Free Courses in Project Management

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**Introduction**  
Project management is the discipline encompassing all aspects involved in bringing a project to successful completion. It includes feasibility studies, scoping, budgeting, planning, milestone and resource management, task scheduling, reporting and implementation. Project management knowledge and qualifications are required for many jobs. A job seeker who has done project management courses may have an edge over the competition. There are a few project management courses available for free, some online and others available as local classroom courses. Many free project management courses are funded by the government as a means of helping unemployed persons get back into employment.

Prince2 ITIL Course

Prince2 is a project management methodology that is practiced worldwide. It uses a process-based approach to project management, with an emphasis on scalability. Prince2 certifications and courses are widely recognized. A free Prince2 ITIL overview e-learning course is available from the ILX Group. ITIL is a structured approach to information technology service management. The course teaches the basics of project management for information technology projects and is meant to be a gateway to more advanced courses. It is delivered online as an e-learning course.

**Project Management Course**  
**ProjectManagementCourse.com offers a free online project management course that features coursework, cartoons, videos and a blog. Their course is aimed a beginner project managers or seasoned project managers seeking to refresh their knowledge of project management basics. The online e-learning course is augmented with a clickable photo-course, which aims to teach project management principles through photographs and captions.**

**Online Self-Study**

**HRA Consulting offers the full text of a project management course online for free. The course covers all aspects of project management. It includes sections on project stages, risk management, estimating, planning, agreement, reporting, tracking, controlling, managing change and issues, quality assurance and ending projects. It also has a comprehensive section dedicated to management of information technology projects.**

Local Free Courses

Community colleges, public and private education institutions often offer free government-funded project management courses for local residents. Some of these courses are open to the public, while others are attached to special schemes or programs. Many local institutions offer special courses aimed at people who are unemployed or facing redundancy. Programs and requirements differ by area, so you will need to contact each institution for eligibility requirements and course availability.

**Key Concepts**  
Project management

Free courses  
Free training

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**Resources**

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