



Truck Driving Program – Class A License

TCAT enrolls approx. every 4 weeks for the seven-week program. This is a full-time program, Monday-Friday 7am-3pm. The courses are divided into two sessions. The first session consists of classroom instruction. After completing the class work, you will begin training with a driving instructor in a manual shift truck. This instruction will take place at a practice lot and on the streets and highways in and around Livingston.

Requirements: The following must be completed before you are given a start date, except for the DMV check and drug test which will be required to obtain 30 days before you start class. The drug test will be taken at a designated health care facility. You must pass the drug test and DMV check. If you do not pass both of those, you will not be able to attend the class.

Step 1: Must be 18 years of age & a U.S. citizen

Step 2: Must have a valid Tennessee driver's license

Step 3: Obtain DOT physical (Certified Medical Exam)

Step 4: Must obtain DOT Learner Permit – TCAT Crossville offers CDL Permit Prep class. Contact Anthony Luttrell @ (931) 267-6693 for date and time of class.

Step 5: Complete the TCAT Livingston's online application at <https://tcatlivingston.edu/future-students/admissions>

Step 6: Apply for financial aid at <https://fafsa.ed.gov>

Step 7: Submit copies of DOT physical (Certified Medical Exam), DOT Learners Permit, and Tennessee driver's license. At this time, you will obtain a start date. ***Within 30 days of start date: (If not submitted a week before class starts, you will lose your start date)**

Step 8: Student will provide Student Services with the following documents:

*Copy of your Ten-Year Motor Vehicle Report. You can get the MVR by visiting <https://www.tn.gov/safety/driver-services/mvr.html> or by going to the Driver Service Center at 4600 South Jefferson Avenue, Cookeville, TN 38506.

* Complete a drug screen at (must get paperwork from here): Occupational Health

315 N. Washington Ave. Suite 190

Cookeville, TN 38501

Phone: 931-526-1604

Hours M-F 8am-Noon, 1pm-4pm

Any delay in the admission process listed above WILL DELAY ENROLLMENT.

Cost: There is financial aid available for this program for current TN residents. Student cannot have used the TN lottery or TN reconnect grant money before. If eligible, the grants may cover up to \$1200 of the total tuition fee. The amount covered by the grant is based on eligibility. You must complete the FAFSA to apply for state grants. You can also visit your local career center to see if you qualify for financial assistance. Additional out of pocket costs: DOT physical, MVR report, DOT drug test, DOT learner permit, and licensure. (Est. costs: \$350) If you have any questions regarding the Truck Driving program, please contact Student Services @ 931-823-5525.

Tennessee College of Applied Technology Livingston does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, creed, ethnicity or national origin, sex, disability, age, status as a protected veteran or any other class protected by Federal or State laws and regulations and by Tennessee Board of Regents policies with respect to employment, programs, and activities. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding nondiscrimination policies: Jeff Slagle, Vice President, jeff.slagle@tcatlivingston.edu, 931-823-5525. The Tennessee College of Applied Technology Livingston policy on nondiscrimination can be found at <https://tcatlivingston.edu/about/non-discrimination-statement>.