



## MIAMI LAKES EDUCATIONAL CENTER AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE

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### Our Vision, Mission and Core Values

**VISION:** The vision of Miami Lakes Educational Center and Technical College is to facilitate, promote and provide successful career training opportunities and high academic standards for secondary and postsecondary students designed to meet the challenges of an everchanging global economy.

**CORE VALUES:** Accountability, Citizenship, Flexibility, Integrity, Organizational and Personal Learning, Positive Atmosphere and Culture, Preparing Students, Professionalism, Pursuit of Excellence, Respect, and Valuing Stakeholders.

**MISSION:** The mission of Miami Lakes Educational Center and Technical College is to create a highly qualified future workforce by offering state-of-the-art academic, career and technical education to all generations within our community.

# COMMERCIAL VEHICLE DRIVING (CLASS A)

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We provide the highest quality education so that all of our students are empowered to lead productive and fulfilling lives as lifelong learners and responsible citizens.



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# COMMERCIAL VEHICLE DRIVING (CLASS A)

## Program Objective

The Commercial Vehicle Driving (CVD) program offers extensive hands-on training with the most modern trucks on the road today. Employability and communication skills are an integral part of the program. Good work habits, punctuality, attendance, attitude, and job orientation are stressed throughout training.

## Program Content

The purpose of this program is to prepare students for a Class "A" Commercial Vehicle Driving (CVD). This program focuses on broad, transferable skills and stresses understanding and demonstration of the following elements of the Commercial Vehicle Driving industry; planning, management, labor issues, community issues and health, safety, and environmental issues. The content includes but is not limited to the following: Loading and unloading cargo; reporting delays or accidents on the road; verifying load against shipping papers; and keeping records.

## Admission Requirements

- ▶ Must be at least 21 years old
- ▶ Drug Test
- ▶ Health Examination

## Completion Requirements

This program consists of one occupational completion point.

OCP	COURSE	HOURS
A	Tractor Trailer Truck Driver	320

Students are expected to complete program competencies.

## Employment Opportunities

- ▶ Double and Triple Drivers
- ▶ Flat-Bed Drivers
- ▶ Freight Drivers
- ▶ Local Drivers
- ▶ Long Haul Drivers
- ▶ Regional Drivers
- ▶ Tanker Drivers

## Salary

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics the average earnings in 2023 for a truck driver were **\$52,760** annually or **\$25.37** per hour.

## Financial Aid

Financial aid is available to those who qualify. Applicants must have a high school diploma from an accredited High School, or its equivalent. To apply, complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid, at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov). Questions pertaining to this matter should be directed to the Financial Aid Office.

## Program Cost

- ▶ In-state residents - \$2.56 per hour (Subject to change)
- ▶ Out of state resident - \$10.25 per hour (Subject to change)
- ▶ \$20.00 application fee per trimester
- ▶ Material fee - Varies by program
- ▶ Identification fee - \$5.00 per trimester
- ▶ Students must purchase books/kits and/or uniforms, if applicable

## Program Hours

- ▶ Monday - Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
- ▶ Monday - Friday from 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- ▶ Monday - Friday from 5:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.