



Central Union Adult School



Instructor: Tello Lopez

School Bus Driver Training Course

Next Class: September 1, 2021

To transport students safely in the state of CA the law requires that you have:

- A driver's license of the appropriate class
- Special School bus driver's Certificate

You can obtain the appropriate license after you have a medical certificate from a doctor and by going to DMV to apply for a:

- Class B Driver's license or (Class A license is Acceptable)
- Passenger endorsement (P)
- School Bus Endorsement (S)

You can have a Special Drivers Certificate after completing a **minimum** of 20 classroom hours from the Instructor's Manual for California's Bus Driver's Training Course and a **minimum** of 20 hours of Behind-the-Wheel training. **(Behind-the-Wheel training will be provided by the company who hires you once you have passed all written examinations at DMV and CHP)**

You can apply for a Special Driver's Certificate at the local CHP office after you have completed the following:

- A class "B" driver's license with P and S endorsements (a permit from DMV is also ACCEPTABLE)
- Has completed a minimum of 20 classroom hours of instruction for school bus drivers.
- A clean driver's record for the last 3 years.

Disqualified Applicants:

- Any sex crime ever; rape, lewd and lascivious conduct, child molestation, prostitution, etc:
- Any offense related to the possession or transportation of narcotics habit forming or dangerous drugs including controlled substances, within 7 years
- Any felony: within 7 years
- Cruelty to spouse or child
- Domestic Violence
- Suspension of driving privilege within the last 3 years including back pay on child support
- Involved in 3 accidents within the last 12 months
- Does not meet the minimum medical standards
- Has knowingly made a false statement or concealed material fact on an application for certificate endorsement
- Dishonored check
- Under the influence, DUI: within 3 years
- Reckless driving: within 3 years
- Violent crimes-ever
- Any crime questioning character-moral turpitude-ever
- Any violation with point count of two(2): within 3 years
- Two (2) assaults: within 5 years
- Within 24 months, - cause or contributed to the cause of an accident resulting in a fatality or serious injury or serious property damage in excess of \$750
- Most assaults: within 3 years

I certify by my signature below that I have read and understand the information provided on the School Bus Driver Training Course. No refunds shall be given.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____