

**Opportunity starts here** 

PTC St. Petersburg Campus, Class "A", Tractor-Trailer Program Class hours: Monday through Thursday 7am -2:30pm Average length of a class: 320 hours Total cost to enroll in the program: \$3281.40

## **Admission Requirements**

- 1. Students must be at least 21 years of age and have at least 3 years of driving experience
- 2. Apply to the college online at: <u>https://apply.myptc.edu/</u>
- 3. You will be required to upload copies of the following to your online application:
  - ✓ Current Department of Transportation (DOT) Medical Card: You can use the following link to search for an approved medical provider: <u>https://nationalregistry.fmcsa.dot.gov/search-medical-examiners</u>
  - ✓ CDL Class "A" learner's permit
    - The Florida CDL handbook can be printed from the Florida Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles website: https://www.flhsmv.gov/pdf/handbooks/englishcdlhandbook.pdf
      - Study chapters: 2 Driving Safely, 3 Transporting Cargo Safely, 5 Air Brakes, 6 Combination Vehicles.
    - Students will need to take their Permit test at the DMV office
      - Pinellas County DMV walk-ins accepted until 3pm
      - Let the DMV clerk know that you want to take the General Knowledge, Transporting Cargo, Air Brakes and Combination Vehicles tests
  - ✓ The last 3-years of your Motor Vehicle Record (MVR) pulled within 45 days of the class start date
    - You can purchase your MVR at the DMV or on the MyDMVportal (<u>https://mydmvportal--</u><u>flhsmv.force.com/</u>)
- 4. Pay Program fees
  - Once approved, all program fees will be due up front to register for a seat in the class.

## <mark>Please Note</mark>:

This program is not eligible for the Pell grant or Federal Student loans, however, if you apply for FAFSA at <u>www.fafsa.gov</u> and use our school code, 013917, you can meet with our financial aid staff to explore grant opportunities that would pay a portion of the fees.

There are 2 local Agencies that will fund students, Career Source Pinellas and St. Pete Works (<u>www.stpeteworks.org</u>). Students would need to check with those agencies for eligibility.

Any financial aid that a student plans to use must be arranged prior to coming into apply.

\*\*To qualify for the posted in state tuition, students must be able to prove that they have lived in Florida for at least a year.

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