

# CDL (Class A Commercial Driver's License) Training Program

## Earn a Maryland Class A Commercial Driver's License (CDL) in 8 weeks.

**The next class starts Monday, Oct. 31. Complete your application today!**

- Start in the classroom to learn about vehicles, basic truck driving controls, pre-trip inspection, yard skills, map reading, log books, emergency protocol and more.
- Then move to a secure driving range and get behind the wheel to learn the safe and efficient operation of various tractor-trailer vehicles. Experienced instructors will help you gain the skills and confidence to take your new skills on the road.
- Upon successful completion of training, you will have the knowledge and skills needed to apply for your Class A commercial driver's license from the Maryland Department of Motor Vehicles.

No experience with trucks is required. However, students must meet driver qualifications from the Bureau of Motor Carrier Safety and pass the physical examination requirements established by the Department of Transportation. Students must:

- Be 18 or older for intrastate driving and 21 or older for interstate driving
- Possess a valid non-provisional driver's license and safe driving record (no more than three points on your driving record and maintain zero points for drug or alcohol violations)
- Communicate sufficiently in English as required by the US DOT
- Successfully complete a DOT physical, which cannot expire during the training period
- Successfully pass a DOT federal drug screen before moving to the road portion of training
- Register with the FMCSA Clearinghouse and be willing to participate in random drug and/or alcohol testing at the discretion of program instructors or administrators

*Offered in partnership with **North American Trade Schools (NATS)** & **Carroll County Workforce Development (CCWD)**.*



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**Funding may be available for qualified students**

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