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SCLTC’S LAFOURCHE CAMPUS RECEIVES \$12,500 FROM TERREBONNE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION FOR CVO SCHOLARSHIPS

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Thibodaux, Louisiana — South Central Louisiana Technical College’s (SCLTC) Lafourche Campus received \$12,500 from Terrebonne Economic Development Foundation to be used towards scholarships for its Commercial Vehicle Operations Class A CDL program.

Campus Dean, Anthony Baham, said “Our community has a shortage of CDL drivers. The purpose of this scholarship is to enable students the opportunity to gain a high skill, high wage, and high demand career in transportation. More trained and certified drivers will empower our local industries to move the goods and supplies needed in the Terrebonne and Lafourche area.” This scholarship money will be available for the 2015 Fall semester. SCLTC will be awarding 10 students scholarships of \$1,250 to go towards tuition of their program. This will cover 50% of tuition.



"This donation was given to South Central Louisiana Technical College to provide assistance to individuals wishing to obtain a CDL license. The donation was made because of the increased demand of CDL drivers in this market," said J. Louis Watkins, III, TEDFO chairman. "That demand is expected to increase with the pending increase in coastal restoration project activity, and TEDFO is trying to help meet the short-term need for drivers."

Students interested in applying for this scholarship should contact SCLTC Lafourche Campus’s Office of Admissions at 985-447-0924.

About CDL Program:

CLASS A CDL program is a six week training course including hands-on-training and classroom instruction. Tuition cost is \$2,500.

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