

# Workforce Training Department PROFESSIONAL DRIVING ACADEMY

A Member of The Texas State University System



This program is dedicated to the concept of quality training at affordable rates for the citizens of Southeast Texas.

#### ADVANCED 60-HOUR REFRESHER COURSE

Coordinator: Marlon Hartman, 409-839-2942

CVOP 2033, Commercial Driver's License Advanced Refresher Course (60 clock hours) \$1,000\*

\*Tuition is subject to change without prior notice

## Course Information:

This course is available to individuals who currently possess a *valid* Class "A" or "B" Commercial Driver's License (CDL), and have <u>past experience</u> but *lack recent experience* driving commercial vehicles. This course is specifically designed to verify that he or she is capable of performing as a professional truck driver.

Upon successful completion of the course, the student will be issued a *Certificate of Completion*. If the student does not complete the entire course or cannot perform the maneuvers safely or at the level we feel is satisfactory, the student will be advised to repeat the entire course or consider enrolling in the 250 hour Truck Driving Program offered at LIT. The course involves both classroom and hands-on training in advanced operating practices, vehicle maintenance and non-vehicle activities.

For more information, please call Marlon Hartman, Instructor/Coordinator at (409) 839-2942, 880-8114 or 866-872-4682.

#### Admission Requirements:

- Be at least 21 years old
- Possess a current Class "A" Commercial Drivers License (CDL)
- Possess a Current Medical Examiner's Certificate
- Must have past experience driving Tractor/Trailer or Combination Vehicles

#### **Enrollment Procedure and Tuition:**

- 1. Complete the application.
- 2. Be interviewed by an Academy representative. You may be interviewed at the time you pick up the application or, if the application was mailed, you will need to call and schedule an appointment.
- 3. At the time of the interview you will need to bring:
  - Completed application
  - Current Class "A" Commercial Drivers License (CDL)
- Social Security Card
- Current Medical Examiner's Certificate
- 4. An applicant's dates for the course cannot be guaranteed until the tuition is paid in full.
- The class dates and times depend on the availability of Instructors and equipment.
- 6. Tuition fees: \$1,000

Payment to be made by check (payable to Lamar Institute of Technology) money order, credit card, or Letter of Intent from a current/prospective employer.

#### REMEMBER, FIRST COME - FIRST SERVE

## **Course Description:**

Classroom 30 hoursBehind-The-Wheel 30 hours

## **Items List for Fist Day of Class:**

#### Please bring:

- Current Class "A" Commercial Drivers License (CDL)
- Social Security Card
- Current Medical Examiner's Certificate
- Eye glasses, if you are required to wear them

## YOU WILL BE ASKED TO PRESENT THESE ITEMS DAILY BEFORE EACH CLASS DAY BEGINS

## Grants, Student Loans and/or Payment Plans Policy:

The LIT-Professional Truck Driving Academy does not accept grants, student loans or payment plans for the **\$1,000** tuition fee.

There are some agencies in the Golden Triangle that have been sponsoring students that <u>meet their requirements</u> after going through their interview and paperwork process. You may contact the following agencies for more information:

Phone: (409) 332-7428

adia.smith@twc.state.tx.us

#### Texas Department of Assistive & Rehabilitative Services (DARS)

Beaumont: 5550 Eastex Freeway, Suite D, Beaumont, TX 77708 Phone: (409) 898-3988 Port Arthur: 5860 9<sup>Th</sup> Avenue, Suite C, Port Arthur, TX 77642 Phone: (409) 962-8984

#### **Texas Workforce Solutions (TWS)**

 Beaumont:
 304 Pearl Street, Beaumont, TX 77701-2411
 Phone: (409) 839-8045

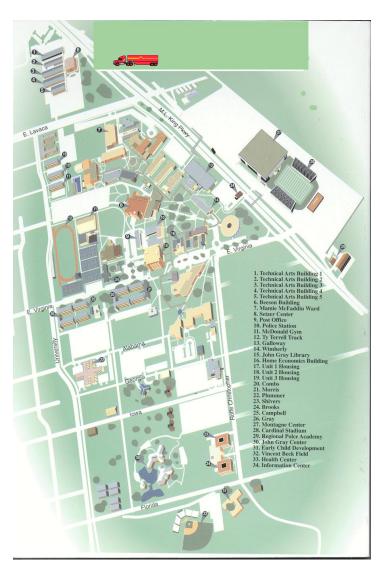
 Port Arthur:
 3901 N Twin City Hwy, Port Arthur, TX 77642-2118
 Phone: (409) 962-1236

 Orange:
 320 Green Ave, Orange, TX 77630-5875
 Phone: (409) 882-0302

 Silsbee:
 1205 Highway 327 E, Silsbee, TX 77656-6007
 Phone: (409) 385-9644

#### **Veterans**

Contact Adia Smith, Veterans Resource & Referral Specialist 3901 N Twin City Hwy, Port Arthur, TX 77642



#### **Physical address:**

4075 Martin Luther King Beaumont, TX 77705

### **DRIVING DIRECTIONS:**

From I-10 (East or West): Take MLK exit of I-10; continue on MLK to the Lamar University/East Virginia exit; turn left on Lavaca; turn left to service road; drive 100 yds. approx.; turn right to the parking lot next to warehouses.

From South (Nederland, Port Arthur, etc.): Take Hwy. 69 North to Lamar University-Downtown exit; take the East Lavaca/Lamar University exit; stay on service road and through second intersection; turn right to the parking lot next to warehouses.

**Alternate:** Twin City Hwy. to MLK, then Lamar exit, as above.

# Refund Policy:

Students who withdraw from the course **before the first day** of class will receive a full tuition refund (\$1,000). After the first day, **no refunds will be given**.

#### Placement Assistance:

- Placement assistance is not provided for the Refresher Course, although we will provide your prospective employer with dates, grades, and general information that will assist them in their hiring process.
- This Refresher Course is **NO GUARANTEE OF EMPLOYMENT**.

I have read and understood the <u>admission requirements and refund policy</u> of the Lamar Institute of Technology Professional Driving Academy **Refresher Course**.

I have read and understood that the Lamar Institute of Technology Professional Driving Academy will not be responsible for any employment rejections due to my past driving record, including felonies, driving under the influence, driving while intoxicated, drug convictions, or citations.

Signature	Date

An equal opportunity/affirmative action educational institution that does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.

# CONTINUING EDUCATION ENROLLMENT FORM

The following information is **REQUIRED** by the **STATE OF TEXAS** and will be kept **confidential** and **secure** at all times.

Certificate of Completion will be may be denied due to failure to provide complete information.

PLEASE PRINT:					Date:		
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E-Mail A	ddress:						
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City		Sta	ite	Zip			
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	Are you economic	cally disadvantage	d?				
	Do you have disa	bilities?					
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	Are you a displace	ed homemaker?					
	Are you a single p	parent?					
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