



BRC Ground Rules

- The only prerequisite for this course is that you can balance and ride a moving pedal bicycle.
 - 100% attendance is required. The class will start on time and stay on schedule, so be here at 7:45; class begins at 8 a.m. The course will start in the Auditorium on Saturday, and on the motorcycle range on Sunday.
 - You are required to wear the following clothing during **EVERY** range session:
 - A DOT-approved helmet
 - Eye protection: non-tinted face shields, sunglasses, goggles, or glasses
 - Long sleeve shirt or jacket: layering over a t-shirt recommended
 - Long pants: sturdy material, preferably jeans or leather, no spandex material
 - Over-the-ankle footwear: something sturdy and flexible with low or no heel; no canvas
 - Full-fingered gloves: leather or synthetic, no sticky or rubbery palms
- Rain gear (a simple jacket and pants are sufficient) and/or a change of clothing is suggested depending on the weather forecast.
- Cell phones are not permitted to be on your desk while in the classroom, and they must be on silent. You may check them only during breaks. While the class is on the range, cell phones must be left in your vehicle or in the classroom with your belongings, not on your person. **Taking pictures of any class materials (test, answer sheet, etc.) is strictly forbidden and will result in automatic failure and dismissal from class without a refund.**
 - RiderCoaches will strive to provide a safe and orderly environment. You will be learning to ride in a group environment. RiderCoaches do their best to provide individual coaching and instruction to students; however, time is limited, and class must stay on schedule.
 - The MSF Basic Rider Course takes a building block approach to learning to ride a motorcycle. Each exercise builds on the skills, knowledge, and confidence acquired in the previous exercises.
 - It is natural to be nervous about learning to ride a motorcycle. While some fear is to be expected, excessive fear can lead to tension and ultimately to mistakes on the riding range.
 - To obtain your Motorcycle Safety Foundation completion card, you will be required to pass both written and riding tests. The decision of the RiderCoach is final with respect to whether you have passed or failed a test.
 - ***If you drop the course or are dropped/counseled out by a Rider Coach, you are not eligible for a refund.*** You may be dropped/counseled out for: missing a classroom session or range exercise; behaving in a reckless, disrespectful, or unruly manner; if you are unable to consistently achieve exercise objectives; and/or if you have an excessive amount of fear and are a danger to yourself or other students.