

CDL License Matrix							
Type	CDL License Vehicle Characteristics		Required Test		Endorsement and Required Test		
Class	Class Title/Vehicle Description	Types of vehicles	Knowledge Tests	Skills Tests* (Over-the-road driving tests)	Types	Knowledge	Skill
<b>A</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Combination vehicles with a gross vehicle weight rating (GVWR) of 26,001 pounds or more, provided the GVWR of the vehicle(s) being towed is more than 10,000 pounds.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tractor-trailer truck</li> <li>Truck and trailer combinations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General Knowledge</li> <li>Combination Vehicles</li> </ul> <p><u>To Avoid Restriction:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Air Brake</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General Skills</li> </ul> <p><u>To Avoid Restriction:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vehicle with Air Brakes</li> <li>Vehicle with Manual Transmission</li> <li>Vehicle with a "fifth-wheel" tractor-trailer connection</li> </ul>	H - Hazardous Materials	X	
					N - Tank Vehicles	X	
					P - Passenger Transport	X	X
					S - School Bus	X	X
					T - Double/Triple Trailers	X	
					X - HazMat and Tank Vehicles	X	
<b>B</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A single vehicle with a GVWR of 26,001 pounds or more;</li> <li>A single vehicle with a GVWR of 26,001 pounds or more, towing a vehicle with a GVWR of 10,000 pounds or less.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Straight Truck</li> <li>Concrete Mixer</li> <li>Small Tank Truck</li> <li>Delivery Truck</li> <li>Transit Bus or Motor Coach</li> <li>School Bus</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General Knowledge</li> </ul> <p><u>To Avoid Restriction:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Air Brake</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General Skills</li> </ul> <p><u>To Avoid Restriction:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vehicle with Air Brakes</li> <li>Vehicle with Manual Transmission</li> </ul>	H - Hazardous Materials	X	
					N - Tank Vehicles	X	
					P - Passenger Transport	X	X
					S - School Bus	X	X
					X - HazMat and Tank Vehicles	X	
<b>C</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A single or combination vehicle with GVWR of less than 26,001 pounds;</li> <li>A single vehicle designed to transport 16 or more passengers (including the driver) if the GVWR is less than 26,001 pounds;</li> <li>A vehicle with GVWR of less than 26,001 pounds carrying hazardous materials.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Van Pool Vehicle</li> <li>Small Truck</li> <li>Small Truck with Small Trailer</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General Knowledge</li> </ul> <p><u>To Avoid Restriction:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Air Brake</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General Skills</li> </ul> <p><u>To Avoid Restriction:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vehicle with Air Brakes</li> <li>Vehicle with Manual Transmission</li> </ul>	H - Hazardous Materials	X	
					N - Tank Vehicles	X	
					P - Passenger Transport	X	X
					S - School Bus	X	X
					X - HazMat and Tank Vehicles	X	

\* Service members and Veterans who have experience driving military vehicles that are similar to civilian Commercial Motor Vehicles (CMVs) may qualify for a waiver of the Skills Tests. See the Military Skills Test Waiver tab for further details.