American Career Training, LLC 2024 Course Catalog

Truck Driving & Electrical Lineman School

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All information in this American Career Training catalog is current and correct and is so certified as true by Roger Smith Owner/ Chief Administrator/ Director.

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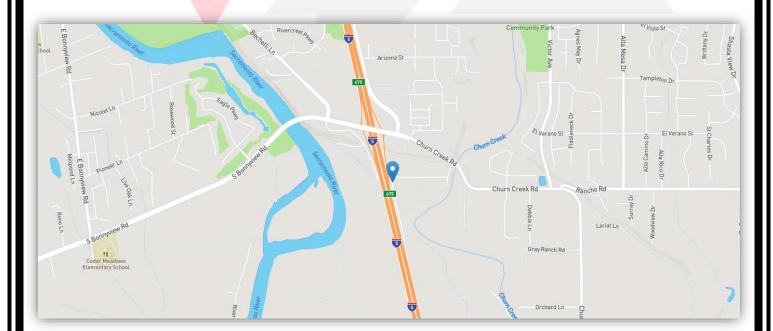


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American Career Training has been approved by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education according to California Education Code. American Career Training a private institution and is approved to operate by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (BPPE), and that approval to operate means compliance with state standards as set forth in the CEC and 5, CCR. It does not imply that the Bureau endorses' s programs, or that the Bureau approval means the institution exceeds minimum standards. CEC 94909(a)(2) and 94897(1)(1)(2). American Career Training is Accredited by the Council on Occupational Education (COE). COE is recognized by the United States Department of Education. Persons seeking any questions or problems should first contact the instructor in charge. Requests for further action may be made to the Chief Administrator of American Career Training. Any questions a student may have regarding this catalog that have not been satisfactorily answered by the institution may be directed to the: Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education, 1747 N. Market Blvd. Ste. 225, Sacramento, CA. 95834, PO Box 980818, West Sacramento, CA 95798-0818, Phone (916) 574-8900, Fax (916) 263-1897, www.BPPE.org OR Council on Occupational Education, 7840 Roswell Road, Suite 325, Atlanta, GA 30350, Phone: (800) 917-2081 Fax: (770) 396-3790, www.Council.org

California statute requires that a student who successfully completes a course of study should be awarded an appropriate diploma or certificate verifying the fact. Prospective enrollees are encouraged to visit the physical facilities of the school and discuss personal educational or occupational plans with the school personnel prior to enrolling or signing enrollment agreements.

As a prospective student, you are encouraged to review this catalog prior to signing an enrollment agreement. You are also encouraged to review the School Performance Fact Sheet, which must be provided to you prior to signing an enrollment agreement.

OWNERSHIP

American Career Training is locally owned and operated by Roger Smith. American Career Training is operated with pride, integrity, and a stated mission to become a premier Training provider in the state of California.

ASSOCIATIONS

American Career Training is a member of CTA - California Trucking Association. American Career Training is a member of the National Welfare to Work Partnership American Career Training is a member of CVTA- Commercial Vehicle Training Association **HISTORY*** After many years of working in the energy & transportation industry, American Career Training along with input from various companies has developed what we believe to be the best combination of curriculum, facilities, and equipment in the northwest.

MISSION STATEMENT* Our Mission is to provide comprehensive instructional programs and support services that achieve educational and career goals for our student's success. We are dedicated to providing quality training, followed by placement services designed to bring graduates and employers together resulting in quality careers.

American Career Training office hours are Monday-Friday, 8:00am-5:00pm

BILINGUAL INSTRUCTION* American Career Training does not offer instruction in English-as-asecond language currently. English proficiency is measured by possession of a High School Diploma/GED/or equivalency. No visa services are provided. Instruction will not occur in any other language other than English.

FACILITIES* American Career Training operates one training facility.

American Career Training is located on 4 ½ acres off interstate 5. Access is from the S. Bonny view/Churn Creek Road, exit 675 leading to Commercial Way from Churn Creek Road. The campus is visible from Interstate 5 and is adjacent to a motel and there are several restaurants close by.

The facility consists of approximately 5000 sq. feet divided into; front office, reception area, classroom, breakroom, instructor's office, restrooms, lab, shop, and maintenance area. There is an additional restroom next to the shop and maintenance area.

The Redding Campus provides a resource library complete with training manuals, comprehensive supply of training videos, industry periodicals, employment information, and up-to-date industry information. The resource area is located on the corner shelf in the classroom. Each classroom has a resource library. Each classroom is available for students to use during school hours.

The classroom and lab located at 8530 Commercial Way is approximately 2300 sq. ft. The classroom is available for students to use during school hours to complete individual training in areas in which a student may need additional assistance. The classroom and lab located at 5200 Churn Creek Rd. Suite N is approximately 1865sq. ft. The classroom is available for students to use during school hours to complete individual training in areas in which a student may need additional assistance.

The facility provides on-site skill practice enabling individual instruction. American Career Training's large campus offers many on-site advantages such as:

Covered Truck Bay for pre-trip training and practice Skills practice area-approximately 110,000 sq. ft. Lab & classroom area approximately 2300 sq. ft.

BANKRUPTCY* American Career Training is a solvent company, does not operate as a debtor in possession. It has never filed Chapter 7, nor does it have any pending petition in bankruptcy filed against it within the preceding 5 years that resulted in reorganization under Chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code. (11 U.S.C. Sec.1101 et seq.) (CEC 94909(a)(12))

NO PERSONS SHALL BE DENIED ADMISSION ON THE BASIS OF RACE, CREED, COLOR, SEX OR NATIONAL ORIGIN.

Admissions Requirements* To be accepted for training into our Tractor Trailer Operator programs an applicant must:

- Provide a 3-year driving record from the DMV.
- If the applicant has any DUI convictions or more than three moving violations, he/she must meet with the American Career Training Assistant Director so that a determination, on an individual basis, can be made concerning the admittance into this training facility.
- Submit a ten-year verifiable work history
- Disclose any felony or misdemeanor convictions
- Report any Worker's Compensation claims in the last three years, and any back or neck problems.
- Possess a California License, and a Class A Learner's permit, or an approved transfer of license application
- Be at least 18 years of age. The minimum age for interstate drivers is 21.
- Pass a NIDA 5 (five) drug screen test. According to the U.S. Department of Transportation Regulation 382.103, 382.103 student drivers are required to test even though they may not yet possess a CDL.
- ▶ Have a High School Diploma or the equivalent
- Must complete Department of Transportation (D.O.T.) physical examination

Admissions Requirements* To be accepted for training into our Electrical Lineworker programs an applicant must:

- Must be able to pass a Department of Transportation (D.O.T.) physical Examination.
- Pass a NIDA 5 (five) drug screen test. According to the U.S. Department of Transportation Regulation 382.103, 382.103 student drivers are required to test even though they may not yet possess a CDL.
- > You must provide a 3-year driving record from the DMV.
- You must pass an admissions test.
- > You must be at least 18 years old by your start date.
- > You must have a high school diploma or equivalent
- > Possess a Valid License that will not expire during your program
- Be eligible to obtain a Class "A," permit
- Participants must be in good physical and mental health (medical release form provided during enrollment)
- Provide proof of insurance coverage (Must cover duration of the program)
- Disclose any arrests and or misdemeanors/felony convictions. (If the applicant has any misdemeanors/ felony convictions, he/she must meet with the American Career Training Assistant Director so that a determination, on an individual basis, can be made concerning the admittance into this training facility.)
- Maximum weight of 270 pounds
- Report any Worker's Compensation claims in the last three years, and any back or neck problems.
- Carrying a 50-pound weight a distance of 50 feet and back without stopping
- Climb a ladder, belt off and lift a 20-pound bag on a rope up one side of the ladder and down the other side.
- > Ability to provide yourself with the necessary safety related clothing.

The American Career Training Chief Administrator must give final approval before an applicant is accepted as a student. American Career Training reserves the right to accept or reject any applicant. An institution shall not admit any student who is obviously unqualified or who does not appear to have a reasonable prospect of completing the program.

ADMISSION PROCEDURE * Students interested in entering training with American Career Training should apply for admission for acceptance to begin enrollment and ensure a start date. After completing the enrollment paperwork and meeting the admission requirements. The application will be reviewed, and the student will be notified, in a timely manner, of the decision. All decisions concerning admission are confidential. Students wishing to transfer from a shorter program to a longer program or a longer program to a shorter program can do so with the approval of the Assistant Director . This institution has not nor will enter into an articulation or transfer agreement with any other college or university. There are no transferable credits earned by completing this course nor are any credits acceptable towards education time when entering this course. Experiential credit not issued.

COVID-19 Response

American Career Training (ACT) is excited to welcome you to our campus. The health and safety of our students, employees, customers, and their families is our top priority. In accordance with state and CDC guidelines, we have developed a COVID-19 Prevention Program (CPP). All visitors at the facility for any duration longer than the time required to pick up an application are required to complete a visitor screening indicating they meet CDC and state government guidelines regarding health screening and quarantines. Additionally, each person entering the facility will have their temperature checked before engaging in any activity.

Travel Policy

ACT has imposed travel restrictions to slow the spread of COVID-19 for the safety of our students and employees. Anyone who does not meet every travel requirement must self-quarantine for 14 days from the day they arrive within the campus zone (25 Miles from the campus) before coming to our campus.

Before Starting School

ACT recommends, 2 weeks prior to your scheduled start date, that the student does not travel and avoids unnecessary contact with others that do not live in the same household. Once starting school, you will be asked to complete a visitor screening to ensure the health and safety of each student and staff member.

While Attending School

ACT recommends that while attending school, that you do not travel to COVID-19 hotspots and that you follow California's travel and quarantine restrictions. To get more information regarding California's travel and quarantine restrictions please visit <u>www.COVID-19.CA.GOV</u>

Refund Provisions

ALL TUITION * Private Pay students will be arranged at the time of enrollment. Students referred by Vocational Counselors do not have to prepay. Major credit cards will be considered for student tuition payments if alternate programs are not available. If a student obtains a loan to pay for educational program, the student will have the responsibility to repay the full amount of the loan plus interest, less the amount of any refund, if the student receives federal student financial aid funds, the student is entitled to a refund of the money's not paid from federal financial aid funds. American Career Training does not currently participate in any federal or state financial aid programs. American Career Training is not a title four school therefore we cannot accept the FASFA.

REFUND PROVISIONS *

"STUDENTS RIGHT TO CANCEL"

- 1. You have the right to cancel this agreement and obtain a refund of charges paid through attendance at the first-class session or the seventh day after enrollment, whichever is later. Cancellation occurs when you give written notice of cancellation at School address shown on the front page of this Agreement. You can do this by mail, in person, or by FAX. The notice of cancellation, if mailed, is effective when deposited in the mail, properly addressed with postage prepaid. This notice need not take any particular form, it needs only to state you wish to cancel the agreement. You will be given two notices of cancellation forms on the first day of class. If you cancel this agreement, School will refund any money that you paid within 30 days after your notice is received. Notice of cancellation must be received no later than __/__/ before midnight.
- 2. If School has given you any equipment, you shall return it to School within 30 days following the date of your notice of cancellation.
- 3. If the student has received federal student financial aid funds, the student is entitled to a refund of moneys not paid from federal student financial aid program funds. Institutions shall refund 100 percent of the amount paid for institutional charges, less a reasonable deposit or application fee not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars (\$250), if notice of cancellation is made through attendance at the first-class session, or the seventh day after enrollment, whichever is later.

