

BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY

TRANSPORTATION, DISTRIBUTION AND LOGISTICS

TRUCK DRIVER

ANNUAL WAGES


ENTRY: \$31,600
MEDIAN: \$42,900
HIGH: \$51,000

HOURLY WAGES

ENTRY: \$15.17
MEDIAN: \$20.60
HIGH: \$24.51

EDUCATION AT ENTRY LEVEL

POSTSECONDARY
NON DEGREE
AWARD

 THE AUSTIN MSA PROJECTS TO NEED OVER
BY **14,880 TRUCK DRIVERS** 2031. WILL YOU
BE ONE?

JOB DUTIES


- Drive a tractor-trailer combination or a truck with a capacity of at least 26,001 pounds Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW). May be required to unload truck. Requires commercial drivers' license. Includes tow truck drivers.
- Check vehicles to ensure that mechanical, safety, and emergency equipment is in good working order.
- Follow appropriate safety procedures for transporting dangerous goods.
- Inspect loads to ensure that cargo is secure.

YOU WILL THRIVE IN THIS POSITION IF...

- You like activities that include practical, hands-on problems and solutions.
- You like to drive and know where things are around you.
- You see details far away and details up close.



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ABOUT THIS CAREER PATHWAY**

 This is a targeted occupation for Capital Area/Travis County. Scholarships may be available for education and training opportunities. Contact us to learn more!



Data Sources

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HOW TO GET STARTED IN THIS CAREER PATHWAY



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Conduct an informational interview with someone in this career

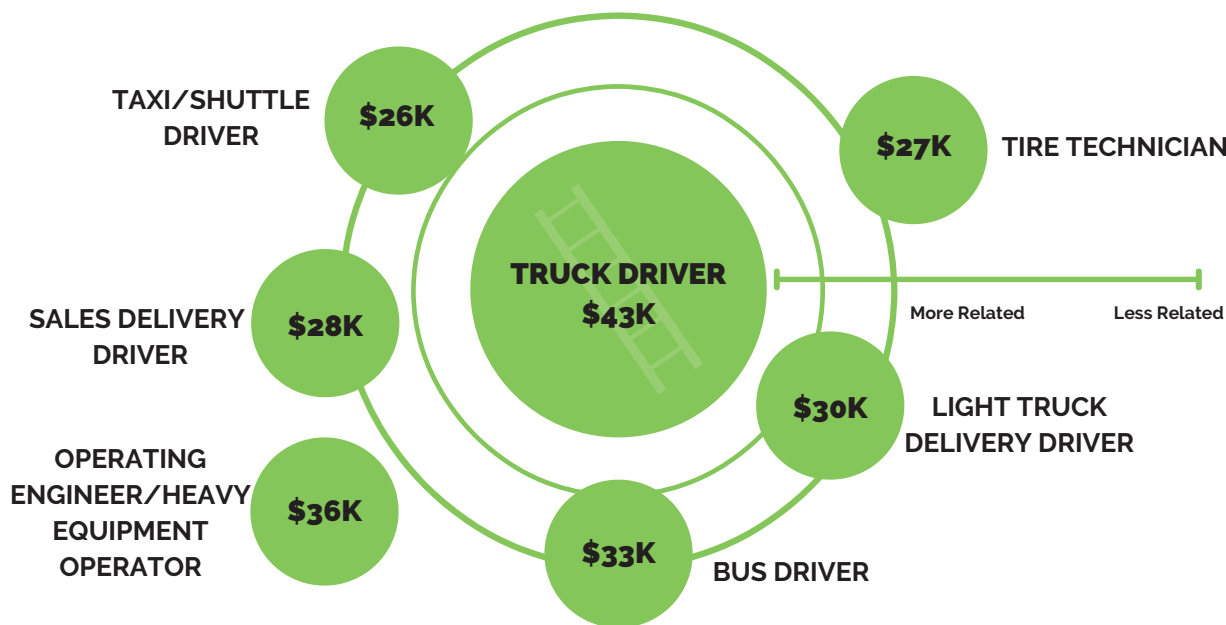


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WHAT IS SOMETHING NEW YOU LEARNED ABOUT THIS CAREER?
