



CISCO COLLEGE

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Cisco College Partners with Action Career Training for Commercial Driver's License Certification

Cisco, Texas - October 23, 2020 - Cisco College is excited to announce a new partnership with 33 year old, family owned truck driving school, Action Career Training.

The partnership will allow applicants to participate in a 4 week program to earn a commercial driver's license, or CDL. The program is designed to quickly train drivers, help them obtain their commercial driver's license, and find them employment in the transportation industry which is currently a high demand field. This is all offered at a low cost with financing and financial assistance available.

"We are excited to partner with ACT and help provide a local workforce training hub," said Link Harris, Cisco College Dean of Workforce and Economic Development. "The program will allow for quick delivery of skill and opportunity leading to higher wages for Eastland County and the surrounding area's residents," he said. "This would not be possible without the support of the Cisco Development Corporation, the Eastland County Commissioner Precinct 4, the Mayor of Cisco, Cisco Chamber of Commerce, and the Cisco City Manager."

Once students complete the 4-week course, Action Career Training offers assistance in job placement. Graduates are placed with some of the largest and best companies in Texas and throughout the United States. Some of the companies offer tuition reimbursement programs and the majority have drive benefits such as medical, dental, life insurance, and retirement options.

The demand for commercial drivers crosses many industries world wide, including; construction, wind energy, utilities, local transit, first responders, agriculture, mining, road and bridge repair, and over the road transportation.

For more information about the Professional Truck Driving School partnership between Cisco College and Action Career Training, call (800) 725-6465 or email workforce@cisco.edu.

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About Cisco College

Since first admitting students in 1940, Cisco College has offered programs and activities intended to encourage lifelong learning and enhance the quality of life in the communities it serves.

As a member of the Texas state system of publicly supported institutions of higher education, Cisco College maintains an open-door admissions policy and provides an array of learning, skill development and life experiences to motivate and challenge students. Classes are offered at two primary locations, Cisco and Abilene, in addition to several other off-campus sites. The College strives to maintain a student/faculty ratio which facilitates close interaction between faculty and students.

Cisco College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award Associate level degrees.