This document is a summary of frequently asked questions on the logistical aspects of the Foundation Station Program.

*Q1. What is Foundation Station?*

A1. A FREE 4-week program designed for learners in AWS Partner organizations to learn the foundations of the AWS Cloud, regardless of their role, and get AWS certified.

*Q2. How will it help me?*

A2. This program helps you prepare for the AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner exam. Strengthen your preparation for the exam by completing self-paced digital course on Skill Builder, and by attending live office hour sessions conducted by AWS trainers.

*Q3. What is an Office Hour?*

A3. A time set aside for helping program participants with their questions, queries, or concerns on their AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner Certification exam preparation. In the 3 weeks until March 20, AWS trainers were available for an hour (5pm - 6pm IST, Thursdays) to provide guidance and clarity related to the said exam. These sessions held over Webex (AWS PartnerCast) and required you to register with your professional email ids. Please note, AWS will not track/consider attendance by participants who register via their personal email.

*Q4. What am I expected to do?*

A4. Complete the allotted modules (Module 1 to11) from the digital self-paced course on AWS Cloud Practitioner Essentials by now. This digital course is to be found on the AWS Skill Builder (link: [<https://explore.skillbuilder.aws/learn/course/external/view/elearning/134/aws-cloud-practitioner-essentials?lacp=tile&tile=dt>](https://explore.skillbuilder.aws/learn/course/external/view/elearning/134/aws-cloud-practitioner-essentials?lacp=tile&tile=dt)). You should have completed the allotted modules by now, come to the exam preparation workshop with your doubts and clarifications where AWS Trainers will help you.

*Q5. How much time does the Foundation Station self-paced digital training on AWS Cloud Practitioner Essentials take?*

A5. A total of 3 hours per week. This can be split into 2 hours of learning from the Digital course, and 1 hour of the Office Hours. Find the link to this training here: [<https://explore.skillbuilder.aws/learn/course/external/view/elearning/134/aws-cloud-practitioner-essentials?lacp=tile&tile=dt>](https://explore.skillbuilder.aws/learn/course/external/view/elearning/134/aws-cloud-practitioner-essentials?lacp=tile&tile=dt)

*Q6. For the Digital course, how do I know the weekly module assignments?*

A6. This information is shared with you via several channels. 1. Invitations of the weekly office hours held over Webex. 2. The assigned modules for the subsequent week will be shared by the AWS Trainers during the Office Hours. 3. Please reach out to your AWS Partner Point of Contact for this information.

*Q7. Will there be any other learning assist provided apart from the Digital Course and Office Hours?*

A7. Yes, there is a 3-hour AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner: Exam Preparation Workshop scheduled on March 24th 10 AM to 1 PM IST to help learners reinforce their preparation for the certification exam. All Foundation Station registrants are automatically enrolled in this session and have received Webex invitations for the same.

*Q8. I belong to a Partner Organization; how do I register to the partnercentral.AWS.com to access the Partner learning on offer?*

A7. Log in to partnercentral.AWS.com. If you do not have an APN account, please[self-register](https://partnercentral.awspartner.com/APNSelfRegister)(watch the AWS Partner Network Registration Video guide at the left-hand side of the page). You will be prompted to set up your profile if it is your first time accessing the portal. If you have questions, please visit APN [Knowledge Base](https://www.apn-portal.com/knowledgebase/). If it does not answer your question, please reach us at [Contact Training Team](https://support.aws.amazon.com/#/contacts/aws-training) for questions related to AWS Training & Certification portal, or [Contact APN Team](https://www.apn-portal.com/knowledgebase/?cu=1&fs=ContactUs&l=en_US) for questions related to APN Partner Portal.

*Q9. Will the Foundation Station sessions be recorded and shared?*

A8. Yes. Recordings will be shared with participants within 7 to 10 days of the session.

*Q10. What next?*

A9. Partners are expected to book their AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner exam in the week of March 27 and pass their Certification exam!

*Q11. How do I book this exam?*

A10. Please reach out to your company Learning and Development leaders / AWS Partner point of contact for more information in this regard.

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