

## Forklift Training Programs Langley

Forklift Training Programs Langley - Are you searching for work as a forklift driver? Our regulatory-compliant mobile equipment operator training provides instruction in types of forklifts, pre-shift inspection, fuel types and handling of fuels, and safe operation of a lift truck. Hands-on, practical training helps participants in acquiring fundamental operational skills. Program content comprises existing rules governing the use of lift trucks. Our proven forklift programs are designed to offer training on these types of trucks: counterbalanced forklift, powered pallet trucks and narrow aisle forklift.

### How to Safely Handle Loads

Do not raise or lower the fork while the lift truck is traveling. A load must not extend over the backrest because of the risk of the load sliding back toward the operator. Check for overhead obstacles and make certain there is plenty of clearance before raising a load. Stay away from overhead power lines. Once the load is lifted straight up, tilt it slightly back.

While the load is lifted the forklift would be less stable. Make certain that no pedestrians cross underneath the elevated fork. The operator must not leave the lift truck while the load is raised.

The forks should be level when handling pallets, and high enough to extend all the way into and under the load. The width of the forks must provide even weight distribution.

Prior to unloading or loading the truck, set the brakes and chock the wheels. Floors must be strong enough to support the weight of the forklift and the load combined. Fixed jacks could be installed to be able to support a semi-trailer that is not attached to a tractor. The entrance door height should clear the forklift height by a minimum of 5 cm. Edges of rail cars, ramps and docks must be marked and avoid them.

Do not stay inside a forklift for a long time without right ventilation. The interior of the truck must be properly lighted and free of obstructions, trash and loose objects. Inspect for holes in the floor. The installation of nonslip material on the floor will help avoid slipping. Clear whatever obstacles from docks and dockplates and ensure surfaces are not oily or wet.

Never tow or push other vehicles utilizing a forklift.