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Withdraw and Refund Rights

If the student has obtained a loan to pay for this program, the student will have the responsibility to repay the full amount of the loan plus interest. You have the right to withdraw from School at any time. If you withdraw from the course of instruction after the cancellation period, the School will remit a refund less the registration fee. The total costs or \$75.00 within 30 days following your withdrawal. You are obligated to pay only for educational services rendered and unreturned equipment. The refund shall be the amount you paid for instruction which you have not received but for which you have paid, the denominator of which is the total number of hours of instruction for which you have paid. If you obtain equipment, as specified on the front page of this agreement, and return it in good condition within 30 days following the date of your withdrawal, School may retain lesser amount of a pro-rata portion as described below (up to 60% of course completion) or the documented cost of the listed equipment. You are liable for the amount, if any, by which (the pro rata or documented cost) for equipment exceeds the refund amount. If the amount that you paid, then you will have to make arrangements to pay it.

Student Services

HOUSING * American Career Training does not have a dormitory facility. Students can expect an average rent of \$ 1,000 per month for this geographical area. American Career Training communicates regularly with the Motel 6, Address 1640 Hilltop Dr, Redding, CA 96002, Phone: (530) 221-1800. They offer discount rates for students attending American Career Training. Housing costs are in addition to any tuition and enrollment expenses and are the responsibility of the applicant.

TRANSPORTATION* Public transportation is available with bus stops located close to our Redding campus.

JOB PLACEMENT ASSISTANCE SERVICE * American Career Training provides placement assistance to all students who have successfully completed the course. American Career Training offers placement assistance to each student by providing:

- a. Assistance in completing all pre-employment paperwork
- b. Direct communications with major company recruiters.
- c. FAX services for easy placement.

Placement information will be placed on file and the <u>student will be tracked for one year</u> to assist in building statistics for the future. American Career Training strives to attain the highest placement rate possible for our drivers.

STUDENT COMPLAINTS* Students having a complaint against American Career Training, its administration, or staff, may issue that complaint either in writing or by personal contact with the Assistant Director or The Chief Administrator. Management will investigate the complaint; discuss it with the student and/or with the students' counselor or both. If it is within the abilities of the school to correct a warranted complaint, such complaint will be corrected.

FINANCIAL AID* American Career Training is not a Title IV School. American Career Training does not participate in, receive, or qualify for any federal funding programs, which means we do not accept federal loans or student aid (FAFSA).

If a student obtains a loan to pay for an educational program, the student will have to repay the full amount of the loan plus interest, less the amount of any refund, and that, if the student receives federal student financial aid funds, the student is entitled to a refund of the money's not paid from federal financial aid funds.

What is an Addendum*

An addendum is an item of additional material that is added to a book or document in order to correct, clarify, or supplement the content. In addition to updating our curriculum and program requirements, ACT also updates its institutional information, policies, and procedures. All of these changes must be documented in print and on the web to make it easy for students and staff to find them.

Electrical Lineworker Programs

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Electrical Lineworker Course Overview

Both 15-week, (480 & 600) clock hour program prepares students for a successful career in the utilities line trade. The goal of this course is to prepare an individual for entry-level ground person and apprentice positions in a field that has a nation-wide shortage. This course is held on a 4 ½ acre campus with all classroom and equipment training on-site. American Career Training offers on site skills training available during regular business hours. Daily sessions are eight (8) hours per day, four (4) days a week for the 480hr course. Daily sessions are eight (8) hours per day, five (5) days a week for the 600hr course. Unless other arrangements have been made with management. The hours of operation are from 7:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. with a ³/₄ hour set aside for a lunch break. (CIP: 46.0303)

Absences are a disruption of a good learning environment and are discouraged. This course is operated on a weekly schedule and each day is scheduled to provide the optimum training opportunity. Daily attendance not only ensures quality training but also assists in providing potential employers with a record of our students' dedication to the training. Students are required to call the school if they are going to be absent. Attendance is required and students are expected to attend all scheduled class times. Students must arrange with the instructor for makeup work and time for classes missed. However, absences will remain on the student record.

Students must maintain an overall 80% or higher in all academic classes

Academic Progress for Veterans

Veteran students must maintain a 60% or higher in all academic classes

IMPORTANCE OF COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSE (CDL)

There is one vastly important consideration when deciding whether or not American Career Training (ACT) is the right lineman school for you. This consideration relates to your Commercial Driver's License (CDL). It will be especially difficult to find work in the United States as a Lineman if you do not have a CDL.

ACT will open up a whole new world, as far as job opportunities, we will train and help you obtain your full CDL. Most schools require you to obtain the permit and make it your responsibility to find an outside company to test with. With a CDL, you can become very flexible in your career choice, and enter the workforce very quickly. Having a CDL can make you a valuable contribution to your employer.

As a student at ACT, you will be trained in our trucks on our paved, $4\frac{1}{2}$ acre campus, you will then do your practice road test with one of our instructors, then use our truck to take your driving exam at the local DMV.

Electrical Lineworker Course Overview

Obtaining your CDL is a key factors to becoming a Lineman that is why American Career Training strives to help all of our students achieve the goal of obtaining a CDL to ensure they will have nothing standing in their way after graduating from American Career Training.

Work Relocation

ACT provides a comprehensive and realistic educational experience. Students will smell the sweet smell of success and long-term career rewards when they graduate from our program.

U.S. retail electricity sales generated 386 billion dollars in revenue in 2021. Many of these jobs will not be located in your area. Job seekers will be encouraged to relocate to find work. In addition to Alaska, Minnesota, North Dakota, Hawaii, and Montana, these jobs will be located throughout the United States. People working in this field should be flexible, agile, and thorough in their approach to their work.

After completing the Electrical Lineworker Program, Entry-level linemen are usually hired as helpers, or tree trimmers, who help in clearing the branches from telephone and power lines, equipment operators, or other related positions. Entry-level linemen receive training by working as a helper under the direct supervision of an experienced lineman in order to develop skill sets to become linemen.

After Gaining experience, you could advance to positions stringing cable and performing service installations. With experience and perfectionism, an individual can progress to sophisticated maintenance and repair positions. With so many opportunities in the industry, an ambitious individual with an ACT education has virtually limitless potential and career paths.

Job placement assistance is provided by ACT. These jobs are located outside of your locality. As a result, we expect our graduates to relocate as part of the job process. You will have the opportunity to register with any Union. By interviewing well and taking advantage of the training and assistance ACT provides, you will be able to receive the lineman apprenticeship you require to advance your career. In 2020, Oregon, Nevada, and Idaho were the best states to be a lineman.

Salary Range	Median Salary
\$ 49,800-\$ 111,000	\$ 84,200

https://skillpointe.com/careers/energy/electrical-lineman

Percentile	10%	25%	50% (Median)	75%	90%
Hourly Wage	\$ 22.63	\$ 29.90	\$ 39.59	\$ 49.07	\$ 55.09
Annual Wage (2)	\$ 47,070	\$ 62,190	\$ 82,340	\$ 102,070	\$ 114,590

https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes499051.htm

Jobs Available 11,300+

California Commercial Learners Permit Requirements:

Licensure requirements for CA DMV: Complete CDL exam, and skills testing at DMV. Provide current Driver's license and Social Security, provide 4 proofs of citizenship birth certificate/passport, 2 proofs of residency, rental/lease agreement, mortgage bill, utility bill, employment document, tax return.(for other acceptable documents please contact DMV at www.DMV.CA.GOV or 1-800-777-0133.

Prerequisites for the Electrical Lineworker Course (CIP 46.0303:

- Must be able to pass a Department of Transportation (D.O.T.) physical Examination.
- Pass a NIDA 5 (five) drug screen test. According to the U.S. Department of Transportation Regulation 382.103, 382.103 student drivers are required to test even though they may not yet possess a CDL.
- > You must provide a 3-year driving record from the DMV.
- > You must pass an admissions test.
- > You must be at least 18 years old by your start date.
- > Have a high school diploma or the equivalent
- > Possess a Valid License that will not expire during your program
- Be eligible to obtain a Class "A," permit
- Participants must be in good physical and mental health (medical release form provided during enrollment)
- Provide proof of insurance coverage (Must cover duration of the program)
- Disclose any arrests and or misdemeanors/felony convictions.
 (If the applicant has any misdemeanors/ felony convictions, he/she must meet with the American Career Training Assistant Director so that a determination, on an individual basis, can be made concerning the admittance into this training facility.)
- Maximum weight of 270 pounds
- Report any Worker's Compensation claims in the last three years, and any back or neck problems.
- Carrying a 50# weight a distance of 50 feet and back without stopping
- Climb a ladder, belt off and lift a 20# bag on a rope up one side of the ladder and down the other side.
- > Ability to provide yourself with the necessary safety related clothing.

INSTRUCTOR QUALIFICATION* American Career Training Instructors meet utility standards set for students and instructors. Our institution has a ratio of student to instructors/tractors of three (3) to four (4) during the behind the wheel sessions. The ratio during the classroom and skills training sessions is eight (8) to ten (10) students per instructor. In order to meet our student needs we have a Campus Director, a Campus Manager, one Lead Instructor and 3-6 Instructors as warranted based on student count. When necessary temporary office staff may be utilized on a short-term basis. On average we have 11 students per month.

Each Faculty member possesses:

- 1. At least a high school diploma (or its equivalent)
- 2. Expertise in the area of responsibility that is actively maintained; and,
- 3. A record of performance that reflects work-based standards as interpreted by the institution.
- 4. Additional requirements established for faculty members by the institution's governing board and/or state regulatory agencies are met.

The state of CA Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education requires Instructors to have a minimum of three years' experience and a High school diploma or its equivalent . ACT requires a new instructor to pass a competency test performed by our Assistant Director or the Lead Instructor. All instructors are required to pass a NIDA 5 drug test and continuous random drug testing. Instructors must be able to inspect the equipment with enough proficiency to pass a 90-day inspection.

EQUIPMENT * American Career Training will be using late model conventional tractors, 13 Speed Crane, Digger Derrick, and a Bucket Truck. American Career Training maintains each piece of equipment at the highest level.

COURSE INFORMATION* Electrical Lineworker

In order to provide the best training, American Career Training uses the latest training techniques in the industry. Students engage in a combination of classroom training, small group participation sessions, and hands-on experience.

American Career Training offers on site skills training available during regular business hours. Daily sessions are eight (8) hours per day, four (4) days a week for 480hr course. Daily sessions are eight (8) hours per day, five (5) days a week for the 600hr course. Unless other arrangements have been made with management. The hours of operation are from 7:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. with a ³/₄ hour set aside for a lunch break.

