



## EXPERIENCED OPERATORS FORK LIFT TRAINING COURSE

This course is suitable for drivers with experience of driving forklifts but who don't already have an operator's certificate.

### Why go on this course?

Operating a forklift is a specialised skill. Many accidents are caused by untrained drivers operating trucks in ignorance of the special conditions that apply to forklifts. Certificates are awarded to participants who are successful in the theoretical and practical tests. A confidential assessment on each operator's abilities is also provided. The Irish Institute of Purchasing and Materials Management accredits this course. (IIPMM).

### On completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- **Operate** a forklift truck safely, reducing the risk of injury to operators and pedestrians
- Use safe operating habits
- Understand the differences between a forklift truck and a car
- Load and unload safely
- Refuel/recharge forklifts safely
- Handle awkward loads

### Course programme

- **Brief** summary of the Safety, Health and Welfare at Work Act, 2005
- **Introduction** to course
- Introduction to truck
- Safe operating practices and video
- Elementary driving
- Explanation, demonstration and guided practice on the correct procedures to adopt  
When driving a forklift

### Duration of Course

2-3 days (depending on experience)

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