

Transportation, Distribution & Logistics

Jobs related to the maintenance and repair of delivery trucks, cargo planes and other transport vehicles.

Job Title & Description	Entry Wage	Med. Wage	Exp. Wage	Holland Code	Education Required	Available Local Education
Air Traffic Controllers Responsible for keeping air traffic flowing smoothly, safely and efficiently.	\$77,870	\$131,090	\$144,240	CRE	Associate's	Hesston PSU
Aircraft Mechanics & Service Technicians Diagnose, adjust, repair or overhaul aircraft engines and assemblies, such as hydraulic and pneumatic systems.	\$45,600	\$60,230	\$65,860	CRI	Certificate	K-State PSU WSU Tech
Automotive Body & Related Repairers Repair and refinish automotive bodies and straighten vehicle frames.	\$26,920	\$39,220	\$52,010	R	Certificate	Barton Butler Coffeyville Cowley Highland Hutch JCCC Lafayette NKTC NCKTC NCKTC PSU SATC SCCC Washburn
Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics Diagnose, adjust, repair or overhaul automotive vehicles.	\$25,190	\$37,780	\$48,680	N/A	Certificate	Barton Butler Coffeyville Cowley Highland Hutch JCCC Lafayette NKTC NCKTC Pratt PSU SATC SCCC Washburn WSU Tech
Bus & Truck Mechanics & Diesel Engine Specialists Diagnose, adjust, repair or overhaul trucks, buses and all types of diesel engines. Includes mechanics working primarily with automobile diesel engines.	\$32,040	\$44,910	\$53,850	CR	Some College	DCCC Highland NKTC NCKTC PSU SATC Washburn WSU Tech
Commercial Pilots Pilot and navigate the flight of small fixed or rotary winged aircraft, primarily for the transport of cargo and passengers. Requires commercial rating.	\$52,450	\$99,150	\$124,780	CRIE	Certificate	Central DCCC Hesston K-State PSU
Electro-Mechanical Technicians Operate, test, maintain or calibrate unmanned, automated, servo-mechanical or electromechanical equipment.	N/A	N/A	N/A	CRI	Associate's	PSU
Locomotive Engineers Drive electric, diesel-electric, steam, or gas-turbine-electric locomotives to transport passengers or freight. Interpret train orders, electronic or manual signals and railroad rules and regulations.	\$55,120	\$81,560	\$90,200	CR	H.S. Diploma	PSU
Logistics Managers/Logisticians Plan, direct or coordinate purchasing, warehousing, distribution, forecasting, customer service or planning services.	\$49,800	\$69,540	\$85,990	CRE	Bachelor's	Central K-State Pratt PSU WSU Tech
Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics Diagnose, adjust, repair or overhaul mobile mechanical, hydraulic and pneumatic equipment, such as cranes, bulldozers, graders and conveyors, used in construction, logging and surface mining.	\$37,510	\$49,210	\$57,060	CRI	Certificate	PSU Washburn WSU Tech

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Production, Planning & Expediting Clerks Plan and prepare production schedules for the manufacturing of industrial or commercial products.	\$33,840	\$49,050	\$60,130	CRE	Some College	Central PSU WSU Tech
Railroad Brake, Signal & Switch Operators Operate railroad track switches. Couple or uncouple rolling stock to make up or break up trains. Signal engineers by hand or flagging. May inspect couplings, air hoses, journal boxes and hand brakes.	\$43,100	\$59,710	\$70,530	CR	H.S. Diploma	PSU
Railroad Conductors and Yardmasters Coordinate activities of switch-engine crew within railroad yard, industrial plant, or similar location. Conductors coordinate activities of train crew on passenger or freight trains. Yardmasters review train schedules and switching orders and coordinate activities of workers engaged in railroad traffic operations, such as the makeup or breakup of trains and yard switching.	\$43,560	\$69,260	\$79,980	CRE	H.S. Diploma	PSU
Recreation Vehicle Service Technicians Diagnose, inspect, adjust, repair or overhaul recreational vehicles including travel trailers.	\$28,570	\$37,360	\$42,690	CRI	Certificate	PSU Washburn WSU Tech
Transportation, Storage & Distribution Managers Plan, direct or coordinate the transportation, storage or distribution activities in accordance with governmental policies and regulations.	\$66,390	\$93,890	\$118,070	CRE	Bachelor's	PSU
Truck Drivers (Heavy & Tractor-Trailer) Drive a tractor-trailer combination or a truck with a capacity of at least 26,000 GVW (gross vehicle weight), to transport and deliver goods, livestock or materials in liquid, loose or packaged form.	\$31,740	\$44,890	\$55,630	CRI	Certificate	Butler CCCC DCCC PSU SCCC Washburn
Truck Drivers (Light & Delivery Services) Deliver or pick up merchandise and packages in a local area. Often includes driver for companies like UPS or FedEx who use automatic routing or location software.	\$22,000	\$34,730	\$45,920	CRI	Certificate	Butler CCCC DCCC PSU Washburn

**The Following Schools Are Listed By Their Abbreviations:
Those listed in bold submitted information directly to this guide.**

Allen: Allen Community College

Baker: Baker University

Barton: Barton County Community College

Barclay: Barclay College

Benedictine: Benedictine University

Butler: Butler Community College

Central: Central Christian College of Kansas

CCCC: Cloud County Community College

Coffeyville: Coffeyville Community College

Colby: Colby Community College

Cowley: Cowley College

Crave: Crave Beauty Academy

DCCC: Dodge City Community College

Donnelly: Donnelly College

ESU: Emporia State University

Entourage: Entourage Institute of Beauty & Esthetics

Eric Fisher: Eric Fisher Academy

FHTC: Flint Hills Technical College

FHSU: Fort Hays State University

Fort Scott: Fort Scott Community College

GCCC: Garden City Community College

Hays Academy: Hays Academy of Hair Design

Hesston: Hesston College

Highland: Highland Community College

Hutch: Hutchinson Community College

ICC: Independence Community College

JCCC: Johnson County Community College

KAR: Kansas Association of Realtors

KCC: Kansas Christian College

KCKCC: Kansas City Kansas Community College

K-State: Kansas State University

KWU: Kansas Wesleyan University

Labette: Labette Community College

MATC: Manhattan Area Technical College

NCCC: Neosho County Community College

NKTC: Northwest Kansas Technical College

NCKTC: North Central Kansas Technical College

PMTS: Paul Mitchell the School Overland Park

PSU: Pittsburg State University

Pratt: Pratt Community College

SATC: Salina Area Technical College

SCCC: Seward County Community College

Sterling: Sterling College

KU: University of Kansas

Washburn: Washburn University

WSU: Wichita State University

WSU Tech: WSU Tech