

## **Skid Steer Operator Course Summary**

**Length of Course:** 4 hours

### **Course Objectives:**

- Discuss how weight distribution affects skid-steer loader steering and stability.
- Explain the difference between Tipping Load and Rated Operating Capacity.
- Have an understanding of the hydrostatic transmission, and that the loader will react the moment the steering levers are moved.
- Explain why maintenance is an important factor for safe, efficient, and productive operation.
- Identify the controls and their functions.
- Identify the loader's safety features and explain their importance.
- Explain the steps of safe entry and exit.
- Know the fundamentals of safe maneuvering, traveling, and working with the attachment.
- Know the fundamentals of efficient maneuvering, traveling, and working with the attachment.

### **Target Audience:**

- Managers
- Supervisors
- Safety Program Administrators
- Equipment Operators