Field and Skills Competencies must be achieved before the start of the students last week of their course.

480 Hour Electrical Lineworker Curriculum

A/C Fundamentals

Basic Electricity

Bucket Truck Rescue

Climbing Wooden Poles

Hydraulic Derricks

Rigging 1& 2

Pole Framing & Guying

Distribution Line Safety

Multimeter Operation

Care & Testing of Tools & Equipment

Pole Top Equipment-Capacitors

Pole Top Equipment-Reclosers & Switching Devices

Pole Top Equipment-Transformers

Pole Top Equipment-Voltage Regulators

Power Quality

Safety in Overhead Line Maintenance

Service Installation

Setting & Replacing Poles

34.5 KV Rubber Glove Work

Transformer Connections 1& 2

Graduation Requirements:

The following requirements must be met for a student to earn 480hr Certificate of completion.

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT: 80% or higher in all academic classes Working on Distribution Poles

Distribution Line Installation & Removal

Distribution Line Repair - Hot Sticks

Distribution Line Replacement

Overhead Troubleshooting 1& 2

Transformer Troubleshooting

Troubleshooting Overhead Lines

First Aid and CPR

OSHA 10 ET&D

Tools and Equipment

High Voltage

Poles General Knowledge

Pole Safety

Pole Climbing

Equipment: *Bucket Truck Operation * Digger Derrick Operation *Crane Training

Powerline Clearing

Commercial Driver's License Training + DMV Exam

FEILD AND SKILLS COMPETENCIES:

Field and skills competencies must be achieved before the start of the students last week of their course

480 Hour Electrical Lineworker Program Dates of Training

15-weeks Class is Monday-Thursday 7:30am-4:15pm

Start Date	Graduation date
01/08/2024	04/18/2024
02/05/2024	05/16/2024
03/04/2024	06/17/2024
04/01/2024	07/15/2024
04/29/2024	08/12/2024
05/28/2024	09/10/2024
06/24/2024	10/07/2024
07/22/2024	11/04/2024
08/19/2024	12/03/2024
09/16/2024	12/31/2024
10/14/2024	01/29/2025
11/11/2024	02/25/2025
12/09/2024	03/25/2025
01/06/2025	04/17/2025
02/03/2025	05/15/2025

*Graduation dates are Approximate after clock hours are complete

American Career Training observes the following holidays: Memorial Day, Christmas Day, Labor Day, New Year's Days & Thanksgiving Day

480 Hour Electrical Lineworker Program Cost

Tuition and Mandatory Related Expenses will be increasing June 1st.

Course Cost:

Tuition	\$ 17,910.00
Registration	\$ 10.00
Equipment Fees	\$ 75.00

Total Charge	s for a p	eriod of at	tendance	
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\$ 17,995.00

This includes:

- A. 480 hours of training
- B. Assistance in gathering employment history information
- C. Opportunities to meet with recruiters for your career choice
- D. Individual tutoring if necessary

Mandatory Related Expenses : (All fees are subject to change without notice.)

DOT Physical	\$ 80.00
NIDA Drug Screen	\$ 60.00
Class A Permit	\$ 98.00
Climbing and Hand tools & Safety Shirts	\$2,800.00
Estimated total charges for entire program	\$ 21,033.00

Extracurricular Activities:

Crane Operator Training \$ 1,995.00

*Together the OSHA ET&D course and the CPR/First Aid course cost \$500.00. In the event that you cancel school after taking the class, you will be charged \$500.00 a NON-REFUNDABLE fee.

*A student's first day of class is marked by the distribution of tools and equipment purchased by ACT. The fee is \$ 2,800.00. After the cancellation period the \$ 2,800.00 tools and equipment is NON-REFUNDABLE. In the event that you choose to cancel school after receiving your tools, you will be charged \$ 2,800.00.

<u>Books</u>

A student's first day of class is marked by the distribution of students books purchased by ACT. Each book is \$25. If you choose to cancel school after the cancellation period you will be charged for each book that is unable to be returned to ACT

600 Hour Electrical Lineworker Curriculum

A/C Fundamentals

Basic Electricity

Bucket Truck Rescue

Climbing Wooden Poles

Hydraulic Derricks

Rigging 1& 2

Pole Framing & Guying

Distribution Line Safety

Multimeter Operation

Care & Testing of Tools & Equipment

Pole Top Equipment-Capacitors

Pole Top Equipment-Reclosers & Switching Devices

Pole Top Equipment-Transformers

Pole Top Equipment-Voltage Regulators

Power Quality

Safety in Overhead Line Maintenance

Service Installation

Setting & Replacing Poles

34.5 KV Rubber Glove Work

Transformer Connections 1& 2

Graduation Requirements:

The following requirements must be met for a student to earn 600hr Certificate of completion. <u>ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT:</u>

80% or higher in all academic classes

Working on Distribution Poles

Distribution Line Installation & Removal

Distribution Line Repair - Hot Sticks

Distribution Line Replacement

Overhead Troubleshooting 1& 2

Transformer Troubleshooting

Troubleshooting Overhead Lines

First Aid and CPR

OSHA 10 ET&D

Tools and Equipment

High Voltage

Poles General Knowledge

Pole Safety

Pole Climbing

Equipment: *Bucket Truck Operation * Digger Derrick Operation *Crane Training

Powerline Clearing

Commercial Driver's License Training + DMV Exam

FEILD AND SKILLS COMPETENCIES:

Field and skills competencies must be achieved before the start of the students last week of their course

600 Hour Electrical Lineworker Program Dates of Training

15-weeks Class is Monday-Friday 7:30am-4:15pm

Start Date	Graduation date
01/08/2024	04/18/2024
02/05/2024	05/16/2024
03/04/2024	06/17/2024
04/01/2024	07/15/2024
04/29/2024	08/13/2024
05/28/2024	09/11/2024
06/24/2024	10/08/2024
07/22/2024	11/05/2024
08/19/2024	12/05/2024
09/16/2024	01/02/2024
10/14/2024	01/30/2025
11/11/2024	02/26/2025
12/09/2024	03/26/2025
01/06/2025	04/18/2025
02/03/2025	05/16/2025

*Graduation dates are Approximate after clock hours are complete

American Career Training observes the following holidays: Memorial Day, Christmas Day, Labor Day, New Year's Days & Thanksgiving Day

Electrical Lineworker Course Overview

600 Hour Electrical Lineworker Program Cost

Tuition and Mandatory Related Expenses will be increasing June 1st.

Course Cost:

Tuition	\$ 18,910.00
Registration	\$ 10.00
Equipment Fees	\$ 75.00
	\$ 7 0 .00

Total Charges for a period of attendance

\$ 18,995.00

This includes:

- A. 480 hours of training
- B. Assistance in gathering employment history information
- C. Opportunities to meet with recruiters for your career choice
- D. Individual tutoring if necessary

Mandatory Related Expenses : (All fees are subject to change without notice.)

DOT Physical	\$ 80.00
NIDA Drug Screen	\$ 60.00
Class A Permit	\$ 98.00
Climbing and Hand tools & Safety Shirts	\$2,800.00
Estimated total charges for entire program	\$22,033.00

Extracurricular Activities:

Crane Operator Training \$ 1,995.00

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*A student's first day of class is marked by the distribution of tools and equipment purchased by ACT. The fee is \$2,800.00. After the cancellation period the \$2,800.00 tools and equipment is NON-REFUNDABLE. In the event that you choose to cancel school after receiving your tools, you will be charged \$2,800.00.

<u>Books</u>

A student's first day of class is marked by the distribution of students books purchased by ACT. Each book is \$25. If you choose to cancel school after the cancellation period you will be charged for each book that is unable to be returned to ACT

Electrical Lineworker Course Overview

Tools:

*A student's first day of class is marked by the distribution of tools and equipment purchased by ACT. The fee is \$ 2,800.00. After the cancellation period the \$ 2,800.00 tools and equipment is NON-REFUNDABLE. In the event that you choose to cancel school after receiving your tools, you will be charged \$ 2,800.00.

Five ELP Student Long Sleeve Training Shirts Lineman's Wrench Folding Knife Handline Belt Hook Course Folding Ruler Bug Wrench Safety Glasses **Demolition Driver** Lineman's Pliers **Crescent Wrench** Straight Hammer Channel Locks Gaff Sharpening Kit Super Squeeze Climbers, Pads & Gaff Guards Secondary Rope Work Gloves Hard Hat **Tool Belt** Lineman Boots 5-pocket Tool Pouch Tool Bag Bolt & Nut Bag

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Work Relocation

A comprehensive and constructive educational experience is provided by ACT. Graduates of our program will have a great deal of potential and long-term career rewards.

The U.S. Trucking Industry generated \$732.3 billion in gross freight revenue from trucking in 2020 representing 80.4% of the nation's freight bill. There is a good chance that not all of these jobs are located near you. Potential job candidates are advised to go over the road. You can work at companies such as Werner Enterprises and May Trucking Company. A person working in this industry should be flexible, agile, and thorough in their approach to the work they do.

Following completion of ACT's entry-level driver training, our students are hired within weeks after graduation. When you start your career as a driver, you learn more by working for a company that allows you to train alongside a professional driver.

Following your experience with a professional driver, you will be allowed to drive by yourself. ACT education opens up virtually limitless career paths and potential to an ambitious individual.

Assisting with job placement is one of the services provided by ACT. Many of the job openings will be located outside of your local area. In addition, you'll have the opportunity to speak with recruiters from trucking companies. Interview well and take advantage of the training and assistance that ACT has to offer, and you can advance in your career choice.

Revenue:

<u>\$940.8 billion in gross freight revenues (primary shipments only) from trucking,</u> representing 80.7% of the nation's freight bill in 2022. https://www.trucking.org/economics-and-industry-data

https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes533032.htm

Percentile wage estimates for Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers:

Percentile	10%	25%	50% (Median)	75%	90%
Hourly Wage	\$ 16.97	\$ 20.43	\$ 24.00	\$ 29.42	\$ 36.16
Annual Wage <u>(2)</u>	\$ 35,300	\$ 42,490	\$ 49,920	\$ 61,200	\$ 75,220

Students must maintain an overall 80% or higher in all academic classes

Academic Progress for Veterans

Veteran students must maintain a 60% or higher in all academic classes

Prerequisites for the Tractor Trailer Operator Course: (CIP: 49.0205)

- > You must provide a 3-year driving record from the DMV.
- If the applicant has any DUI convictions or more than three moving violations, he/she must meet with the American Career Training Assistant Director so that a determination, on an individual basis, can be made concerning the admittance into this training facility.
- Submit a ten-year verifiable work history
- Disclose any felony or misdemeanor convictions
- Report any Worker's Compensation claims in the last three years, and any back or neck problems.
- Possess a California License, and a Class A Learner's permit, or an approved transfer of license application
- Be at least 18 years of age. The minimum age for interstate drivers is 21.
- Pass a NIDA 5 (five) drug screen test. According to the U.S. Department of Transportation Regulation 382.103, 382.103 student drivers are required to test even though they may not yet possess a CDL.
- Have a High School Diploma or the equivalent
- Must complete Department of Transportation (D.O.T.) physical examination

INSTRUCTOR QUALIFICATION* American Career Training Instructors meet Truck Driver standards set for students and instructors. Our institution has a ratio of student to instructors/tractors of three (3) to four (4) during the behind the wheel sessions. The ratio during the classroom and skills training sessions is six (6) to eight (8) students per instructor. In order to meet our student needs we have a Campus Director, a Campus Manager, one Lead Instructor and 3-6 Instructors as warranted based on student count. When necessary temporary office staff may be utilized on a short-term basis. On average we have 11 students per month.

