



CDL

Application & Registration Form

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Program Mission:

Commercial Driving Program provides training to help students gain the qualifications to obtain a commercial driver's license (CDL) and job in the industry. Students will be able to earn a non-credit certificate from Klamath Community College.

Course Description:

This 5-week course has 40 hours of classroom instruction per week. Participation and attendance are mandatory. The course covers all of the aspects needed to safely operate a vehicle and complete a CDL drive test. Applicants will need to obtain and submit a copy of their DMV driving record showing their history of traffic accidents, violations, and or convictions (including DUI, license suspensions, etc.).

This course has a student cap of 15 students. Students will be entered into the program on a first come, first serve basis.

Prerequisites & Program requirements:

- High school graduate or GED equivalent (must provide copy)
- Must be at least 18+ intrastate, must be 21+ to drive interstate or transport hazardous materials.
- Have or meet the qualifications for an Oregon Driver License (non-commercial Class C) must provide copy

Requirements to be completed during training:

Pass a random Drug Screen and ODOT Physical (No refunds due to inability to pass background check/drug screen)

*Disclaimer: Although marijuana may be legal in the state of Oregon for adults over the age of 21, most providers do not allow it and therefore we cannot accept any student into the internship that tests positive for marijuana on their drug screen.

Schedule:

Our Commercial Driver's Training program is offered every term. Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

Course Supplies:

All supplies including a textbook is provided to all students.

Course Topics:

1. Entry-Level Driver Training

2. Pre-trip, Post trip inspections & Pre-test
3. Straight Line, Angles, and Offset Backing
4. Couple uncouple tractor trailer practice
5. Sliding Tandems and 5th wheels
6. Brake Adjustments and slack adjusters
7. Tire Chain Installations
8. All back maneuvers
9. Pre-test and Pre-trip
10. Shifting, turning, braking, acceleration, off tracking
11. Intersections, beginning traffic navigation
12. Uphill/ downhill shifting
13. Railroad crossing and safety zones
14. Driving through urban areas
15. Freeway driving on & off ramps
16. Mountain grades
17. City driving, weight stations

Course Cost: \$5,795

Hazmat Endorsement: \$86.50

Payment is due the first week of class. This class is not eligible for financial aid. A payment plan is available in installments of three. *Please inquire with the Cashier's Office in Building 9.*

Student Grant Options:

• **KCC Foundation Scholarships**

Non-credit/Apprenticeship (EAO) scholarship Student Emergency Scholarship

Contact: Lisa Carter, 541-880-2234, carter@klamathcc.edu

• **Community Resource Benefits Navigator**

Sarah Engलगau, 971-380-5120, engelgau@klamathcc.edu

• **STEP Program at Klamath Community College**

Must be receiving SNAP benefits (food stamps).

Contact: Reynda Scobee, STEP Coordinator, 541-880-2343, Scobee@klamathcc.edu

• **STEP Program at Worksource**

Must be receiving SNAP benefits (food stamps). 30-day eligibility period

Contact: Tangie, Lead STEP Coordinator, Tangie.M.MCREYNOLDS@employ.oregon.gov or visit Worksource to make an appointment.

• **Workforce Innovation Opportunity Act (WIOA) Federal Program at Worksource & Klamath Works**

Must be receiving SNAP, TANF, SSI, Dislocated worker/displaced homemaker or low-income. 30-day eligibility period.

Contact: Tina Scotton, WIOA Manager, 541-891-4667, tina@klamathworks.com

•Vocational Rehabilitation training funds

Voc. Rehab assists individuals with disabilities for job placement that matches their skills, interest, and abilities.

Contact: Tammi 541-883-5614

Job Placement:

- A resume and cover letter class are included in this course. KCC also has a CareerCenter located in Building 4. They are able to provide job search assistance, resume,cover letter, and interviewing techniques.

Application/Registration Process:

- Please scan all documents in PDF version to ce@klamathcc.edu or make an appointment to submit your documentation in person.
- You will receive a letter of admissions to your email with next steps.