

Here's the learning material table with a **reading timeline** included. The timeline is broken down into weekly milestones to help you stay on track as you work on building the courier service project.

Phase	Objective	Topics	Resources	Reading Timeline
Phase 1: Fundamentals of Go	Learn the basics and advanced features of Go.	- Installation and Setup- Basic Syntax (variables, functions)- Control Structures (if-else, loops)- Structs, Interfaces, and Error Handling- Goroutines and Channels (Concurrency)	- Go Documentation - " Go Programming Language " by Alan A. A. Donovan & Brian W. Kernighan- Go by Example	Week 1 - Week 2 Spend the first 2 weeks mastering the Go language basics and concurrency concepts.
Phase 2: Building a RESTful API with Go	Learn to build a web API using Go.	- Setting up Go web framework (Gin/Echo)- Routing, request handling, middleware- JSON serialization/deserialization- HTTP Methods (GET, POST, DELETE)- CRUD Operations	- Gin Documentation - Echo Documentation - Building a REST API with Go	Week 3 - Week 4 Spend 2 weeks building your first REST API with Go.
Phase 3: Database Integration	Learn how to integrate and interact with a database in Go.	- Setting up PostgreSQL/MySQL- ORM (GORM/sqlx)- Database schema design (users, orders)- Writing SQL queries- Integrating Redis for caching	- GORM Documentation - Go SQL Tutorial - Redis Go Client	Week 5 - Week 6 Spend 2 weeks learning how to integrate relational databases and Redis with Go.
Phase 4: Building Microservices (Optional)	Learn to break down the system into microservices.	- Designing microservices (dispatch, tracking, payment)- Inter-service communication (REST, gRPC, RabbitMQ)- Service orchestration (Docker, Kubernetes)	- " Microservices Patterns " by Chris Richardson- Building Microservices in Go - Kubernetes Documentation	Week 7 - Week 8 Optionally, spend 2 weeks learning microservices architecture and deploying them using Docker and Kubernetes.
Phase 5: Real-Time Communication & Route Optimization	Implement real-time tracking and route optimization.	- WebSocket for real-time tracking- Route optimization (Dijkstra, A* algorithm)- Integrating external map APIs (Google Maps)	- Gorilla WebSocket Guide - Google OR-Tools - Real-Time WebSockets in Go	Week 9 - Week 10 Dedicate 2 weeks to building real-time tracking and understanding route optimization algorithms.
Phase 6: Payment Integration	Learn how to integrate a payment system.	- Integrating Stripe/PayPal/Razorpay- Handling transactions, refunds- Implementing payment webhooks	- Stripe API Docs - PayPal API Docs - Payment Integration with Go	Week 11 Spend 1 week learning how to integrate payments into your system using APIs.
Phase 7: DevOps & Deployment	Learn deployment strategies and containerization.	- Dockerize Go app- Use Docker Compose for multi-container apps- Deploy on Kubernetes	- Docker Documentation - Kubernetes Documentation	Week 12 Dedicate 1 week to deploying your app using Docker and Kubernetes.

Final Project: Build the Courier Service

- **Objective:** Build the full system, integrating everything you've learned.
 - **Tasks:**
 - **API Design:** Define all necessary endpoints (user registration, order tracking, etc.).
 - **CRUD Operations:** Implement logic for managing users, orders, and deliveries.
 - **Real-Time Tracking:** Set up WebSockets or gRPC for live location updates.
 - **Route Optimization:** Implement route optimization algorithms.
 - **Payment Gateway:** Integrate a payment system (Stripe, PayPal, Razorpay).
 - **Deployment:** Dockerize the app and deploy using Kubernetes.
 - **Timeline for Final Project:**
 - **Week 13 - Week 14:** Plan and start the project by building the core features.
 - **Week 15:** Test, deploy, and ensure everything works together.
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Total Time: 15 Weeks (3.5 Months)

This timeline allows you to gradually build up your knowledge and skills, with clear milestones every week. Of course, if you already have prior experience with some of the topics, you can move faster, but this should serve as a good guideline to stay on track. Let me know if you need adjustments or more resources!