

COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE (CDL A)

TRAINING PROGRAM







PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The CDL A Training Program is an entry-level program that prepares students for work in the Transportation Industry. Students will participate in a 240 hour training program that will include both lecture and hands-on training. Students will learn about Air Brakes, Combination, and General Knowledge topics to obtain their CDL A Temporary Instruction Permit. Pre-Trip Inspection will be a part of this 6 week training program along with hands-on instruction on the Straight Line Backing, Offset Left and Right Backing, and 90 Degree Alley Docking Maneuvers. Highway and road time will encompass the training program, ending with the behind the wheel exam through the State of Michigan. Completion of this program will result in Certification of Completion from Detroit Training Center, as well as the CDL A State of Michigan Endorsement. Career Opportunities after graduation include: Over the Road Driving, Trucking and Hauling Opportunities, Sanitation Drivers, and even Owning and Operating your own Trucking Company!



STUDENT TESTIMONIAL



OLIVIA NELSON

I sincerely appreciate the opportunity to attend Detroit Training Center through the Detroit at Works' Workforce Development Training Program. As a returning citizen, it provided me a vision which turned into a passion. Interacting with other students who possessed the same drive and interest to obtain their CDL A was great. The instructors and staff were great as well, patient, and very informative. I'm glad I was able to attend this school to receive this type of training, rather than attend other companies who may rush you through, for their own personal gain. I highly recommend DTC because of the dedication and hardwork they provide to their students. I was able to start a rewarding career in truck driving through them, and I plan to utilize other classes offered by DTC in the Skilled Trades Field to make myself more marketable. Although I experienced times of frustration while learning a new skill, it was an accomplishment well worth the hard work I put in. Thank you DTC for your professionalism, and I personally recommend them to anyone seeking a Skilled Trade that will offer endless possibilities.

- Olivia Nelson CDL A Cohort 6 - 2018 Driver - CRST

PAUL KELLY

Thank you to DTC and Jonathan Clark! This gentleman has been remarkable in terms of helping me to transition into the CDL field. Not only has he answered any questions that I've asked, but most importantly, Jonathan has been very affable. Being on the receiving end of kindness is a remarkable place to be. Because when you're transitioning into another phase of your life/career, it can be very daunting. Especially when you're an old dog like me (64). Having a kind & encouraging voice to cheer you on, means more than you could possibly imagine. Thank you Detroit Training Center for providing such an exceptional individual like Jonathan Clark to represent you. Keep up the great work! Thank you to all the instructors as well, helping me tremendously in this journey and staying patient with me throughout the program. I had an overall great experience with Detroit Training Center's CDL A Training Program and all the staff involved! I was able to start a Career with Werner Enterprises upon graduation.

- Paul Kelly CDL A Cohort 10 - 2019 Driver- Werner Enterprises





ROBERT BRADLEY

First, I have to thank God for leading me back into this path of trucking, giving me the strength to never ever give up on my dream of being a truck driver. No matter what you have been through or are currently going through, ask God for the strength and perseverance to continue on and he will provide it for you, just be patient and continue to move forward. I would also like to thank the M.A.D.E. Program for this opportunity at Detroit Training Center, and the Instructors thank you so much for everything. God Bless you all and remember never ever give up.

-Robert Bradley CDL A Cohort 12 - 2019 Driver - Great Northern Transportation

ANTONE CURRY JR.

I went through every emotion within 9 weeks of the CDL training course, but I never gave up, I knew that there was light at the end of the tunnel. I set a game plan and stuck to it. Approximately one year later I purchased my own semi truck and now I am an Owner Operator of my company, Self Made Elite LLC. My trainers and counselors were very supportive, they went above and beyond to ensure that I was safely trained under the DOT regulations. It goes to show that you can achieve whatever you put your mind to. I would like to thank Detroit Training Center for the opportunity that changed my life.

- Antone Curry Jr. CDL A Cohort 5 - 2018 Owner/Operator - Self Made Elite LLC





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