Each Faculty member possesses:

- 5. At least a high school diploma (or its equivalent)
- 6. Expertise in the area of responsibility that is actively maintained; and,
- 7. A record of performance that reflects work-based standards as interpreted by the institution.
- 8. Additional requirements established for faculty members by the institution's governing board and/or state regulatory agencies are met.

The state of CA Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education requires Instructors to have a minimum of three years truck driving experience and a High school diploma or its equivalent . ACT requires a new instructor to pass a competency road test performed by our lead Instructor. All instructors are required to pass a NIDA 5 drug test and continuous random drug testing. Instructor's must maintain their CDL which includes a DOT Physical every two years. Instructors are enrolled in the Pull Notice program for DMV printout review. Instructors must be able to inspect the tractor /trailer with enough proficiency to pass a 90-day inspection.

EQUIPMENT * American Career Training will be using late model conventional tractors, and long trailers, to meet industry standards. American Career Training maintains each piece of equipment at the highest level.

COURSE INFORMATION* Tractor Trailer Operator Program

American Career Training uses the latest training techniques in the industry. Students participate in a combination of training that involves; classroom training, small group participation sessions, and behind the wheel experience.

American Career Training offers on site skills training available during regular business hours. Daily sessions are eight (8) hours per day, five (5) days a week, unless other arrangements have been made with management. The hours of operation are from 7:30 a.m. to 4: 15 p.m. with a ³/₄ hour set aside for a lunch break.

American Career Training has a ratio of student to instructors/tractors of three (3) to four (4) during the behind the wheel sessions. The ratio during the classroom and skills training sessions is six (6) to eight (8) students per instructor.

Tractor Trailer Operator (1) Curriculum

4-week (160hrs.) Curriculum hours include:

Classroom: 30 Hours

- ➢ Orientation
- D.O.T. Rules & Regulations
- ➢ Logbooks
- Hours of Service
- Air Brakes / Pre-Trip Inspection
- Hazmat Endorsement
- ➢ Written Test (CDL)

Vehicle Inspections: 22 Hours

- Walk Around Inspection
- ➢ In-Cab Inspection
- Brake Adjustment

Drive Test Breakdown: 82 Hours

- > Shifting
- Lane Position
- ➤ Turns
- Railroad Crossings
- Speed Management
- Hazard Perception
- Braking Techniques

Skills Test Breakdown: 22 Hours

- Straight Line Backing
- Alley Dock
- Parallel Parking
- Measured Stop

Hooking and Sliding: 4 Hours

- Truck Trailer Hook-up
- Fifth Wheel Slider
- Trailer Tandem Slider

TOTAL PROGRAM HOURS 160

Graduation Requirements:

The following requirements must be met for a student to earn 160hr Certificate of completion.

> ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT: 80% or higher in all academic classes

FEILD AND SKILLS COMPETENCIES:

field and skills competencies must be achieved before the start of the students last week of their course

Tractor Trailer Operator (1) Dates of Training

State Date	Graduation Date	Start Date	Graduation Date
01/02/2024	01/29/2024	07/08/2024	08/02/2024
01/08/2024	02/02/2024	07/15/2024	08/09/2024
01/15/2024	02/09/2024	07/22/2024	08/16/2024
01/22/2024	02/16/2024	07/29/2024	08/23/2024
01/29/2024	02/23/2024	08/05/2024	08/30/2024
02/05/2024	03/01/2024	08/12/2024	09/09/2024
02/12/2024	03/08/2024	08/19/2024	09/16/2024
02/19/2024	03/15/2024	08/26/2024	09/23/2024
02/26/2024	03/22/2024	09/03/2024	09/30/2024
03/04/2024	03/29/2024	09/09/2024	10/04/2024
03/11/2024	04/05/2024	09/16/2024	10/11/2024
03/25/2024	04/19/2024	09/23/2024	10/18/2024
03/27/2024	04/21/2024	09/30/2024	10/25/2024
04/01/2024	04/26/2024	10/07/2024	11/01/2024
04/08/2024	05/03/2024	10/14/2024	11/08/2024
04/15/2024	05/10/2024	10/21/2024	11/15/2024
04/22/2024	05/17/2024	10/28/2024	11/22/2024
04/29/2024	05/24/2024	11/04/2024	12/02/2024
05/06/2024	06/03/2024	11/11/2024	12/09/2024
05/13/2024	06/10/2024	11/18/2024	12/16/2024
05/20/2024	06/17/2024	11/25/2024	12/23/2024
05/28/2024	06/24/2024	12/02/2024	12/30/2024
06/03/2024	06/28/2024	12/09/2024	01/07/2025
06/10/2024	07/05/2024	12/16/2024	01/14/2025
06/17/2024	07/12/2024	12/23/2024	01/21/2025
06/24/2024	07/19/2024	12/30/2024	01/28/2025
07/01/2024	07/26/2024	01/06/2025	01/31/2025

*Graduation dates are Approximate after clock hours are complete

American Career Training observes the following holidays:

Memorial Day, Christmas Day, Labor Day, New Year's Days & Thanksgiving Day

Tractor Trailer Operator (1) 160 hr. Cost

Course Cost:

Tuition	\$ 4,910.00
Registration	\$ 10.00
Equipment Fees	\$ 75.00

Total Charges for a period of attendance	\$ 4,995.00
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This includes:

- a. 160 hours of training
- b. Assistance in gathering employment history information
- c. Opportunities to meet with recruiters for your career choice
- d. Individual tutoring if necessary

Mandatory Related Expenses: (All fees are subject to change without notice.)

DOT Physical	\$ 80.00
NIDA Drug Screen	\$ 60.00
Class A Permit	\$ 98.00
Hazmat Endorsement	\$ 86.50
Estimated total charges for entire program	\$ 5,319.50

Class is Monday-Friday 7:30am-4:15pm

Tractor Trailer Operator (2) Curriculum

6-week (240hrs.) Curriculum hours include:

Classroom: 30 Hours

- Orientation
- D.O.T. Rules & Regulations
- Logbooks
- Hours of Service
- Air Brakes / Pre-Trip Inspection
- Hazmat Endorsement
- ➢ Written Test (CDL)

Vehicle Inspections: 21 Hours

- Walk Around Inspection
- ➢ In-Cab Inspection
- Brake Adjustment

Drive Test Breakdown: 135 Hours

- > Shifting
- ➢ Lane Position
- ➢ Turns
- Railroad Crossings
- Speed Management
- Hazard Perception
- Braking Techniques

Skills Test Breakdown: 40 Hours

- Straight Line Backing
- > Alley Dock
- Parallel Parking
- ➢ Measured Stop

Hooking and Sliding: 14 Hours

- Truck Trailer Hook-up
- ➢ Fifth Wheel Slider
- ➢ Trailer Tandem Slider

TOTAL PROGRAM HOURS 240

Graduation Requirements:

The following requirements must be met for a student to earn 240hr Certificate of completion.

ACADEMIC

ACHIEVEMENT: 80% or higher in all academic classes

FEILD AND SKILLS
COMPETENCIES:

field and skills competencies must be achieved before the start of the students last week of their course

Tractor Trailer Operator (2) Dates of Training

State Date	Graduation Date	Start Date	Graduation Date
01/02/2024	02/12/2024	07/08/2024	08/16/2024
01/08/2024	02/16/2024	07/15/2024	08/23/2024
01/15/2024	02/23/2024	07/22/2024	08/30/2024
01/22/2024	03/01/2024	07/29/2024	09/09/2024
01/29/2024	03/08/2024	08/05/2024	09/16/2024
02/05/2024	03/15/2024	08/12/2024	09/23/2024
02/12/2024	03/22/2024	08/19/2024	09/30/2024
02/19/2024	03/29/2024	08/26/2024	10/07/2024
02/26/2024	04/05/2024	09/03/2024	10/14/2024
03/04/2024	04/12/2024	09/09/2024	10/18/2024
03/11/2024	04/19/2024	09/16/2024	10/25/2024
03/25/2024	04/26/2024	09/23/2024	11/01/2024
03/27/2024	05/03/2024	09/30/2024	11/08/2024
04/01/2024	05/10/2024	10/07/2024	11/15/2024
04/08/2024	05/17/2024	10/14/2024	11/22/2024
04/15/2024	05/24/2024	10/21/2024	12/02/2024
04/22/2024	05/31/2024	10/28/2024	12/09/2024
04/29/2024	06/10/2024	11/04/2024	12/16/2024
05/06/2024	06/17/2024	11/11/2024	12/23/2024
05/13/2024	06/24/2024	11/18/2024	12/30/2024
05/20/2024	07/01/2024	11/25/2024	01/08/2025
05/28/2024	07/08/2024	12/02/2024	01/14/2025
06/03/2024	07/12/2024	12/09/2024	01/21/2025
06/10/2024	07/19/2024	12/16/2024	01/28/2025
06/17/2024	07/26/2024	12/23/2024	02/04/2025
06/24/2024	08/02/2024	12/30/2024	02/10/2025
07/01/2024	08/09/2024	01/06/2025	02/14/2025

*Graduation dates are Approximate after clock hours are complete American Career Training observes the following holidays: Memorial Day, Christmas Day, Labor Day, New Year's Days & Thanksgiving Day

Tractor Trailer Operator (2) 240hr. Cost

Course Cost:

uition	\$ 7,210.00
egistration	\$ 10.00
quipment Fees	\$ 75.00
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Total Charges for a period of attendance	\$ 7,295.00
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This includes:

- a. 240 hours of training
- b. Assistance in gathering employment history information
- c. Opportunities to meet with recruiters for your career choice
- d. Individual tutoring if necessary

Mandatory Related Expenses: (All fees are subject to change without notice.)

DOT Physical	\$ 80.00
NIDA Drug Screen	\$ 60.00
Class A Permit	\$ 98.00
Hazmat Endorsement	\$ 86.50
Estimated total charges for entire program	\$ 7,619.50

Class is Monday-Friday 7:30am-4:15pm

Tractor Trailer Operator 30+

1-week (30+) Curriculum Hours include:

Classroom Theory: 10 hours

- D.O.T. Rules and Regulations
- Air Brakes and Pre-Trip tests
- Logbook Hours of Service

Vehicle Inspection and Skills Test Breakdown: 10 Hours

- Pre-Trip Inspection
- In Cab Inspection
- Walk Around Inspection
- Brake Adjustment
- > Alley Dock
- Straight Line Backing

Behind the Wheel: 10 Hours

- City Driving
- Mountain Driving
- Highway Driving

TOTAL PROGRAM HOURS 30

Graduation Requirements:

The following requirements must be met for a student to earn 30hr Certificate of completion.

> ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT: 80% or higher in all academic classes

FEILD AND SKILLS COMPETENCIES:

field and skills competencies must be achieved before the start of the students last week of their course

*If a student does not pass their DMV exam additional training may be required before a second attempt can be scheduled as a new Federal Final rule for "Entry Level Driver Training" requires the Training Provider to certify and maintain an 80% pass rate to remain on the Trainer Provider Registry. Additional training and quantity will be determined on a case-by-case basis according to an individual student abilities. If a student were to fail there DMV exam there is a retest fee of \$695.00 and additional time will be billed at a rate of \$125.00 an hour.

Tractor Trailer Operator 30+

Course Cost:

Tuition	\$ 3610.00
Registration	\$ 10.00
Equipment Fees	\$ 75.00
Total Charges for a period of attendance	\$ 3,695.00

Mandatory Related Expenses: (All fees are subject to change without notice.)

NIDA Drug Screen	\$ 60.00
STRF Fee	\$ 0.00
Estimated total charges for entire program	\$3,755.00

Retest Fee

\$695.00

*If a student does not pass their DMV exam additional training may be required before a second attempt can be scheduled as a new Federal Final rule for " Entry Level Driver Training" requires the Training Provider to certify and maintain an 80% pass rate to remain on the Trainer Provider Registry. Additional training and quantity will be determined on a case-by-case basis according to an individual student abilities. If a student were to fail there DMV exam there is a retest fee of \$695.00 and additional time will be billed at a rate of \$125.00 an hour.

Tractor Trailer Operator 30+

State Date	Graduation Date	Start Date	Graduation Date
01/02/2024	01/05/2024	07/08/2024	07/12/2024
01/08/2024	01/12/2024	07/15/2024	07/19/2024
01/15/2024	01/19/2024	07/22/2024	07/26/2024
01/22/2024	01/26/2024	07/29/2024	08/02/2024
01/29/2024	02/02/2024	08/05/2024	08/09/2024
02/05/2024	02/09/2024	08/12/2024	08/16/2024
02/12/2024	02/16/2024	08/19/2024	08/23/2024
02/19/2024	02/23/2024	08/26/2024	08/30/2024
02/26/2024	03/01/2024	09/03/2024	09/09/2024
03/04/2024	03/08/2024	09/09/2024	09/13/2024
03/11/2024	03/15/2024	09/16/2024	09/20/2024
03/25/2024	03/22/2024	09/23/2024	09/27/2024
03/27/2024	03/29/2024	09/30/2024	10/04/2024
04/01/2024	04/05/2024	10/07/2024	10/11/2024
04/08/2024	04/12/2024	10/14/2024	10/18/2024
04/15/2024	04/19/2024	10/21/2024	10/25/2024
04/22/2024	04/26/2024	10/28/2024	11/01/2024
04/29/2024	05/03/2024	11/04/2024	11/08/2024
05/06/2024	05/10/2024	11/11/2024	11/15/2024
05/13/2024	05/17/2024	11/18/2024	11/22/2024
05/20/2024	05/24/2024	11/25/2024	12/02/2024
05/28/2024	06/03/2024	12/02/2024	12/06/2024
06/03/2024	06/07/2024	12/09/2024	12/13/2024
06/10/2024	06/14/2024	12/16/2024	12/20/2024
06/17/2024	06/21/2024	12/23/2024	12/30/2024
06/24/2024	06/28/2024	12/30/2024	01/06/2025
07/01/2024	07/05/2024	01/06/2025	01/10/2025

*Graduation dates are Approximate after clock hours are complete American Career Training observes the following holidays: Memorial Day, Christmas Day, Labor Day, New Year's Days & Thanksgiving Day

Tractor Trailer Operator (Oil, Gas, Constru. /Heavy Equip. Training) II Curriculum

15-week (600hrs.) Curriculum hours include:

Classroom: 120 Hours

- > Orientation
- D.O.T. Rules & Regulations
- Logbooks
- Hours of Service
- Hazmat Endorsement
- Written Test (CDL)
 (CDL, Crane, Forklift, Digger Derek)
- Air Brakes / Pre-Trip Inspection

Vehicle Inspections: 58 Hours

- Walk Around Inspection, In-Cab Inspection
- Brake Adjustment
- ➢ Safety, Site Safety
- Equipment Set Up

Drive Test Breakdown: 300 Hours

- Shifting, Lane Position, Turns
- Railroad Crossings, Speed Management
- Hazard Perception, Braking Techniques
- Boom Truck, Crane, Digger Derek, Bucket Truck

Trailers/ General Skills: 122 Hours

- Straight Line Backing , Alley Dock, Parallel Parking
- Measured Stop
- Truck Trailer Hook-up Fifth Wheel
- Trailer Tandem Slider
- Fifth Wheel Slider
- Trailer Tandem Slider, Slider Pumps
- > Forklift

TOTAL PROGRAM HOURS 600

Graduation Requirements:

The following requirements must be met for a student to earn 600hr Certificate of completion.

> ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT: 80% or higher in all academic classes

FEILD AND SKILLS COMPETENCIES:

field and skills competencies must be achieved before the start of the students last week of their course

State Date	Graduation Date	Start Date	Graduation Date
01/02/2024	04/15/2024	07/08/2024	10/21/2024
01/08/2024	04/19/2024	07/15/2024	10/28/2024
01/15/2024	04/26/2024	07/22/2024	11/04/2024
01/22/2024	05/03/2024	07/29/2024	11/11/2024
01/29/2024	05/10/2024	08/05/2024	11/18/2024
02/05/2024	05/17/2024	08/12/2024	11/25/2024
02/12/2024	05/24/2024	08/19/2024	12/03/2024
02/19/2024	06/03/2024	08/26/2024	12/10/2024
02/26/2024	06/10/2024	09/03/2024	12/17/2024
03/04/2024	06/17/2024	09/09/2024	12/23/2024
03/11/2024	06/24/2024	09/16/2024	12/31/2024
03/25/2024	<mark>07/</mark> 01/2024	09/23/2024	01/08/2025
03/27/2024	07/08/2024	09/30/2024	01/15/2025
04/01/2024	07/15/2024	10/07/2024	01/22/2025
04/08/2024	07/22/2024	10/14/2024	01/28/2025
04/15/2024	07/29/2024	10/21/2024	02/05/2025
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04/29/2024	08/12/2024	11/04/2024	02/19/2025
05/06/2024	08/19/2024	11/11/2024	02/26/2025
05/13/2024	08/26/2024	11/18/2024	03/05/2025
05/20/2024	09/04/2024	11/25/2024	03/12/2025
05/28/2024	09/10/2024	12/02/2024	03/18/2025
06/03/2024	09/16/2024	12/09/2024	03/25/2025
06/10/2024	09/23/2024	12/16/2024	04/01/2025
06/17/2024	09/30/2024	12/23/2024	04/08/2025
06/24/2024	10/07/2024	12/30/2024	04/15/2025
07/01/2024	10/14/2024	01/06/2025	04/18/2025

Tractor Trailer Operator (Oil, Gas, Constru. /Heavy Equip. Training) II Dates of Training

*Graduation dates are Approximate after clock hours are complete American Career Training observes the following holidays: Memorial Day, Christmas Day, Labor Day, New Year's Days & Thanksgiving Day

Tractor Trailer Operator (Oil, Gas, Constru. /Heavy Equip. Training) II

Course Cost:

Tuition	\$ 19,910.00
Registration	\$ 10.00
Equipment Fees	\$ 75.00

\$ 19,995.00

Total Charges for a period of attendance

This includes:

- a. 600 hours of training
- b. Assistance in gathering employment history information
- c. Opportunities to meet with recruiters for your career choice
- d. Individual tutoring if necessary

Additional Cost: (All fees are subject to change without notice.)

DOT Physical	\$ 80.00
NIDA Drug Screen	\$ 60.00
Class A Permit	\$ 89.00
Hazmat Endorsement	\$ 86.50
STRF Fee	\$ 0.00
Estimated total charges for entire program	\$ 20,310.50

Extracurricular activities

Crane Operator Training \$ 1,995.00

Policies & Procedures

American Career Training maintains Student Policies & Procedures for the guidance of student services, health, and safety.

These Policies and Procedures are reviewed on a yearly basis by the staff of American Career Training.

Administrative Plans & Procedures

Recruitment Plan

Recruitment Policy

Our institution uses Television, Radio, and local free publications for Advertising. Catalogs and Brochures are distributed to One-Stop Centers and Vocational Rehabilitation Facilities throughout Northern California. We use web-based advertising companies to drive traffic to our company web page <u>www.americancareertraining.edu</u>

Recruitment Procedure

- KRCR creates and maintains our TV ads
- Results Radio and Redding Radio contracts run ads on various local radio stations
- Record Searchlight ads run periodically
- The Nickel and Wheels and Deals are local free publications that we advertise in periodically
- One-Stop Centers and Vocational Rehab Facilities are contacted to see when updated Catalogs and Brochures are needed
- Brand Rep and Unify link are used for web-based advertising

Pre-Screening Plan

Pre-Screening Policy

Students interested in entering training with our institution should apply for admission for acceptance to begin enrollment and ensure a start date.

NO PERSONS SHALL BE DENIED ADMISSION ON THE BASIS OF RACE, CREED, COLOR, SEX OR NATIONAL ORIGIN.

Pre-Screening Procedure

- Pre-Application questionnaire completed and reviewed
- Work history completed and reviewed
- 3-year driving records received and reviewed
- Tuition Assistance determined
- All Pre-requisites have been met
- If the applicant has any DUI convictions or more than three moving violations, he/she must meet with the Chief Administrator so that a determination, on an individual basis, can be made concerning the admittance into this training facility.
- Disclose any felony convictions
- Report any Worker's Compensation claims in the last three years, and any back or neck problems.
- Possess a California License, and a Class A Learner's permit, or an approved transfer of license application
- Be at least 18 (eighteen) years of age. The minimum age for interstate drivers is 21 (twenty-one).
- Pass a NIDA 5 (five) drug screen test. According to the U.S. Department of Transportation Regulation 382.103, 382.103 student drivers are required to test even though they may not yet possess a CDL.

Transferability of Credits

Transferability of Credits Policy

This institution has not/nor will enter into an articulation or transfer agreement with any other college or university. There are no transferable credits earned by completing this course nor are any credits acceptable towards education time when entering this course. The transferability of credits you earn at our institution is at the discretion of the

Admissions Requirements

institution which you may seek to transfer. Acceptance of the certificate you earn in one of our Tractor Trailer Operator Programs or in our Electrical Lineworker Program is also at the complete discretion of the institution to which you may seek to transfer. If the certificate that you earn at this institution is not accepted at the institution to which you seek to transfer, you may be required to repeat some or all of your coursework at that institution. For this reason, you should make certain that your attendance at this institution will meet your educational goals. This may include contacting an institution to which you may seek to transfer after attending our institution to determine if your certificate will transfer.

