

## TRUCK DRIVING CERTIFICATE

The Truck Driving Certificate program is designed to provide students with applicable, practical knowledge of the trucking and commercial passenger industries, including requisite laws, regulations, operator qualifications, preventative maintenance, controls and basic operational experiences/skills.

Successful students will be well prepared to pass the necessary state licensure exams in order to attain a Class “A” Commercial Driver’s License (CDL)—as well as other Classes of commercial vehicle operations licenses.

**Occupational Objective:** *Commercial licensed truck driver*

Related Instruction Requirements		Credits
Communications	WRIT 104 Workplace Communications	3
Health	HLTH 106 Focus on Health	1
Human Relations	HS 100 Human Relations	1
Mathematics	M 111 Technical Mathematics	3
Native American Studies	NASX (one course)	1
Technology	CAPP (one course)	1

<b>Total Related Instruction credits required for certificate</b>	<b>10</b>
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Truck Driving Certificate Program of Study		Credits
TD 101	Truck Driving I	8
TD 105	Truck Driving II	8
TD 115	Vehicle Operations	4

<b>Total Program of Study credits required for certificate</b>	<b>20</b>
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<b>Total credits required for certificate</b>	<b>30</b>
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### Truck Driving Program Learning Outcomes

- Demonstrate the standards of the industry and of the Federal Motor Carriers Regulations.
- Apply to practical use, knowledge learned of basic vehicle construction and vehicle systems.
- Conduct pre-trip inspection on the vehicle before driving.
- Understand the importance of safety and demonstrate safety while on the road.
- Demonstrate problem-solving skills for road and traffic problems, and apply appropriate driving techniques to manage changing driving conditions.
- Demonstrate basic competency in the use of technology to access the data for road conditions, repair information and document travel.
- Identify career options and plan for employment within the industry.