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Authorized Partner

Academic Program

The Computing Technology Industry Association (CompTIA) is the tech-forward community of the $5.2 trillion global IT ecosystem and the hub for the approximately 75 million professionals who design, deploy, manage and secure the technology that powers the modern economy. Through collaboration, education, certifications, advocacy and market research, **CompTIA delivers the tech talent that moves the workforce forward.**

CompTIA Academic Partner Program

The CompTIA Academic Partner Program prepares today's students to be employable in our global digital economy. Through our partnership, we provide tools and resources to help schools deploy turnkey curriculum including fundamental digital skills, IT and Cybersecurity. CompTIA Academic Partners leverage our learning resources, eLearning courseware and hands-on labs. CompTIA also provides skills validation through CompTIA's vendor-neutral certifications, giving your students a competitive edge in securing that dream tech job. In addition, we support instructors with continuous training and teaching best-practices through our connected global network. Together, with our partners, we aim to deliver in-demand tech talent to the global workforce.

TO JOIN: Please visit **CompTIA.org/academy** and complete the application. There is no fee to join. If you have questions, please contact your CompTIA Account Manager listed on page 4.

Who May Join? *

- Secondary Schools (including career, vocational or technical centers)
- Colleges and Universities (traditional degree granting community and technical colleges and universities)
- Government Funded Educational Agencies (non-U.S. only)
- Not For Profit Educational Institutions that provide technology instruction (eg: 501(c) 3 in the United States)
- U.S. Department of Labor Job Corps Centers
- Correctional Facilities

*Complete eligibility criteria are contained in the official online application.

Program Benefits

General Benefits

DISCOUNTED ACADEMIC PRICING	Your organization and students receive preferred Academic pricing on all CompTIA learning resources and exam vouchers. To access Academic Partner instructions for purchasing official CompTIA learning resources from the CompTIA Store visit: **the CompTIA Store**
CERTIFICATION EXAM OBJECTIVES ALIGNED WITH SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES REQUIRED BY EMPLOYERS	Exam objectives are mapped to skills and competencies for IT and Cybersecurity job roles. This alignment helps academic institutions develop curriculum and build lesson plans. Exam objectives can be accessed online at **the Partner Website**
THE OFFICIAL COMPTIA LEARNING RESOURCES	Official CompTIA learning resources are the only study material exclusively developed by CompTIA for the CompTIA certification candidate; the content library includes training to support all CompTIA certification exams. CompTIA employs trusted third party subject matter experts to review and validate that content meets exam objectives at the appropriate breadth and depth. Extensive market research informs the development of content ensuring that products are innovative, effective and designed to alleviate instructor and student challenges. To explore the comprehensive CompTIA Solution visit: **the CompTIA Solutions Catalog**
CERTIFICATION VERIFICATION TOOL	Use exam voucher numbers to track your students' testing results. Some restrictions may apply. To access the Verification Tool visit: **the Partner Website**
COMPITA MARKETING MATERIALS FOR COURSE PROMOTION	Access to CompTIA marketing materials to promote products and services developed by CompTIA. Such marketing materials include but are not limited to CompTIA logos, posters, labor market research, and white papers. CompTIA logos must be used in compliance with CompTIA's Trademark Policy located at www.comptia.org/legal. Academic Partner Plaque - will be eligible after $500 of purchases within the first 12 months of partnership. This is a one time benefit.

COMPTIA - HOSTED WEBINARS	CompTIA webinars provide critical details on new certifications and innovations to improve your school's IT curriculum. Watch on-demand webinars and RSVP to upcoming webinar invitations. Visit: **the CompTIA webinar page**
ANNUAL PARTNER MEETING: PARTNER SUMMIT AND EMEA PARTNER EVENT	The Annual CompTIA Partner Summit attracts hundreds of training managers and instructors from academic, commercial, government and corporate markets. Our programming inspires partners to improve training solutions and enhance the skillset of the IT workforce.

Instructor Benefits

COMPTIA INSTRUCTOR NETWORK (CIN)	CIN is a worldwide community for instructors providing CompTIA certification training. Join hundreds of instructors collaborating, sharing best practices, and receiving valuable resources. Visit: **CIN**
TRAIN-THE-TRAINER COURSES	Train-the-Trainer (TTT) online courses are offered for new and updated certifications. TTT are live and on-demand online courses. TTT are targeted to help instructors prepare for classroom success. Visit: **CIN**
ADDITIONAL CLASSROOM RESOURCES	Certification brochures and flyers tailored to IT students and additional posters, videos and infographics. Visit: **the Back-to-School page**

Student Benefits

INTERACTIVE CAREER PATHWAY PLANNING TOOL	This dynamic resource provides students with details on how certifications can help develop a variety of IT career pathways. Includes median national salary data and employment forecasts for specific IT job roles. Visit: **the IT Career Pathway Planner**
CONVIENENT CERTIFICATION EXAM TESTING OPTIONS	Students can test in-person or online for CompTIA certification exams. Register for online testing with remote proctoring, powered by Pearson OnVue. This platform allows candidates to take their CompTIA exams anywhere, anytime, while maintaining a secure testing environment. To learn more visit: **Pearson OnVue**

CompTIA Solutions Catalog

Explore CompTIA certifications, accompanying curriculum and Official CompTIA learning resources in our solutions catalog.

Visit: **the CompTIA Solutions Catalog**

Purchasing and Pricing

CompTIA Academic Partners may purchase Official learning resources and certification exam vouchers in the CompTIA Store.

To locate your purchase price and instructions for purchasing using your partner discount visit:
the CompTIA Partner website

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