CompTIA Academy Program

CompTIA AUTHORIZED ACADEMY PARTNER PROGRAM
The goal of the CompTIA Authorized Academy Partner Program is to provide valuable tools and resources to assist schools in recruiting, training, certifying, and upgrading the skills of their students in IT.

Successful IT careers start with quality education and certification. Research has shown that certified employees have superior communication skills and are better able to understand new or complex technologies. CompTIA’s Academy program is designed to help schools promote certification and enhance student career opportunities.

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
• Not-For-Profits
• Correctional Facilities (Complete eligibility criteria are contained in the official online application)

HOW TO JOIN
Please visit CompTIA.org/academy and complete the application. There is no fee to join.

ABOUT CompTIA
The Computing Technology Industry Association (CompTIA) is a leading voice and advocate for the $4.8 trillion global information technology ecosystem, and the more than 35 million industry and tech professionals who design, implement, manage, and safeguard the technology that powers the world’s economy. Through education, training, certifications, advocacy, philanthropy, and market research, CompTIA is the hub for advancing the tech industry and its workforce. Visit CompTIA.org to learn more.

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Our digital world is expanding so rapidly that it's creating IT job openings faster than trained people can be found to fill them. Right now there are almost 2,000,000 unfilled IT jobs globally in a variety of industries.* There's no better time to get into IT.

*Indeed.com
CompTIA Academy Program Benefits

Additional information about the following items can be found on the Partner Website: CompTIA.org/Academy

FINANCIAL BENEFITS
CompTIA Certifications
Your organization and students receive 20-45% discount off of all CompTIA exams.

CompTIA Store
Partners may purchase vouchers, Official CompTIA Content and CertMaster products using their Partner ID on the CompTIA Store. https://store.comptia.org/location-selector

Contact your Business Development Manager. https://partners.comptia.org/how-to/purchase-vouchers

Instructor Exam Vouchers
Academy Partners will receive two complimentary vouchers upon CompTIA approval as CAPP Academy Partner to certify instructors for CompTIA classes.

CERTIFICATION TESTING
• Become a Testing Center: CompTIA encourages every Academy Partner to become a Pearson VUE testing center to help provide your students a convenient testing location. CompTIA.org/pearsonvuetestcenter

• Register for Certification Tests: Students need to register for their exam after they purchase the exam voucher. Share this instructional video with your students: CompTIA.org/examregistration

• Certification Validation Tool: Use exam voucher numbers to track your students’ testing results. This complimentary service is available to all Academy Partners. Register today at CompTIA.org/validationtool

CLASSROOM RESOURCES
• Professional testimonials and case studies
• Certification brochures and flyers tailored to IT students
• Certification videos and infographics
• Classroom posters
• Research and whitepapers
• Academy Partner plaque

INSTRUCTIONAL RESOURCES
CompTIA Instructor Network
CIN is a complimentary, global community for all instructors. Collaborate with CompTIA and other instructors; share best practices; and, receive free CompTIA training and tools to enrich your classrooms. Visit CompTIA.org/CIN and click on the “Request to Join” button.

Certification Exam Objectives
Exam objectives can be used to structure certification courses and build lesson plans. Exam objectives can be accessed online at: partners.comptia.org/certifications

Official CompTIA Content
Official CompTIA Content (OCC) offers a single-source, comprehensive learning resource via our CompTIA Choice Platform. OCC is exclusively developed by CompTIA and covers all exam objectives for all CompTIA certifications. OCC products include print and digital instructor-led training books and LOD labs. We also offer CertMaster Labs, Practice and Learn.

Partners may request three complimentary CertMaster access keys for instructors. Visit CompTIA.org/certmasteraccesskey

Certification Roadmap
The interactive tool assists instructors, career counselors and learners in understanding how certifications can help develop an IT career path. Visit CompTIA.org/ITcareerpath

CompTIA-hosted Webinars
Learn about new certifications and other innovative ways of improving training through certification webinars and professional development webinars. Visit CompTIA.org/webinararchive

ANNUAL PARTNER SUMMIT
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.

The CompTIA Partner Summit is the premier event for our partner community to engage in face-to-face communication, build new contacts, learn new skills and drive their business forward.

CompTIA.org/partnersummit

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