

## Forklift Training Programs Prince George

Forklift Training Programs Prince George - If you are looking for a job as a forklift operator, our regulatory-compliant lift truck training programs offer excellent instruction in many types and styles of lift trucks, lessons on pre-shift inspection, fuel types and handling of fuels, and safe use of a forklift. Practical, hands-on training assists those participating in obtaining essential operational skills. Program content comprises existing rules governing the operation of lift trucks. Our proven forklift programs are designed to provide training on these types of trucks: narrow aisle forklift, counterbalanced forklift and powered pallet truck.

### How to Safely Handle Loads

Do not raise or lower the fork whilst the forklift is moving. A load must not extend above the backrest due to the danger of the load sliding back toward the operator. Inspect for overhead obstructions and make certain there is sufficient clearance before raising a load. Stay away from overhead power lines. When the load is raised straight up, tilt it back slightly.

When the load is raised the forklift will be less stable. Make certain that no pedestrians cross under the elevated fork. The operator must not leave the forklift when the load is raised.

The forks should be level when handling pallets, and high enough to extend all the way into and underneath the load. The fork's width must provide equal distribution of weight.

Chock the wheels and set the brakes before unloading and loading the truck. The floors must be strong enough to support the weight of both the forklift and its load. Fixed jacks can be installed to be able to support a semi-trailer that is not coupled to a tractor. The entrance door height should clear the forklift height by a minimum of 5 cm. Mark edges of ramps, docks or rail cars and avoid them.

Do not stay in a forklift for a long time without right ventilation. The interior of the truck should be well lighted and free of loose objects, obstructions and trash. Inspect for holes in the floor. The installation of nonslip material on the floor would help prevent slipping. Clear whichever obstacles from dockplates and docks and make sure surfaces are not oily or wet.

Never push or tow other vehicles using a lift truck.