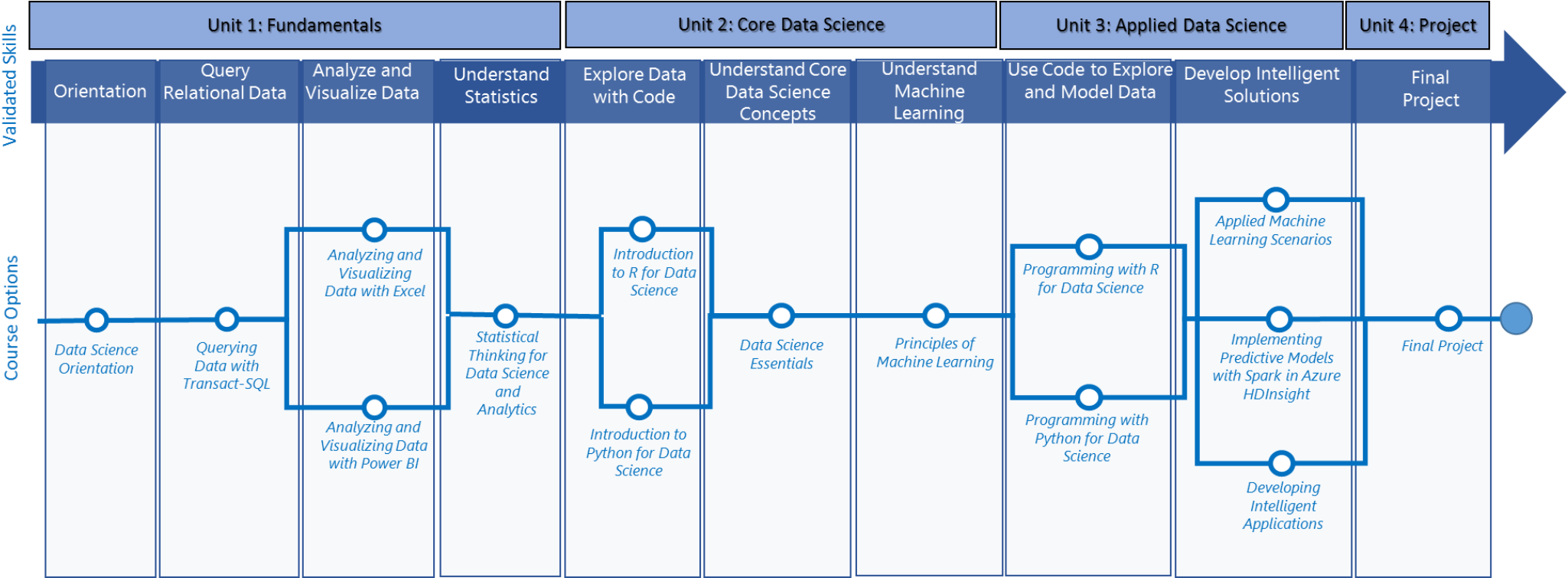


Data Science Track of the Microsoft Professional Program

Recommended Study Path

The diagram below represents the recommended path to complete the data science curriculum. Start at the left, and complete each unit until you reach the end of the curriculum at the right. Each stop along the path represents a course that you must complete successfully in order to validate the skills listed along the top. For some skills, more than one course is available; and for these skills you must complete any one of the available courses.



Course Schedule

The courses in this program are run four times each year, starting on July 1st. During each run, the unit 1,2, and 3 course will be available for three months; and the final project will be available for 6 weeks at the end of the period.

	Run 1	Run 2	Run 3	Run 4
Unit 1, 2, and 3 Courses	Jul 1 st – Sept 30 th	Oct 1 st – Dec 31 st	Jan 1 st – March 31 st	Apr 1 st – June 30 th
Final Project	Sep 5 th – Oct 14 th	Dec 12 th – Jan 20 th	Mar 15 th – Apr 21 st	Jun 15 th – Jul 21 st

Registration opens one weeks before the start date, and closes one week before the end date.

*DS101x is a 3rd party course offered by an institution other than Microsoft. Students must enroll in and complete this course, and submit their verified certificate to Microsoft in order to complete the curriculum.