

# Minnesota State College Southeast

## TRDR 1450: Driver Refresher

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 5

Lecture Hours/Week: \*.\*

Lab Hours/Week: 10

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

This refresher course was designed for truck drivers with past driving experience, who hold a current CDL license or had a CDL license but let it lapse for various reasons. This refresher class will cover areas of advanced driving such as backing, vehicle inspections, in town driving, and highway driving.

(Prerequisites: past driving experience, current CDL license or CDL permit) (5 credits: 0 lecture/5 lab)

**B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 05/22/2007 - Present

### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

### D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Vehicle instrumentation
2. Perform vehicle inspections
3. Perform coupling and uncoupling
4. Perform backing techniques
5. Perform right and left turns
6. Proper clutch operation
7. Operate primary and secondary controls
8. Proper accelerator control
9. Speed and space management
10. Signaling procedures
11. Mirror usage
12. Proper communications
13. Visual search
14. Hours of service (logs)
15. Obey traffic laws
16. Perform reverse-steering maneuvers
17. Perform blindside backing

### E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

**G. SPECIAL INFORMATION**

None noted