

# Harley-Davidson® Riding Academy Ground Rules Acknowledgement

It is a prerequisite for this course that you are able to ride and balance a bicycle. The class will start on time and stay on schedule. If you miss a classroom session or range exercise, you will be dropped from the course. You are required to wear the following clothing during EVERY range session:

- **A DOT-approved helmet**
- **Eye protection, including non-tinted face shields, sunglasses, goggles, or glasses**
- **Long sleeve shirt or jacket**
- **Long pants, preferably jeans or leather**
- **Over-the-ankle boots or shoes**
- **Full-fingered gloves**

*You will not be permitted to participate in range sessions without proper clothing.*

Coaches will strive to provide a safe and orderly environment. Students behaving in a reckless, disrespectful, or unruly manner will be dropped from the class at the Coach's discretion.

You will be learning to ride in a group environment. Coaches will do their best to provide individual coaching and instruction to students. However, time is limited, and they must also keep the class on schedule.

The Harley-Davidson® Riding Academy New Rider Course takes a building block approach to learning to ride a motorcycle. Each exercise builds on new skills, knowledge, and confidence acquired in previous exercises. If you are unable to consistently achieve exercise objectives, the Coach will counsel you out of the course.

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. If the Instructor perceives that you have an excessive amount of fear and are a danger to yourself or other students, the Coach will counsel you out of the course.

To obtain your Motorcycle Safety Foundation® Basic *RiderCourse*<sup>SM</sup> Completion Card, you will be required to pass both written and riding tests. The decision of the Coach is final with respect to whether or not you have passed or failed a test.

*I understand and agree to these stated Ground Rules:*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_