

Position: Trailer and Equipment Mechanic
Compensation: Depending on Experience
Employment Type: Full Time, 40 hours per week
Work Location: 2440 W 14th St, Oakland, CA 94607

Position Summary: Perform the duties of a trailer mechanic involved in inspecting, repairing, and preventative maintenance, and regular inspection requirements on trailers, some light mechanical work on semi-trucks and stationary equipment.

Major Duties & Responsibilities:

- General maintenance for cab and chassis.
- California 90 day BIT & Federal USDOT inspections.
- Inspect equipment, analyze trouble and plan sequence of repair operations.
- Communicate w/ drivers regarding DVIR's (Driver Vehicle Inspection Reports)
- Maintains equipment records by accurately annotating services and repairs.
- Investigate complaints and equipment malfunctions.
- Schedule and perform preventative maintenance such as oil changes, brake inspections & repairs, lights, hoses, etc.

Minimum Qualifications and Characteristics:

- Experience and considerable knowledge of the methods, materials and equipment used in the maintenance and repair of various types of semi-trailers and trucks.
- Experience in the operation of a variety of tools and equipment used in the repair of trucks and trailers.
- Have a general working knowledge of air brake systems and foundation brakes.
- Have a general working knowledge of lights and wiring systems.
- Welding and fabrication experience a plus.
- Ability to understand and carry out oral and written instructions.
- Ability to analyze and repair mechanical failures.
- Good Communication – Able to describe equipment problems to supervisor and discuss equipment issues with employees (English). Ability to work effectively and establish good working relationships with other employees.
- Able to fully and accurately complete required maintenance paperwork
- Valid CA Driver's License
- Organized and Reliable
- High School Diploma or Equivalent

Essential Physical & Mental Functions:

- Work outside in summer and winter conditions
- Lift 100 lbs.
- Long periods on feet