

DRIVERS LICENSE/PASSPORT COMPARISONS					
	NYS Drivers Licenses Standard, Real ID and Enhanced			US Passports Card and Book	
	<u>Standard***</u>	<u>Real ID***</u> <i>(Enforced 10/2021)</i>	<u>Enhanced***</u>	<i>Card</i>	<i>Book</i>
How long valid	8 Years	8 Years	8 Years	10 years	10 years
Cost	\$64.50	\$64.50	\$94.50	\$65 adults \$50 minor	\$145 adults \$115 minor
Travel usage	NA	Domestic Flights only	Domestic flights, Land & sea to Canada, Mexico & Caribbean*	Domestic flights, Land & sea to Canada, Mexico & Caribbean*	Land, air & sea Worldwide
Issued by	NYS DMV	NYS DMV	NYS DMV	US Dept of State	US Dept of State
Documents needed to apply	Valid driver's license or Six point of ID SS card <u>or</u> Affidavit of no SS# Proof of age Proof of identity	Valid driver's license <u>or</u> Six point of ID SS Card** US Birth Certificate <u>or</u> Proof of lawful presence in US 2 proofs of NYS residency If name has changed from birth certificate, must show proof of change	Valid driver's license <u>or</u> Six point of ID SS Card** Proof of citizenship 2 proofs of NYS residency If name has changed from birth certificate, must show proof of change	Photo ID Government issued birth certificate, Passport or other proof of US citizenship If minor, additional requirements	
Access to federal buildings/facilities & nuclear power plants?	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Permission to operate motor vehicle?	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
<p>* Cruise lines may require a passport ** Current W2, 1098, 1099 tax forms can be used for SS# if previous NYS license holder *** These licenses also available as non driver identification cards. All permissions remain the same except for operating a motor vehicle.</p>					