HALAND LEARNING

SAFETY TRAINING COURSE

Scissor Lift

DURATION	VALIDITY	PRICE	FORMAT	PRIVATE CLASS SIZE
1 day	3 years	$250	In-person	6 to 12

Scissor Lift is a 1-day course for operators of scissor lifts. You learn the standards and OHS requirements that apply, the terrain types, the parts of the machine, and what the operator's manual, data plate and decals tell you. You learn what affects stability and how to operate safely, including fall protection, controls, emergency planning and troubleshooting. You inspect the work area and the machine, check its functions, and complete a practical evaluation. Certification takes a theory test and a practical.

STANDARDS

CAN/CSA-B354.8:17, Operator (Driver) Training

CAN/CSA-B354.7:17, Safety Principles, Inspection, Maintenance and Operation

Course modules

01 Introduction
Standards and OHS Regulation · Terrain types · Anatomy of a MEWP · Preventative inspections and tests

02 Manufacturer-Specific Information
Operator's manual · Markings

03 Stability
Definitions · Four stability factors

04 Safe Operation
Fall protection · MEWP controls · MEWP passenger orientation · Emergency planning · Troubleshooting · Hazard discussion activity

Practical activities

Work area inspection
Inspect the work area for drop-offs, debris, slopes, slippery surfaces, overhead obstructions and power lines, hazardous locations, surface support, wind and weather, unauthorized personnel and vehicle traffic.

Pre-use visual inspection
Inspect the machine before use: manual, decals, wiring, leaks, fluid levels, tires, battery and guardrails, and outriggers or stabilizers on rough terrain scissor lifts.

Pre-use function checks
Test the ground controls (key switch, emergency stop, indoor and outdoor controls, platform raise) and then the platform controls.

Competency evaluation
A practical evaluation of the skills of operating the machine. Certification requires passing the theory test and the practical.