## **Forklift Training Programs Mesa**

Forklift Training Programs Mesa - If you are searching for work as a forklift operator, our regulatory-compliant lift truck training programs provide excellent instruction in many types and styles of forklifts, classes on pre-shift inspection, fuel kinds and dealing with fuels, and safe use of a lift truck. Practical, hands-on training assists individuals participating in obtaining basic operational skills. Course content covers existing rules governing the utilization of forklifts. Our proven forklift courses are designed to provide training on these types of trucks: narrow isle forklift, counterbalanced forklift and powered pallet truck.

How to Handle Loads Safely

While the forklift is in use, do not raise or lower the forks. Loads should not extend above the backrest. This is because of the possibility of the load sliding back towards the operator. Check for overhead obstructions and make sure there is enough clearance before lifting a load. Stay away from overhead power lines. When the load is lifted straight up, tilt it back slightly.

When the load is raised the lift truck will be less steady. Make certain that no pedestrians cross below the elevated fork. The operator must not leave the lift truck while the load is raised.

When handling pallets, forks should be level and high enough to go into the pallet and extend all the way under the load. The fork's width must provide even weight distribution.

Set the brakes and chock the wheels prior to unloading and loading the truck. The floors should be strong enough to support the combined weight of the forklift and its load. Fixed jacks can be installed to be able to support a semi-trailer which is not attached to a tractor. The entrance door height should clear the height of the forklift by a minimum of 5 cm. Edges of rail cars, ramps and docks should be marked and avoid them.

If there is not proper ventilation into the forklift, do not stay in there for extended periods. The interior of the truck must have sufficient lighting and be free of obstructions. Check the flooring of the forklift cab for holes. The installation of nonslip material on the floor would help prevent slipping. Clear whichever obstructions from docks and dockplates and ensure surfaces are not wet or oily.

Never tow or push other vehicles with a forklift.