First time Texas applicants and some renewal applicants will be required to present the additional documentation described below before we can issue you a Texas DL or ID card.

U.S. Citizenship or Lawful Presence
- U.S. Birth Certificate
- Unexpired US passport book or passport card
- Visa
- I-94
- Permanent Residence card
- Employment Authorization card
- Immigration documents

Identity
- Texas DL or photo ID within two years of expiration
- Unexpired US passport book or passport card
- School records
- Voter registration card

Proof of Residency
- Two documents from separate sources, with the name and physical address of the applicant on both documents
- The name and physical address on both documents must be the same

Proof of Social Security
- Social Security card
- Certified College Transcript with Social Security number
- Military ID with Social Security number
- Income verification document

Current Texas Insurance and Registration
- Required for vehicle owners
- Not required for Texas Identification card applicants

For a complete list of documents, ask a Customer Service Representative for a: DL-57, “What it Takes to Apply for a DL or ID Card.”