VANTAGE CAREER CENTER

CDL

Truck Drivers are in HIGH DEMAND. This 200-hour program will provide you with the knowledge and skills necessary to take the licensing exam for a Class A Commercial Driver's License (CDL) in the state of Ohio. The training program consists of 50 hours of theoretical training at Vantage Career Center and 150 hours of hands-on training within a 100-mile radius of Van Wert, Ohio. Daytime classes are completed in 5 weeks and evening classes are completed in 10 weeks.

Admission

- Must be 18 years of age or older (those under the age of 21 may obtain an intrastate CDL only)
- Hold a valid driver's license
- Provide a copy of a 3-year BMV Driving Abstract
- Pass a DOT Physical and Drug Screen
- Obtain a CDL driver's permit. A study guide is available on the BMV website

Credential Information

Successful completers will receive a certification of completion. The instructor will assist the student with scheduling their CDL Skills Test for a Class A Commercial Driver's License (CDL) and provide the truck needed for the skills test. A CDL License is required to drive a tractor-trailer combination or a truck with a capacity of at least 26,001 pounds Gross Vehicle Weight.

Enroll Now!

ADULT AND POST SECONDARY Education

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https://www.vantagecareercenter.com/CDLProgram.aspx

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Commercial Driver's License

Cost: $5,900

Enrollment Checklist

Tuition/Books: $5,700

Testing Fees: $200

YOU hold the key to YOUR Success!

These items must be submitted on or before Orientation or enrollment will be moved to the next available class.

- ☐ Application and $30 non-refundable application fee
- ☐ DOT Physical and Drug Screen $100 non refundable (pay at time of registration)
- ☐ Financial Assistance - Questions regarding Grants/Payments:
  Contact Kendra Sentelik - sentelik.k@vantagecareercenter.com

- ☐ Must be at least 18 years of age.
- ☐ Provide a copy of a valid driver's license.
- ☐ Provide a copy of a 3-year *BMV* Driving Abstract $13.
  - ☐ No more than 6 points.
  - ☐ No DUI/DWI or reckless operation citation in the last three years.
  - ☐ No drug-related felonies.
- ☐ Obtain a CDL driver's permit - $32. A study guide is available on the BMV website: ***https://www.bmv.ohio.gov/forms-general.aspx***
- ☐ Provide the Medical Card showing proof of CDL physical.

All physicals and drug screens are to be completed by Julie Arend at the Paulding County Hospital. These items must be completed the week prior to Orientation by calling 419-399-1782:

- ☐ DOT Physical/Medical Card
- ☐ 5 Panel Drug Screen

Questions regarding the class? Contact Maria Diltz - diltz.m@vantagecareercenter.com

**All costs are estimates and subject to change*

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