

Heavy Equipment Operations



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TRANSPORTATION, DISTRIBUTION & LOGISTICS

HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATIONS TECHNICIAN 1200 HOURS

Program # T440200
2020 CIP# 490202

40 Weeks

PELL ELIGIBLE
CAREERSOURCE ELIGIBLE

DESCRIPTION:

This training program will prepare students for employment in the construction field as Heavy Equipment Operators. The content includes, but is not limited to, communication, employability and leadership skills; human relations; safe and efficient work practices; and skills to operate and maintain a variety of heavy equipment.

OCCUPATION DESCRIPTION:

Operate one or several types of power construction equipment, such as motor graders, bulldozers, scrapers, compressors, pumps, shovels, tractors, or front-end loaders to excavate, move, and grade earth, or pour concrete or other hard surface pavement. May repair and maintain equipment in addition to other duties. *Excludes "Crane and Tower Operators" and "Extraction Workers".*

PROGRAM STRUCTURE:

The following table illustrates the **PSAV** program structure:

COURSE #	OCF	COURSE DESCRIPTION	HOURS	Resident Tuition	Differential Tuition	Non-Resident Tuition
TRA0070	A	Heavy Equipment Maintenance Technician	150	\$434.00	\$453.00	\$1,645.00
TRA0086	B	Tractor Operator	150	\$434.00	\$453.00	\$1,645.00
TRA0087	C	Off-road Equipment Operator 1	300	\$864.00	\$903.00	\$3,288.00
TRA0088	D	Off-road Equipment Operator 2	300	\$864.00	\$903.00	\$3,288.00
TRA0049	E	Crane Operator	300	\$864.00	\$903.00	\$3,288.00
		TOTAL	1200	\$3,460.00	\$ 3,615.00	\$13,154.00

Additional Costs:	Resident	Differential	Non-Resident
Registration Fee	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00
Approximate Total Program Cost:	\$3,470.00	\$3,625.00	\$13,164.00

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS:

AGE: 18 years or older

DIPLMA: N/A

BASIC SKILLS REQUIREMENT/TABE MINIMUM: MATH **8.0/577** LANGUAGE **8.0/572** READING **8.0/563** or meet other Basic Skills Requirements

Industry Certification:

NCCER Heavy Equipment Operations - Level 1, 2 & 3
NCCER Level Exam Fee – Initial Fee \$24.95 w/2.95 retake fee
Other testing fees may apply

Advisory Salary Range:

Florida Panhandle: \$30,000 - \$80,000

PH Average: \$23,160 - \$43,900

State Average: \$32,940

National Average: \$34,300

National Average: \$42,500

LIVE WORK FEES:

Shop Fees:

Operation Time after 1st hour \$25 per hr.

The client of the program will furnish all fuel, gas, grease and oil used by the class.

*Individual Crane & Tower Operators make \$6,000 - \$10,000 more annually.

Program Completion Rate: 86% - Program Placement Rate: 83% - Program Certification Pass Rate: 100%

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