

# Commercial Pilot License (CPL)

## Course Description

The Commercial Pilot License (CPL) allows an individual to fly a single engine aircraft for compensation, including air taxi, surveying, and commercial operations.

The Commercial License course builds on previous flying experience to enhance technical knowledge, decision making capabilities, and more advanced flying skills.

## Course Prerequisites

- 17 Years of Age
- Category 1 Medical
- Private Pilot License (PPL)

## Cost Estimate (Average)

Item	Cost
Ground School	\$400.00
Club Membership	\$200.00
Dual Flight Time <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 35 Hours @ \$351</li></ul>	\$12,285.00
Solo Flight Time <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 30 Hours @ \$259</li></ul>	\$7,770.00
Ground Lessons and Briefings <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 15 Hours @ \$92</li></ul>	\$1,380.00
Flight Test Examiner Fee (Paid Directly)	\$500.00
Flight Test Aircraft <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2 Hours @ \$259</li></ul>	\$518.00
<b>Total Cost</b>	<b>\$23,053.00</b>

## Minimum License Requirements

- 80 Hour Ground School Course
  - Meteorology
  - Engines and Systems
  - Aviation Regulations
  - Navigation
  - Operations / Human Factors
- 65 Hours of Flight Time
  - 35 Hours Dual Training
  - 30 Hours Solo Training
- 300 nm Cross Country Flight
- Night Rating
- Written Exams
  - Transport Canada (CPAER)
  - Language Proficiency Evaluation



**Note: Be aware that cost estimates are based on the Ottawa Flying Club Curriculum and National Averages. Students may require more or less time in the aircraft based on proficiency, understanding, and study habits. Taxes are not included.**