



July 2011

Dear Jackson Prep Patriot,

New **Jackson Prep license plates** will be available very soon!

The Mississippi Specialty License Plate bill supporting area schools has been signed into law, and these are now available for pre-purchase. We need to pre-order a minimum of 300 tags before our JACKSON PREP signature license tag will be printed. There will be an additional cost of \$31.00 *above* the regular cost for each tag ordered. A portion of this fee will go directly back to the Jackson Prep PAT, which supports every aspect of our school. This is very exciting for Jackson Prep, and we hope that you will consider pre-ordering your special tag today!

Please print and complete the attached application and be sure to include \$31.00. **Make checks payable to JACKSON PREP PAT.** We will also be selling these at book buying day and at Meet the Patriots. Forms are also available on the Prep website.

We hope to have the first order of 300 in by September 15 with car tags available for pick up in January.

Thanks for partnering with us to support your school and show your Patriot spirit!

Jackson Prep PAT
Attn: CAR TAG ORDER
P.O. Box 4940
Jackson, MS 39296-4940



Jackson Prep Patriot SPECIALTY TAG

HOUSE BILL 104
SENATE BILL 2008
2010 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Application for Special Tag Special Tag Applied For: *Jackson Prep Patriots*

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

E-MAIL: _____

PHONE: _____

COUNTY OF RESIDENCE: _____

CURRENT TAG NUMBER: _____

SPECIAL TAG FEE: \$31.00

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

Make your check payable to **JACKSON PREP PAT** and mail it along with this completed form to:

JACKSON PREP PAT
Attn: CAR TAG
P.O. Box 4940
Jackson, MS 39296-4940

Jackson Prep Patriot SPECIALTY TAG

Frequently Asked Questions (information provided by MS State Department of Revenue)

After I have pre-paid for a special tag and I trade vehicles will I be able to put that tag on my new vehicle? Please inform the taxpayer that when they go into the county office and give their name they will be allowed to put that license plate on any vehicle of their choice.

How soon after the license plates are available will I have to wait before I must go into the county office and pick up the license plate? The taxpayer will have up to sixty (60) days after we have informed the organization to advise taxpayers that the license plates are in the county office. If the taxpayer chooses to wait beyond the sixty days they will be required to pay the special fees over again.

Will the taxpayer be required to turn in the license plate which is currently on their vehicle in order to pick up the new license plate? Yes the tax payer will be required to bring in the old license plate in order to receive the new license plate.

What if a taxpayer purchased one of the license plates while living in one county but has since moved to another county how will they be able to receive their license plate in their new county? The taxpayer will need to do one of two things, they may go into the new county office and have the clerk to call the other county office to have the license plate forwarded to that particular office or they may contact us and we will have the county to forward the tag to the correct county office.

How much money does the organization receive from the sale of these tags? The amount the organization receives is by state statutes; currently if your tags are \$31.00 the organization will receive \$24.00 per tag.

Where can I find the breakdown on all of the specialty tags?

You may visit our web site at www.mstc.state.ms.us, and clicking on Motor Vehicle Licensing. You may also use the same web site to view images of all the specialty tags.

Will I be able to keep the specialty license tag if I decide I would like to have another specialty tag registered to my vehicle? State statute states if the taxpayer does not wish to have that tag registered to a vehicle it must be turned to the county tax collector's office.

Can an individual have more than one specialty license plate? If there is no stipulation on the number of license plates to be issued per person then a person can have as many as they want.

For more information, please visit <http://www.dor.ms.gov>

PLEASE NOTE:

300 TAGS MUST BE PRESOLD BEFORE THE MISSISSIPPI STATE TAX COMMISSION WILL BEGIN PRODUCTION ON A PARTICULAR DISTINCTIVE TAG INCLUDED IN THE HOUSE BILL 1482. WHEN THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE RECEIVES THE 300 APPLICATIONS, WITH THE APPROPRIATE FEES, AND A DESIGN PROVIDED BY THE ORGANIZATION AND APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, THE TAG CAN BE PUT INTO PRODUCTION.

THE APPLICANT WILL BE NOTIFIED BY THE ORGANIZATION RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS PARTICULAR TAG WHEN HIS TAG CAN BE PICKED UP AT THE OFFICE OF THE TAX COLLECTOR IN HIS COUNTY OF RESIDENCE. THE TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICES WILL HAVE A LIST PROVIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE OF PEOPLE WHO HAVE ALREADY PAID THEIR FEES AND ARE ENTITLED TO ONE OF THE FIRST 300 TAGS.

THE APPLICANT SHOULD PICK UP HIS TAG AS SOON AS HE IS NOTIFIED THAT THE TAG IS AVAILABLE AT THE TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE. IF THE APPLICANT CHOOSES TO WAIT TO PICK UP HIS TAG., THE SPECIAL TAG FEE SHALL BE PAID AGAIN AT THE TIME THE SPECIAL TAG IS PICKED UP TO BE REGISTERED TO THE APPLICANT'S VEHICLE.