

The following are the general requirements for cross-country flight as specified in the FARs:

§ 61.93 Solo cross-country flight requirements.

(a) General.

- (1) Except as provided in paragraph (b) where endorsements are specified, a student pilot must meet the requirements of this section before -
 - (i) Conducting a solo cross-country flight, or any flight greater than 25 nautical miles from the airport from where the flight originated.
 - (ii) Making a solo flight and landing at any location other than the airport of origination.
- (2) Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this section where endorsements are specified, a student pilot who seeks solo cross-country flight privileges must:
 - (i) Have received flight training from an instructor authorized to provide flight training on the maneuvers and procedures of this section that are appropriate to the make and model of aircraft for which solo cross-country privileges are sought;
 - (ii) Have demonstrated cross-country proficiency on the appropriate maneuvers and procedures of this section to an authorized instructor;
 - (iii) Have satisfactorily accomplished the pre-solo flight maneuvers and procedures required by § 61.87 of this part in the make and model of aircraft or similar make and model of aircraft for which solo cross-country privileges are sought; and
 - (iv) Comply with any limitations included in the authorized instructor's endorsement that are required by paragraph (c) of this section.
- (3) A student pilot who seeks solo cross-country flight privileges must have received ground and flight training from an authorized instructor on the cross-country maneuvers and procedures listed in this section that are appropriate to the aircraft to be flown.

Note the specifics are in:

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- (b) Authorization to perform certain solo flights and cross country flights.
- (c) Endorsements for cross country flight
- (d) Limitations on instructors to permit solo cross country flights
- (l) Maneuvers and procedures for cross country flight training in a powered parachute