Transferability of Credits Procedure

- This policy is stated in our Course Catalog
- This policy is stated in our Enrollment Agreement which must be signed by the student
- This policy is reviewed with the student during the Enrollment process

NOTICE CONCERNING TRANSFERABILITY OF CREDITS AND CREDENTIALS EARNED AT OUR INSTITUTION*

The transferability of credits you earn at American Career Training is at the complete discretion of an institution to which you may seek to transfer. Acceptance of the certificate you earn in Tractor- Trailer Operator Program or the Electrical Lineman Program is also at the complete discretion of the institution to which you may seek to transfer. If the certificate that you earn at this institution is not accepted at the institution to which you seek to transfer, you may be required to repeat some or all your coursework at that institution. For this reason, you should make certain that your attendance at this institution will meet your educational goals. This may include contacting an institution to which you may seek to transfer attending American Career Training to determine if your certificate will transfer.

Enrollment Plan

Enrollment Policy

Students have read/reviewed and signed their enrollment agreement, fully understand it, have received a signed and executed copy of it and the School's catalog with course descriptions, refund policies, student services, placement assistance, equipment, supplies; and the Notice of Student Rights; and Graduation and Placement rates.

Senate Bill No. 607 (Min, Chapter 367, Statutes of 2021)

SB 607 makes several changes to Department of Consumer Affairs entities. Pertaining to the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education, SB 607 repealed Education Code section 94904, which required students without a high school diploma or the equivalent to successfully complete an examination prior to executing an enrollment agreement, amended section 94909 to eliminate the need to include specific admissions requirements for these students in school catalogs, and repealed section 94811 which defined "ability-to-benefit" (ATB) students.

Change

Permits students without a high school diploma or the equivalent to enroll in private postsecondary institutions without having to complete the admissions prerequisite of passing an alternate entrance examination.

Enrollment Procedure

- Contract written, reviewed, and signed
- Enrollment sheet updated
- Student File Created
 - o School Record Packet initiated

o Student Packet created

New Student Orientation

Pre-Trip Inspection and Introduction

- 1. Students are incorporated into the daily morning Pre-Trip Inspection.
- 2. They are first introduced to all of the instructors as well as students who have been enrolled in prior weeks.
- 3. The Pre-Trip Inspection performed by one of the instructors is their introduction to the Tractor Trailer Equipment that they will be trained on.

Classroom New Student Orientation

- 1. New Students are then taken to the classroom to complete their general paperwork
- 2. The below list of documents are reviewed in detail, signed, and turned into the Office Manager.
 - a) Enrollment Agreement and Installment Contract
 - b) Application for Placement Assistance
 - c) Consent to Share Records
 - d) Education Background Certification Form
 - e) Notice of Cancellation
 - f) Notice of Compliance

Classroom Training Presentation

- Health & Safety and Fire Prevention Video
- DOT Rules and Regulations/ Quiz
- Pre-Trip, Air Brake Quiz
- Logbook Briefing
- Pre-Trip Requirements Explained

Skills Presentation

• Straight Line backing test requirement is explained.

Scheduling Plan

- g) Notice of Student Rightsh) OTR Commitment
- i) Refund Calculations
- i) Refund Notice
- k) Relatives
- 1) Rules and Regulations
- m) Student Policies & Procedures
- n) Performance Fact Sheet
- Measured Stop requirement is reviewed.
- Measured Right Hand Turn is explained.
- Off-Set Left Backing is described.
- Parallel Parking requirements are explained.

Driving Presentation

- Shifting Procedures are explained.
- Lane Positioning is described.
- Turning radius importance.

Scheduling Policy

It is our policy to schedule the DMV Test appointments for all students. The school maintains a rotating schedule of recruiter presentations from various trucking companies. Student attendance records are maintained.

Scheduling Procedures

- DMV Appointments made
- Scheduling of student related appointments
- Scheduling of recruiter presentations
- Attendance records maintained

Progress Monitoring Plan

Progress Monitoring Policy

Our Assistant Director is responsible for ensuring this plan is followed. Student complaints are handled based on the Student Complaint Policy in our catalog, which is reviewed and given to the student upon enrollment. The Assistant Director provide counseling. It is the policy of our institution to ensure that all students have access to tutoring and counseling as needed in order to successfully complete their course.

Progress Monitoring Procedures

- Student counseling scheduled when necessary
- Student Counseling Form completed based on the area that the student needs to be counseled on:
 - o Grades
 - Absences
 - Tardiness
 - o Cleanliness
- Tutoring scheduled when necessary
- Student Complaint Handling process is followed

- Professionally dressed
- Student interaction issues
- o Non-Payment
- o Financial difficulties

Student Complaint Plan

Student Complaint Policy

It is our institutions goal to provide a fun, positive and safe learning environment. If a student has a complaint that needs to be addressed, we advise them to discuss it with their instructor first. When an issue is unable to be resolved by the instructor or Lead Instructor it is brought to the Assistant Director for resolution. When no resolution is found by the Assistant Director the responsibility for resolving the student complaint lies with the Chief Administrator.

Students may post any grievance by submitting their complaint in writing to the Chief Administrator. Each complaint shall be reviewed and evaluated on an individual basis. If the complaint cannot be resolved to the student's satisfaction, they have the option of contacting the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education or the Council on Occupational Education.

A student or any member of the public may file a complaint about this institution with the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education by calling 1-888-370-7589 or by completing a complaint form, which can be obtained on the bureau's Internet Web site at <u>www.bppe.ca.gov</u>

A student or any member of the public may file a complaint about this institution with their national accreditation agency at:

Council on Occupational Education 7840 Roswell Road, Suite 325 Atlanta, GA 30350 Phone: (800) 917-2081 / Fax: (770) 396-3790 www.Council.org

Student Complaint Procedures

• Student Complaint to an Instructor:

The Instructor attempts to resolve the complaint with the student first. If the complaint cannot be resolved the Instructor must explain the complaint to the Lead Instructor. The Lead Instructor attempts to resolve the situation either by separation or communication

between both the student and instructor. If the issue cannot be resolved, the Lead Instructor will take the complaint to the Assistant Director. All safety sensitive issues must be documented prior to being brought to the Chief Administrator's attention.

- Student Complaint unresolved by the Lead Instructor: The Lead Instructor must explain the complaint to Assistant Director. The Assistant Director attempts to resolve the situation either by separation or communication with the student or student sponsor. If the issue cannot be resolved, the Assistant Director takes the complaint to the Chief Administrator
- Student Complaint unresolved by the Assistant Director: Any complaint that the Assistant Director is unable to resolve is taken to the Chief Administrator for resolution. All safety sensitive issues must be documented prior to being brought to the Chief administrator's attention.
- Student Complaints brought to the Chief Administrator:

The Chief Administrator is responsible for resolution of all issues. All student safety related issues are documented and filed in the student file. A Complaints and Grievances file is maintained in the main office for review and accuracy.

Student Refund Plan

Student Refund Policy

You have the right to cancel this agreement for educational service, any equipment or other goods and services, until midnight of the Seventh day after the first class you attended. Cancellation occurs when you give written notice of cancellation at ACT address shown on the front page of this Agreement. You can do this by mail, in person, by FAX or telegram. The notice of cancellation, if mailed, is effective when deposited in the mail, properly addressed with postage prepaid. This notice need not take any particular form; it needs only to state you wish to cancel the agreement. You will be given two notices of cancellation forms on the first day of class. If you cancel this agreement, ACT will refund any money that you paid within 30 days after your notice is received. If ACT has given you any equipment, you shall return any unused equipment to ACT within 30 days following the date of your notice of cancellation. If you fail to return this equipment in good condition within the 30-day period, ACT may retain that portion of the payment paid by you and deduct the cost from any refund that may be due to you. Once you pay for the equipment, it is yours to keep it without further obligation. Together the OSHA ET&D course and the CPR/First Aid course cost \$500.00. In the event that you cancel ACT after taking the class, you will be charged \$500.00 a NON-REFUNDABLE fee. A student's first day of class is marked by the distribution of tools and equipment purchased by ACT. The fee is \$ 2,800.00. After the cancellation period the \$ 2,800.00 tools and equipment is NON-REFUNDABLE. In the event that you choose to cancel school after receiving your tools, you will be charged \$ 2,800.00.

You have the right to withdraw from School at any time. If you withdraw from the course of instruction after the cancellation period as in Par 1, School will remit a refund less a registration fee. The total costs or \$75.00 within 30 days following your withdrawal. You are obligated to pay only for educational services rendered and unreturned equipment. The refund shall be the amount you paid for instruction which you have not received but for which you have paid, the denominator of which is the total number of hours of instruction for which you have paid. If you obtain equipment, as specified on the front page of this agreement, and return it in good condition within 30 days following the date of your withdrawal, ACT may retain lesser amount of a pro-rata portion as described below (up to 60% of course completion) or the documented cost of the listed equipment. You are liable for the amount, if any, by which (the pro rata or documented cost) for equipment exceeds the refund amount. When the amount that you owe is more than the amount that you paid then you will have to make arrangements to pay it.

If the student has obtained a loan to pay for this program, the student will have the responsibility to repay the full amount of the loan plus interest, less the amount of any refund.

HYPOTHETICAL REFUND EXAMPLE: Assume that a student, upon enrollment in a 400-hour course, pays \$2,000.00 for tuition,\$10.00 for registration, and \$150.00, documented cost to school for equipment as specified in the enrollment agreement and withdraws after completing 100 hours without returning the equipment he/she obtained. The pro rata refund to the student would be \$1,500 based on the calculation stated below. If the student returns the equipment in good condition within 30 days following his/her withdrawal, the school shall refund the charge for the equipment paid for by the student.

\$2,225.00 Total Paid	-	\$75.00 registration fee (the amount the school will retain)		\$2,150.00
\$2,150.00 Total Paid	-	\$150 (documented cost of unreturned equipment)	I	\$2,000.00
\$2,000.00	/	400-hour program	=	\$5.00 hourly charge for the program

\$5.00	Х	100 hours on instruction attended		\$500 owed by the student for instruction received
\$2,000.00	-	\$500.00	=	\$1,500.00 total refund amount

For the purpose of determining the amount you owe, you shall be deemed to have withdrawn from the course when any of the following occurs: (a) You notify ACT of your withdrawal or the actual date of withdrawal; (b) ACT terminates your enrollment; (c) You fail to attend classes for a three-week period (d) You fail to return from a leave of absence. In this case, the date of withdrawal shall be deemed to be the last date of recorded attendance. If any portion of your tuition was paid from loan proceeds, the refund will be sent to the lender or agency that guaranteed the loan. Any remaining refund amount will first be used to repay any student financial aid programs from which you received benefits, to the extent of benefits received. Any remaining amount will be paid to you. If there is a balance due, you will be responsible to pay that amount. When tuition or fees are collected in advance for a student and the student never starts school, all funds collected are refunded to the student.

