



AWS Partner Certification Readiness: Developer - Associate

Simplifying Your Certification Journey

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AWS Developer – Associate PCR Program Team



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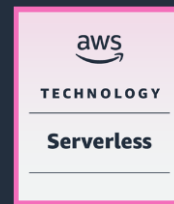


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What is the Program?

*Prepare for
your AWS
Certification
in 5 Weeks!*

- This program is aimed at providing you with the skills needed to become AWS Developer – Associate certified!
- The program includes structured learning opportunities each week with Digital Training, Exam Strategy, and Content Reviews all hosted by AWS experts.
- Participants will also earn AWSome badges to share on social media.



Twitch Community Guidelines

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Respectful

This Week's Curriculum

Core Trainings

Course	Time (hours)
<u>AWS Partner: Accreditation (Technical)</u>	4
<u>AWS Technical Essentials</u>	4
<u>AWS Compute Services Overview</u>	0.8

Optional Paid Hands-On Resources (\$29/month)

AWS Builder Labs

<u>Introduction to Amazon DynamoDB</u>	0.75
<u>Introduction to AWS Lambda</u>	0.75

Complimentary Hands-On Labs & Calendar Invitations

Key Dates – Download calendar invitations for our weekly live Twitch sessions:

- [Content Review Sessions](#) | Every Thursday from October 12 - November 9 | 8-9:30am PT
- [Exam Strategy Sessions](#) | Every Tuesday from October 17 - November 7 | 8-9:30am PT



Normally, these labs require an **AWS Skill Builder subscription**, but you can take them for **FREE** through **October 31**.

- **Fundamental | 1 Hour | Working with AWS CodeCommit** | [Start the FREE lab ›](#)
- **Advanced | 1 Hour | Automate Application Testing Using AWS CodeBuild** | [Start the FREE lab ›](#)

Let's Demo!

Developer Accelerator Home Page

1. Sign in or create your [AWS Partner Central](#) account using your company email address.
2. Sign in to [AWS Skill Builder](#) as an AWS Partner using the credentials created in Step 1.
3. Register for one of the interactive, hands-on AWS Jam events below to build your skills further:
 - Wednesday, November 1 | 8am - 12pm CT | [Register](#)
 - Thursday, November 2 | 8am - 12pm CT | [Register](#)
4. **Week 1 Tasks**
 - [AWS Partner: Accreditation \(Technical\)](#)
 - [AWS Technical Essentials](#)
 - [AWS Compute Services Overview](#)

FAQ and Next Steps

FAQ (1/2)

Related to the Program

- **What happens during 'exam strategy' sessions? Do I have to attend them?**
 - On Tuesdays, starting next week, [exam strategy sessions](#) will cover test-taking best practices and sample exam questions.
 - We highly recommend joining.
- **When will I get my accreditation badge? It's not showing up in Credly!**
 - Badges take 7-10 business days to be awarded.
- **Can I get complete all the trainings before they are due?**
 - We recommend that you take the program in the cadence that has been established.
 - However, if you are willing and able to commit the amount of time needed – go for it!
 - You can begin taking your exams as early as week 5.
- **When should I purchase my exam voucher and schedule my exam?**
 - Purchase and schedule your exam in the next week or two. Complete your exam by November 30th to maximize pass rate.
- **Can I take the exam virtually due to COVID-19 protocols in my geography?**
 - You can take the exam virtually or in a testing center.
 - Please schedule your exam for whichever delivery model works best for you.

FAQ (2/2)

Related to the Program

- **Does this training cost money?**
 - The training offered in this program is completely free to AWS Partners.
 - There are optional paid, supplemental hands-on trainings that include AWS Builder Labs and AWS Jam challenges.
 - Those can be accessed for \$29/month with an AWS Skill Builder subscription. Find out about AWS Skill Builder subscriptions [here](#).
- **Will AWS give me a free exam voucher for participating in this program?**
 - No – the exam voucher has a cost of \$150
- **Will the exam strategy and content review sessions be recorded?**
 - Yes – each session will be recorded and available to be re-watched on Twitch.
- **After each session will we get a copy of the PowerPoint deck?**
 - Yes – after each session a .pdf of the PPT will be distributed to program participants.

Next Steps

- Register for APN Partner Central - [Click here to register](#)
- Sign in to [AWS Skill Builder](#) as an AWS Partner using the credentials created in Step 1.
- Please review the [Developer Accelerator Home Page](#) if you'd like to see the detailed weekly trainings and weekly Content Review materials (as they become available)
- Register for the AWS Developer - Associate certification in the next week or two! You are welcome to schedule it for mid-November (recommended)



Thank You!