchester Rd	Roundabout right
White Hart Lane	Roundabout ahead, roundabout left
New Nabbotts Way	Roundabout right

Pump Lane	Roundabout left
Chelmer Valley Rd	Roundabout ahead, roundabout left, traffic light left
Rectory Lane	Roundabout ahead
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	9
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout ahead
Rectory Lane	Traffic light ahead
Parkway/Rainsford Lane	Right
Beeches Rd/Harewood Rd	Right
Savernake Rd	Left
Writtle Rd	Right
Robjohns Rd	Right
Hanbury Rd	Right
Robjohns Rd	Traffic light right
Westway	Roundabout right
London Rd	Roundabout ahead
A414	Roundabout left 1st exit slip rd
A12	2nd slip rd, roundabout left
A1114/Essex Yeomanry Way/Parkway	Roundabout ahead, roundabout right
Victoria Rd South	Mini roundabout right
Duke St	Left

Tindal Square/New St	Traffic light ahead
New St	Roundabout right
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	10
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout left
New St	Traffic light right
Victoria Rd	Mini roundabout left
Duke St	Mini roundabout right
Victoria Rd South	Roundabout right
Parkway	2nd slip rd left
Rainsford Rd/Roxwell Rd	Traffic light ahead, right
St Fabians Drive	Right
Roxwell Rd	Roundabout left
Lordship Rd	Left
The Green	Right
Lodge Rd	Left
Paradise Rd	Right
Rectory Rd	Left
Margaretting Rd	Roundabout ahead
Writtle Rd/Wantz Rd	Crossroads left
Main Rd	2x roundabout ahead

A414	Roundabout ahead
London Rd	Roundabout left
Westway	Traffic light ahead
Waterhouse Lane/Rainsford Lane	Traffic light ahead
Parkway	3x traffic light ahead
Rectory Lane	Roundabout ahead
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	11
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout left
New St	Traffic light right
Victoria Rd	Mini roundabout left
Duke St	Mini roundabout right
Victoria Rd South	Roundabout left
Parkway	2x roundabout ahead
Essex Yeomanry Way	Roundabout left
A12	2nd exit, roundabout 2nd exit
Colchester Rd	Roundabout right
White Hart Lane	Roundabout left
New Bowers Way	Roundabout left
Pump Lane	Mini roundabout right
Havengore	Right

Rushleydale	Left
Pump Lane	2x mini roundabout ahead, 2x roundabout left
Chelmer Valley Rd	Roundabout ahead, roundabout left, traffic light left
Rectory Lane	Roundabout ahead
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	12
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout ahead
Rectory Lane	Traffic light ahead
Parkway	3x traffic light ahead
Rainsford Lane/Waterhouse Lane	Traffic light ahead
Westway	Roundabout right
London Rd	Roundabout ahead
A414	2x roundabout ahead
Main Rd	Left
Maldon Rd/Margaretting Rd	Traffic light left
Stock Rd/Galleywood Rd	Mini roundabout left
Wood St	Roundabout ahead
Moulsham St/New London Rd	Left
Parkway	Roundabout right
Victoria Rd South	Mini roundabout right
Duke St	Left

Tindal Square/New St	Traffic light ahead
New St	Roundabout right
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	

Route Number	13
Road	Direction
Driving Test Centre	Left
Hoffmanns Way	Roundabout left
New St	Traffic light right
Victoria Rd	Mini roundabout left
Duke St	Mini roundabout right
Victoria Rd South	Roundabout left
Parkway	Roundabout right
Manor Rd	Right
Lady Lane	Left
Mildmay Rd	Right
St Johns Rd/Queen St	Left
New London Rd	Traffic light right
Writtle Rd	Roundabout ahead, traffic light ahead
Chelmsford Rd/Bridge St	Left
Lodge Rd	Left
Margaretting Rd	Roundabout left
Greenbury Way	Roundabout left
London Rd	Roundabout left

Westway/Waterhouse Lane/Rainsford Lane	Major junction right
Parkway	Roundabout left
Victoria Rd South	Mini roundabout right
Duke St	Left
Tindal Square/New St	Traffic light ahead
New St	Roundabout right
Hoffmanns Way	Right
Driving Test Centre	