

# California Human Development Job Description

**EMPLOYEE NAME:** 

JOB TITLE: Truck Driving Instructor
DEPARTMENT/DIVISION: Farmworker Services
REPORTS TO: Center Manager, ASET

FLSA STATUS: Non-Exempt Woodland REVISED DATE: 03/01/2023

**Summary Description**: The Truck Driving Instructor is an instructional work teaching position in a comprehensive training program. The instructor is responsible for organizing, developing, and implementing a comprehensive truck driving training program in an actual shop area-work situation.

### **DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Instruct students both in the classroom and in the truck, using a hybrid truck driving curriculum.
- Uses established training materials to present formal class training exercises to students.
- Provides training in policy and procedures in compliance with all local, state, and federal laws and regulations.
- Prepare an effective training technique to cover the number of students expected.
- Prepare a course outline for subjects to be taught including professional behaviors, reliability, job readiness and interviews
- Instruct and tutor students using various materials and technology, such as videos, online lessons and resources, and other devices to demonstrate methods and procedures found in real work situations.
- Conduct individual coaching to motivate students to achieve skills in work performance, maintaining good attendance records and enable them to succeed in achieving employment.
- Evaluate and grade students in accordance with established curriculum.
- Operate in a spirit of teamwork with the staff, jointly assessing the needs of each student and work together in the guidance and development of the student.
- Provides hands-on training in advanced applications; training and testing preparations in vehicle inspection, skills/maneuvers, range and road driving skills required to meet and/or exceed requirements to successfully pass the California Commercial Driver's Test.
- Stay up to date with new laws and rules of the road from DMV and pass along to management and students.
- Perform light routine maintenance on trucks.
- Perform monthly progress reports on students.
- Actively participate in the safety program and provide meaningful suggestions for working safely.
- Perform other related duties as assigned.

# **Supervisory Responsibilities**

- May oversee and direct Instructor's Aide.
- Carries out supervisory responsibilities in accordance with the organization's policies and applicable laws.

#### **Required Skills and Abilities**

- Bilingual English/Spanish is highly desirable.
- Working knowledge of Hazmat laws pertaining to transportation.
- Ability to operate a semi-truck and pull a trailer of any length.
- Ability to read, analyze, and interpret CA DMV rules of commercial trucking.
- Ability to respond to common inquiries or complaints from customers, regulatory agencies, or members
  of the business community.
- Ability to effectively present information to management, public groups, and/or boards of directors.
- Ability to define problems, collect data, establish facts, and draw valid conclusions.
- Ability to interpret an extensive variety of technical information relating to commercial truck driving.
- Basic knowledge of Microsoft Office.
- Ability to maintain accurate records, assemble, organize, and prepare for management and if needed, DMV.

#### **Education and/or Experience**

- High School Diploma or GED (General Education Degree).
- Three years+ Class A behind-the-wheel truck driving experience.
- Must hold all endorsements
- Equivalent combination of education and experience.

#### **Certificates, Licenses, Registrations**

- Valid Class A license that includes all endorsements
- Must possess a valid California commercial drivers' license, proof of auto insurance and be insurable under agency policy if driving a company or personal vehicle.

## **Physical Requirements**

Regularly: Talk or hear; Lift up to ten (10) pounds

<u>Frequently</u>: Stand; Walk; Sit; Use hands to finger, handle, or feel; Reach with hands and arms; Climb or balance; Lift up to 25 pounds

Occasionally: Stoop, kneel, crouch, or crawl; Taste or smell; Lift up to 50 pounds

<u>Vision</u>: Close vision (unobstructed vision at 20 inches or less); Distance vision (unobstructed vision at 20 feet or more).

Color vision (ability to identify and distinguish colors); Peripheral vision (ability to observe an area that can be seen up and down or to the left and right while eyes are fixed on a given point); Depth perception (three-dimensional vision, ability to judge distances and spatial relationships); Ability to adjust focus (ability to adjust the eye to bring an object into sharp focus).

#### **Work Environment**

Noise level: Loud (examples: metal can manufacture department, large earth-moving equipment)

This job description is not an exclusive or exhaustive list of all job functions that an employee in this position may be asked to perform from time to time. All employees are to maintain a positive work atmosphere by acting and communicating in a manner so that you get along with customers, clients, co-workers, management and

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time.

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