



## Certified Logistics Associate (MSSC)

July 15, 2016

Certifying Organization	Manufacturing Skills Standards Council <a href="http://www.msscusa.org">www.msscusa.org</a>					
Description of Credential	<p>The Certified Logistics Associate (CLA) foundational level credential provides students with the foundational broad knowledge they will need to understand the world of supply chain and related core competencies. The course includes modules on: the global supply chain, the logistics environment, safety, safe equipment operation, material handling equipment, quality control, workplace communication, teamwork and problem solving using computers.</p> <p><i>This certification is a prerequisite for Certified Logistics Technician Certification (CLT).</i></p> <p>For complete information regarding Certified Logistics Associate (embedded within the Certified Logistics Technician Handbook, click <a href="#">here</a> .</p>					
Part of which Graduation Pathways <sup>1</sup>	<u>Integrated</u> : Manufacturing, Construction Crafts and Logistics					
<a href="#">Associated with Which Careers?</a>	<p><u>5 Star</u>: Service Unit Operator; Heating, Air Conditioning &amp; Refrigeration Mechanic &amp; Installer; Cost Estimator; Inspector, Mechanical Engineer; Welder</p> <p><u>4 Star</u>: Derrick Operators; Rotary Drill Operator; Roustabouts; Bus &amp; Truck Mechanic; Diesel Engine Specialist; Farm Equipment Mechanic and Service Technician; AgriScience Teacher</p> <p><u>3 Star</u>: Engine &amp; Other Machine Assembler</p> <p>Also: Industrial Engineering Technicians, Petroleum Pump Systems Operators, Refinery Operators, Chemical Plant and System Operators, Maintenance Workers, Electricians, Construction Managers, Machinists, Mechanical Drafters</p>					
Entry-Level Annual Salaries	\$26,000-\$48,000					
<b>Industry-Based Certification Requirements: Students</b>						
Standard / Curriculum	Assessment Content Outline/Work Standards for Certified Logistics Associate (embedded within Certified Logistics Technician information) is found on page 12 <a href="#">here</a> .					
Testing Methodology	Paper?	Yes	Online?	Yes	Performance Exams / Tests?	<b>No</b>
Re-Testing (if available)	Re-Testing Procedures	A student is able to re-test after waiting 15 calendar days on the 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> attempt.			Max Attempts	After 3 attempts, the student must wait 60 calendar days.
Testing Details (including any age requirements / accommodations)	<p>Assessment is delivered online. Paper assessment is given only in special circumstances. CLA assessments must be passed first to earn CLT.</p> <p>CLA assessment contains 83 multiple choice questions; 76% is the passing score.</p> <p>CLT assessment contains 91 multiple choice questions; 75% is a passing score.</p> <p>It is recommended that students be at an 8<sup>th</sup> grade math level and 10<sup>th</sup> grade reading level for this course/test.</p> <p>Accommodations are provided upon request.</p>					



## Certified Logistics Associate (MSSC)

July 15, 2016

<b>Industry-Based Certification Requirements: Teachers</b>					
<i>Bulletin 746, Chapter 5: All Louisiana teachers providing instruction in a course that leads to an IBC must hold the certification that they're teaching students to attain.</i>					
Instructor Certification Requirements (by certifying agency)	Online instructor training is a self-guided tutorial where instructors learn how to use the CLT e-learning portal to instruct classes. All materials provided. Online training requires approximately 2-4 weeks to complete. For complete information, click <a href="#">here</a> .				
Proctoring / Test Security (if any)	Proctor training is required before assessments can be delivered. This is offered via webinar twice monthly. <a href="#">You can register here.</a>				
Certification Tracking					
Credentialing Documentation	Verification Site: <a href="http://candidates.msscusa.org/verification">http://candidates.msscusa.org/verification</a> You must have the candidate's last name and MSSC candidate number.				
Certification Tracking System	Online Tracking System?	Yes	Details	Students can download certificates by login in to their account <a href="#">here</a>	
Other Details	Expiration Timeframe	Re-certification is required every 5 years only for those holding the Full CLT or Full CPT credentials The re-certification process is point-based using Continuing Education, Industry Certifications, Employment and/or Volunteering, all these have to be in a related field. Individuals must accumulate 100 points over five years. Non -refundable \$75 application fee.			
Certification Costs / Funding Sources					
Cost Details	\$22 per test/online \$40 per test/paper/pencil				
Re-test / Refund Policies	No Refunds				
Funding Sources <sup>2</sup>	CDF?	No	Perkins?	Yes	Alternative Source (other than General Funds)
For More Information					
Certifying Agency Contact Info	Manufacturing Skills Standards Council 901 N. Washington St. Suite 600, Alexandria VA 22314(703) 739-9000 <a href="http://www.msscusa.org">www.msscusa.org</a>				
LDE Contact	<a href="mailto:JumpStart@La.Gov">JumpStart@La.Gov</a>				
Jump Start Regional Team Experts	Kelly Dimarco – Plaquemines Parish School Board <a href="mailto:kdimarco@ppsb.org">kdimarco@ppsb.org</a>				

1 – This table may not include all the graduation pathways this credential appears in. Please check the [graduation pathway](#) you are working with if you have a question as to whether or not this credential is part of that pathway.

2 – CDF = [Career Development Fund](#)