

# COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE: REQUIREMENTS AND RULES

What Would Cosmo Do?



## ***Cosmo drives responsibly*** **Who Does this Affect?**

**All BYU personnel including faculty, staff, and students who:**



- Drive a truck or truck and trailer that weighs over 10,001 pounds
- Drive a truck that transports placarded amounts of hazardous waste
- Drive a van that transports more than 15 passengers
- Drive a van that transports more than 8 people for compensation

### **"A" Class:**

**A** Required to operate vehicles with a gross combination weight over 26,000 pounds, provided the combined weight of the vehicle towed is more than 10,000 pounds

### **CDL Requirements**

#### **"B" Class:**

**B** Required to operate single vehicles having a gross combined weight of 26,000 pounds or vehicle towing under 10,000 pounds

#### **"C" Class"**

**C** Required to operate any size vehicle (less than 26,001 pounds) that carries hazardous materials and requires placards, or carries more than 15 passengers

### **CMV Requirements**

**D**

A Commercial Motor Vehicle is a vehicle that has a gross vehicle weight of 10,001 pounds or more. The gross combination weight can be a vehicle pulling a trailer. A class D driver's license is required unless the vehicle weight limits reach the CDL requirement.

**In 2018, 39% of the annual fatalities were the result of occupational transportation incidents**

<https://www.osha.gov/motor-vehicle-safety>

**49 CFR Parts 49, 40, 303, 325-399**



***Safety Is Everyone's  
Responsibility***

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