Student Refund Procedures

- The Assistant Director receives a Notice of Cancellation from a student OR it is determined that the student will no longer be attending school
- The Chief administrator is notified and refunds the appropriate amount owed to the student
- Notice of Cancellation is filed in the students file
- The students file is flagged that this person has withdrawn
- STRF spreadsheet is updated showing that this student has withdrawn from the course

Transferring Between Programs Plan

Transferring Between Programs Policy

It is our policy if any student cannot complete the program within the program time they signed up for (i.e., 160) and need further training they are transferred to a longer program (i.e., 240) and are trained until they have the skills necessary to become an entry level driver.

On occasion a student enrolled in a longer course has the ability to complete the shorter course and desires to transfer down. We allow this to occur with counseling of the student by our Assistant Director and in agreement with the Lead Instructor.

Transferring Between Programs Procedures

- During Progress Monitoring if the Assistant Director finds that the student needs additional training, he discusses the transfer to a longer course.
- If the student is sponsored by a funding agency their counselor is contacted about transferring to a longer program to see if additional funds are available.
- A new contract has to be written and signed
- The STRF tracking spreadsheet is updated for the new program
- The Student Sign-Up sheet is updated
- New DMV Drive test is scheduled

Graduation Process Plan

Graduation Process Policy

All Certificates and Final Transcript hard copies are maintained for 5 years. Electronic student file records are maintained on a permanent basis on and off campus in a fireproof safe. These documents are also given to the

student upon completion of the course during the Graduation Packet presentation. A Graduation Exit interview ensures that all student evaluation forms have been completed and any further comment that the student has is recorded.

Graduation Process Procedures

- Student File reviewed for completion
- Contact information is updated.
- Create Certificates
- Print Final Transcript
- Put Graduation Packet together
- Copy and file the new license
- Ensure the student has had the opportunity to complete all of the evaluation forms for

each aspect of the program and staff involvement

- Document any additional student comments made during the exit interview
- Scan student file for electronic preservation
- Update STRF spreadsheet with Completion and Licensure data

Placement Plan

Placement Policy

ACT offers Job Placement assistance to any graduate. The Office Manager is responsible for all placement activities.

Placement Procedures

- Recruiter contact made with the company of choice in the week prior to graduation
- Schedule orientation with company of choice
- Arrange for transportation to orientation if necessary
- Orientation Follow-Up calls made to ensure orientation was completed
- Date Placed, Placement Employer and Salary Data is recorded in our STRF spreadsheet which is used for annual reporting purposes
- Future job placement assistance when necessary

Follow-Up Plan

Follow-Up Policy

It is the responsibility of the student to provide ACT with a copy of their paystub as proof of employment. Students can send this proof via Email, Fax, Text, US mail, or in person. Employers and recruiters are contacted to get up to date feedback as well as salary data. Follow-up feedback is recorded for each graduate and used for the annual reporting of our school's performance. Annual reporting is reviewed by our staff, perspective students and BPPE to insure the effectiveness of our programs. Ensure that we meet COE benchmarks for annual reporting.

Follow-Up Procedures

- Graduates Send Proofs (Paystubs) via Email, Fax, Text, US Mail, or in person.
- This data: Date of employment, Placement Employer and Salary Data is updated in our STRF spreadsheet which is used for annual reporting purposes
- The Student File is updated with the employer data and salary data.
- Placement is reviewed quarterly. In the event a graduate is found to be not in compliance, every attempt will be made to reach that graduate based of the placement contact sheet in the students file. Placement contact sheets are updated just prior to graduation
- Student Evaluation Feedback
 - Student Evaluation are gathered during each aspect of training

- These are kept in a Student Evaluation file in the main office
- The Assistant Director presents the student evaluation results to staff to improve on training strategy.
- Potential Employer Feedback
 - o Annually potential employers must review our curriculum for effectiveness
 - This is recorded on the Employer Program Verification Forms, which are downloaded directly from the COE website at the time of evaluation.
 - These are filed in the COE file cabinet
- Faculty Feedback
 - Instructors attend Recruiter presentations in order to get feedback from each company.
 - Results are shared with faculty.
 - o Outcomes are implemented when possible
- Annual Faculty meeting to share current Performance Fact Sheets

Student Record Management Plan

Student Record Maintenance

Our Student File has 3 parts, School Record Packet, Student Packet and Progress Report and Grade Packet. These packets are maintained as follows:

School Record Packet:

- The initial file is created by the Office Manager when orientation is completed.
- This folder is populated with the information on the School Record Packet checklist during the course of the students program.
- This packet is also updated with Placement information.

Student Packet:

- Created by the Office manager when a student's enrollment documents are signed after their orientation was completed.
- This folder's contents should be complete by the time the student's orientation has finished.
- The Student Packet checklist is reviewed for completion.

Progress Report and Grade Packet:

- The Lead Instructor maintains a Progress Report and Grade packet for each student as they work through the classroom activities.
- The Driving/Skills Instructor assigned to the student maintains daily grade sheets and attendance records.
- Upon completion of the course and passing of their DMV drive test the instructor-maintained grade sheets and attendance records are placed into the student file.

Security of Student Records:

Current Student Files are maintained in a fireproof filing cabinet in the main office for the period of the current year and one year prior. The Assistant Director Office Manager and Chief Administrator are the only staff members that have access to the student files. These files are maintained for a minimum of five years. They are disposed of by a professional document shredding company. Electronic copies of student files are kept permanently on a USB drive in a locked fireproof box, on our main Computer, as well as on the cloud.

Student File Access:

When a student needs access to their file they must make an appointment with the Office Manager. The Office Manager pulls their file for the student to access whatever document they want to review with the supervision of the Assistant Director If the student needs to take any of the information in the file with them, then the Office Manager make a copy. The student signs the Consent to Share Records form so that his file can be shared with the selected entities designated by the student

Attendance Policies/ Probation & Dismissal Policies

Absences * are a disruption to a good learning environment and are discouraged. American Career Training operated on a weekly schedule and each day is scheduled to provide the optimum training opportunity. Daily attendance not only ensures quality training but also assists in providing potential employers with a record of our students' dedication to the training. Students are required to call the school if they are going to be absent. Attendance is required and students are expected to attend all scheduled class times. Students must arrange with the instructor for makeup work and time for classes missed. However, absences will remain on the student record.

If a student has 3 absences, he will have to meet with the Assistant Director for program review. If a student has incurred 5 absences, students will be reviewed for termination. If student has a hardship beyond their control examples (physical impairment, illness, or family tragedy.) the student can request a hardship withdrawal in writing, submitted to the Chief Administrator. If approved student may re-enroll within 90 days.

TARDINESS POLICY * Students are expected to attend all scheduled classes at the scheduled starting time and to continue as scheduled throughout the day. Students are required to call if they expect to be late for their scheduled classes, as it would be necessary to inform an employer.

- Students who are 15 minutes late or less will be recorded as tardy & sent to the office for a late slip
- Students who are 15 minutes late or more will be marked absent
- ➢ 3 Tardies will be recorded as one absent
- Students who leave 15 minutes early or more, will be marked as tardy for the

TERMINATION*

- Any student who violates our Policies and Procedures
- Stealing or purposely destroying property that belongs to ACT
- > Stealing or purposely destroying property that belongs other students or employees of ACT
- Use or possession of ANY drugs or alcohol while on ACT campus
- Use of tobacco products including; vape, cigarettes, and or chewing while in an academic setting. There is a designated smoking area where these actions can take place
- > Any behavior that may interrupt class being taught, behavior on or off ACT that negatively affect ACT.
- Any discrimination, disrespect or inappropriateness towards any ACT employee or student.
- Lack of personal hygiene
- Poor grades or lack of attendance.
- > Any Vulgar language directed towards an ACT employee or student

STUDENT RE-ENRTY PLAN*

If a student is terminated/ dropped /withdrawn from training student will need to meet with the Assistant Director and the Chief Administrator for evaluation to determine if student are eligible for re-entry. If student is eligible for re-entry they must;

- Submit a new application
- Meet with the admissions office to move forward

LEAVE OF ABSENCE POLICY * There might be, due to physical or personal problems, a need to interrupt a student's training program. This is allowed with authorization from the student's vocational rehabilitation counselor and the American Career Training Chief Administrator. The student must reschedule his/her return, in writing, to insure the availability of space and equipment. The American Career Training Chief Administrator has the final decision on the rescheduling of training.

DRESS CODE AND CONDUCT* Casual dress is acceptable. Students are expected to dress appropriately for the trade and meet industry (employer) standards for grooming.

American Career Training students are expected to have regular attendance, be punctual, to complete assignments, participate in the classroom, and be respectful of fellow students completing skills exercises or over the road driving.

Students are expected to conduct themselves in a professional manner as will be required when they are employed. A student may be dismissed from school for disrespectful behavior, or for creating a safety hazard to other students, administrators, or staff

SUBSTANCE ABUSE * American Career Training will not tolerate the use of alcohol or drugs on the premises. If an employee is under the influence of either substance while on the school premises, he/she is subject to immediate dismissal. If a student comes to school under the influence of either substance, he/she will be asked to leave. If another agency is involved, that agency will be notified. Substance abuse among students will be dealt with in a proper and legal manner.

GRADING* Evaluation for a letter grade will be made through the American Career Training students' achievement in relation to the obtainment of specific objectives of the training course. The student grades are recorded in a permanent file with copies provided to agencies as agreed with a 'consent to share' release on file.

LETTER GRADE	PERCENTAGE %	ACADEMNIC ACHIEVEMENT
А	100-90	Excellent
В	89-80	Highly Satisfactory
С	79-70	Satisfactory
D	69-60	Minimal Achievement
F	59-0	Below Standard
"I"	Incomplete Only granted after consolation with the Chief Administrator	

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT* Skills development is graded daily and a letter grade from 'A' to 'D' is assigned to each student's performance. This determination is a combination of industry standards and comparative student performance. All students must attend all classes complete all assignments and exams with a (60%) or greater. Any grade lower than (60%) in any area will result in student counseling and tutoring until a passing grade has been achieved. Student transcripts are electronically filed and maintained on a permanent basis. American Career Training requires students to maintain satisfactory progress to continue as a student in good standing. All assignments such as; pre-trip worksheets, daily logs, and driving skills will be assessed daily. Any students not achieving a satisfactory level will be scheduled for individual tutoring.

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION* A "Certification of Completion" will be awarded each student upon the satisfactory completion of the program requirements and the recommendations of the faculty that the student is sufficiently knowledgeable for entry-level employment.

The student will obtain a CDL license upon successful completion of the DMV license exam at the completion of training.

