

## Penticton Bucket Truck Training

Penticton Bucket Truck Training - The Vehicle-Mounted Aerial Work Platform or also called bucket truck training program is intended to decrease the chance of personal injury and incident when working in close proximity or with bucket trucks by efficiently training operators who are qualified. An aerial lift device is whatever vehicle-mounted device, telescoping or articulating, or both, which is utilized to position workers to reach places which will otherwise be unreachable. Aerial lift devices are made use of in order to elevate employees to above-ground work sites.

The objective of the program is to provide operators with the skills, knowledge, abilities, and training materials required in order to learn to operate vehicle-mounted aerial work platforms effectively and safely.

The program has two parts: a classroom training session and a hands-on training session. To be able to become certified, participants should be successful in both parts. A full-size certificate and a wallet-size certificate would be given upon completion of the program.

The kinds of lifts examined in the program include Aerial lift devices are often constructed with wood, metal, reinforced plastic, fiberglass or other materials.

### Definitions

Articulating boom platform: multiple hinged boom components.

Extensible boom platform: has an extensible or telescopic boom.

Platform: part of the aerial device that is designed to carry staff.

Mobile unit: any aerial device together with its parts like vehicle and related machine.

Employers have the responsibility to make sure their employee acquire correct training prior to operating aerial devices. Employees must make certain they also acquire the required training and that they do not operate lift devices if they are not authorized to do so. Workers should make sure that they wear the proper protective equipment if working from the platform.

The course content used in the bucket truck training program consists of the operation of the vehicle-mounted aerial work platform, pre-shift inspections, safe operating practices, lifting capacity, use of emergency controls, and administering theory and practical tests. Operators would be familiar with legal requirements under the local and federal regulations.