# AWS Academy Cloud Foundations (ACF) Course Outline

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#### **Description**

AWS Academy Cloud Foundations is intended for students who seek an overall understanding of cloud computing concepts, independent of specific technical roles. It provides a detailed overview of cloud concepts, AWS core services, security, architecture, pricing, and support.

#### **Course Objectives**

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Define the AWS Cloud
- Explain the AWS pricing philosophy
- Identify the global infrastructure components of AWS
- Describe the security and compliance measures of the AWS Cloud, including AWS Identity And Access Management (IAM)
- Create a virtual private cloud (VPC) by using Amazon Virtual Private Cloud (Amazon VPC)
- Demonstrate when to use Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (Amazon EC2), AWS Lambda, andAWS Elastic Beanstalk
- Differentiate between Amazon Simple Storage Service (Amazon S3), Amazon Elastic Block Store (Amazon EBS), Amazon Elastic File System (Amazon EFS), and Amazon Simple Storage ServiceGlacier (Amazon S3 Glacier)
- Demonstrate when to use AWS database services, including Amazon Relational Database Service (Amazon RDS), Amazon DynamoDB, Amazon Redshift, and Amazon Aurora
- Explain the architectural principles of the AWS Cloud
- Explore key concepts related to Elastic Load Balancing, Amazon CloudWatch, and Amazon EC2Auto Scaling

#### **Duration**

Aug 28, 2021 - Oct 19, 2021.

#### **Student Prerequisites**

This is an entry-level course, but students should possess:

- General IT technical knowledge
- General IT business knowledge

## **Delivery Methods**

This course is delivered with digital training models that students can complete independently.

#### **Learning Resources**

- Lecture materials
- Online multiple-choice knowledge checks
- Lab exercises
- Digital training (optional)
- Video introductions
- Video demos
- Example solutions

### **Grading Scale**

Task	Weightage
End Of Module Quizzes	20%
Score on AWS training exams from Digital Cloud	50%
AWS Certification Exam	30%

NOTE: If You Pass the AWS Certification Exam , you get an "A" for the course.