Licensure requirements for CA DMV: Complete CDL exam, and skills testing at DMV. Provide current Driver's license and Social Security, provide 4 proofs of citizenship birth certificate/passport, 2 proofs of residency,

rental/lease agreement, mortgage bill, utility bill, employment document, tax return.(for other acceptable documents please contact DMV at dmv.ca.gov or 1-800-777-0133.

Health & Safety Plan and Procedure

Medical Emergencies: For all medical emergencies dial 911

Health & Safety Policy: It is the policy of American Career Training to create and maintain a safe and healthful workplace free from recognized hazards that may cause harm to students, visitors, faculty, or employees.

Sickness Policy: In case a student or employee becomes sick or ill at our institution we refer them to a doctor or a medical clinic.

Accident Policy and Procedure:

Facility Related: All injuries are immediately reported to their current instructor. The instructor determines the seriousness of the injury. When the accident is major or life threatening the instructor will call 911 immediately. When minor medical assistance is needed, they are referred to a doctor or taken to a medical facility. For minor cuts and bruises first aid kits are available.

Driving Related: All injuries are immediately reported to their current instructor. The instructor determines the seriousness of the injury or accident. When the accident is major or life threatening the instructor will call 911 immediately and secure the scene. The scene is secured in order to prevent other accidents from occurring. Three reflective triangles are used to block off the accident area. The instructor contacts the Assistant Director to report the accident. For minor cuts and bruises first-aid kits are available in the vehicle.

Accident Reporting and Investigation: An Accident Report form is completed and given to the Assistant Director or Chief Administrator. The report form will describe the nature and details of the accident. The Chief Administrator and Assistant Director review the report and investigate how and why this accident happened. If steps could be taken to prevent it, they will be implemented.

First Aid Equipment: There is a first aid kit in the main office, classroom, instructor office and one in each tractor that is used for instructional purposes. These first aid kits are inspected every 90 days.

Fire Extinguisher: There is a fire extinguisher located in the main office, two located in the shopping area and one located in each tractor. Fire extinguishers are serviced annually by Safety Fire Protection Company and inspected by the Fire Marshal.

Emergency Evacuation plan: In case of emergency know the facility, layout and proceed to the nearest exit. Exit the building in a safe manner. In case of flood exit the building and head north (back of the building) and proceed up the hill.

Personal Protective/Safety Equipment: If deemed necessary hard hats and safety glasses may be required to do a function if so, they will be provided by the institution.

Safety meeting: Weekly tailboard style meetings are arranged to discuss safety issues as well as student outcomes. Safety sensitive concerns are reported to the Chief Administrator for resolution.

Hazard Assessment and reduction: To maintain a safe workplace faculty and staff are required to inspect work areas and identify any unsafe conditions. If unsafe conditions exist corrective action must be taken immediately. Notify the Assistant Director and document the unsafe condition so it will not occur again. All work areas are to be kept clean.

General Rules: Appropriate clothes and shoes must be worn when adjusting brakes, working on vehicles or any safety sensitive function(s).

Reporting and Resolving Safety Issues: Employees and students are encouraged to report safety concerns to the Assistant Director. If the Assistant Director is not available or cannot resolve the issue contact the Chief Administrator.

Notice of Student's Rights to Cancel

STUDENT'S RIGHTS TO CANCEL

- 4. You have the right to cancel this agreement and obtain a refund of charges paid through attendance at the first-class session or the seventh day after enrollment, whichever is later. Cancellation occurs when you give written notice of cancellation at School address shown on the front page of this Agreement. You can do this by mail, in person, or by FAX. The notice of cancellation, if mailed, is effective when deposited in the mail, properly addressed with postage prepaid. This notice need not take any particular form, it needs only to state you wish to cancel the agreement. You will be given two notices of cancellation forms on the first day of class. If you cancel this agreement, School will refund any money that you paid within 30 days after your notice is received. Notice of cancellation must be received no later than _/_/____ before midnight.
- 5. If School has given you any equipment, you shall return it to School within 30 days following the date of your notice of cancellation.
- 6. If the student has received federal student financial aid funds, the student is entitled to a refund of moneys not paid from federal student financial aid program funds. Institutions shall refund 100 percent of the amount paid for institutional charges, less a reasonable deposit or application fee not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars (\$250), if notice of cancellation is made through attendance at the first-class session, or the seventh day after enrollment, whichever is later.

Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education,

1747 N. Market Blvd. Ste. 225, Sacramento, CA. 95834, PO Box 980818, West Sacramento, CA 95798-0818, Phone (916) 574-8900, Fax (916) 263-1897, www.BPPE.org

REIMBURSEMENT TO VETERNS AND ELIGIBLE PERSONS.

- 7. For information or resolution of specific payment problems, the veteran should call the VA nationwide toll-free number at 1-800-827-1000.
- 8. Students may post any grievance by submitting their complaint in writing to the Chief Administrator. Each complaint shall be reviewed and evaluated on an individual basis. A student or any member of the public may file a complaint about this institution with the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education by calling [888] 370-7589 toll free or by

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completing a complaint form, which can be obtained on the bureau's web site <u>www.bppe.ca.gov</u>.

- 9. A student or any member of the public may file a complaint about this institution with the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education by calling I-888-370-7589 or by completing a complaint form, which can be obtained on the Bureau's Internet Web site at <u>www.bppe.ca.gov</u> OR
- 10.Council on Occupational Education, 7840 Roswell Road, Suite 325, Atlanta, GA 30350, Phone: (800) 917-2081 Fax: (770) 396-3790, www.Council.org
- 11.American Career Training shall maintain student records for each student, whether or not the student completes the education service, for a period ending not less than five years after the date of the student's graduation, withdrawal, or termination.

Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF)

5 CCR 76215 (b). Student Tuition Recovery Fund Disclosures.

(a)A qualifying institution shall include the following statement on both its enrollment agreement and school catalog: "The State of California established the Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF) to relieve or mitigate economic loss suffered by a student in an educational program at a qualifying institution, who is or was a California resident while enrolled, or was enrolled in a residency program, if the student enrolled in the institution, prepaid tuition, and suffered an economic loss. Unless relieved of the obligation to do so, you must pay the state-imposed assessment for the STRF, or it must be paid on your behalf, if you are a student in an educational program, who is a California resident, or are enrolled in a residency program, and prepay all or part of your tuition. You are not eligible for protection from the STRF and you are not required to pay the STRF assessment, if you are not a California resident, or are not enrolled in a residency program."

(b)In addition to the statement required under subdivision (a) of this section, a qualifying institution shall include the following statement in its school catalog: "It is important that you keep copies of your enrollment agreement, financial aid documents, receipts, or any other information that documents the amount paid to the school. Questions regarding the STRF may be directed to the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education, 1747 North Market Blvd., Suite 225, Sacramento, California, 95834, (916) 574-8900 or (888) 370-7589.

To be eligible for STRF, you must be a California resident or enrolled in a residency program, prepaid tuition, paid or deemed to have paid the STRF assessment, and suffered an economic loss as a result of any of the following:

1. The institution, a location of the institution, or an educational program offered by the institution was closed or discontinued, and you did not choose to participate in a teachout plan approved by the Bureau or did not complete a chosen teach-out plan approved by the Bureau.

2. You were enrolled at an institution or a location of the institution within the 120-day period before the closure of the institution or location of the institution or were enrolled in an educational program within the 120-day period before the program was discontinued.

3.You were enrolled at an institution or a location of the institution more than 120 days before the closure of the institution or location of the institution, in an educational program offered by the institution as to which the Bureau determined there was a significant decline in the quality or value of the program more than 120 days before closure.

4. The institution has been ordered to pay a refund by the Bureau but has failed to do so.

5. The institution has failed to pay or reimburse loan proceeds under a federal student loan program as required by law or has failed to pay or reimburse proceeds received by the institution in excess of tuition and other costs.

6. You have been awarded restitution, a refund, or other monetary award by an arbitrator or court, based on a violation of this chapter by an institution or representative of an institution, but have been unable to collect the award from the institution.

7.You sought legal counsel that resulted in the cancellation of one or more of your student loans and have an invoice for services rendered and evidence of the cancellation of the student loan or loans. To qualify for STRF reimbursement, the application must be received within four (4) years from the date of the action or event that made the student eligible for recovery from STRF.

A student whose loan is revived by a loan holder or debt collector after a period of noncollection may, at any time, file a written application for recovery from STRF for the debt that would have otherwise been eligible for recovery. If it has been more than four (4) years since the action or event that made the student eligible, the student must have filed a written application for recovery within the original four (4) year period, unless the period has been extended by another act of law. However, no claim can be paid to any student without a social security number or a taxpayer identification number.

Sexual Harassment

American Career Training must provide a workplace and school that is free of harassment, whether it is intentional or unintentional. Employees and students will be free of harassment on the basis of race, color, religious affiliation, national origin, ancestry, physical handicap, medical condition, marital status, sex, or age.

Harassment on the campus is illegal no matter what its form. Innocently intended remarks or uninvited touching can be seen as harassment. If this institution knows of conduct to be harassment, we will take immediate and appropriate corrective action.

Harassment includes, among other things, verbal, physical, sexual, or visual harassment. Sexual harassment includes conditioning, a promotion, or benefits from sexual favors.

Students and staff members are required to report to management any pertinent information in regard to possible harassment.

Dismissal of both the student and staff can result if allegations of harassment if proven to be true. If student is dismissed for sexual harassment, the student is not eligible for re-entry.

Accessibility to Handicapped Individuals

American Career Training encourages all individuals to visit the school to determine if the facilities are adequate for their needs and/or if the training offered would be beneficial for them. All prospective students must be able to meet the medical and/or physical requirements of the Department of Transportation for Class A driver.

Language Policy

Only professional language can be used. No vulgar or suggestive language will be tolerated.

Pet Policy

No animal of any kind is permitted on the campus or in any vehicle owned by American Career Training, LLC.

Age Requirement Policy

No person under the age of 18 (eighteen) is allowed alone on the campus or in any vehicle owned by American Career Training, LLC. Any person under the age of 18 (eighteen) must be under the supervision of an ACT Staff member at all times.

American Career Training observes the following holidays: Memorial Day, Christmas Day, Labor Day, New Year's Days & Thanksgiving Day

Catalog Notice about Office of Student Assistance and Relief. Pursuant to CEC section 94909(a)(3)(D), The Office of Student Assistance and Relief is available to support prospective students, current students, or past students of private postsecondary educational institutions in making informed decisions, understanding their rights, and navigating available services and relief options. The office may be reached by calling (888) 370-7589, option #5, or by visiting osar.bppe.ca.gov. Training Equipment

Digger Derrick



Altec Double Bucket, Bucket Truck AM-A55





Late Model 6-speed with a 24' flatbed



International 10-speed with a 45' trailer



13 Speed crane



American Career Training, LLC

Staff Members



Roger Smith Owner/ Chief Administrator



Jared Tilley Assistant Director Sativa Ogram Office Manager





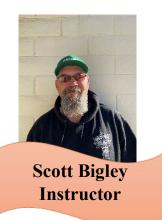
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