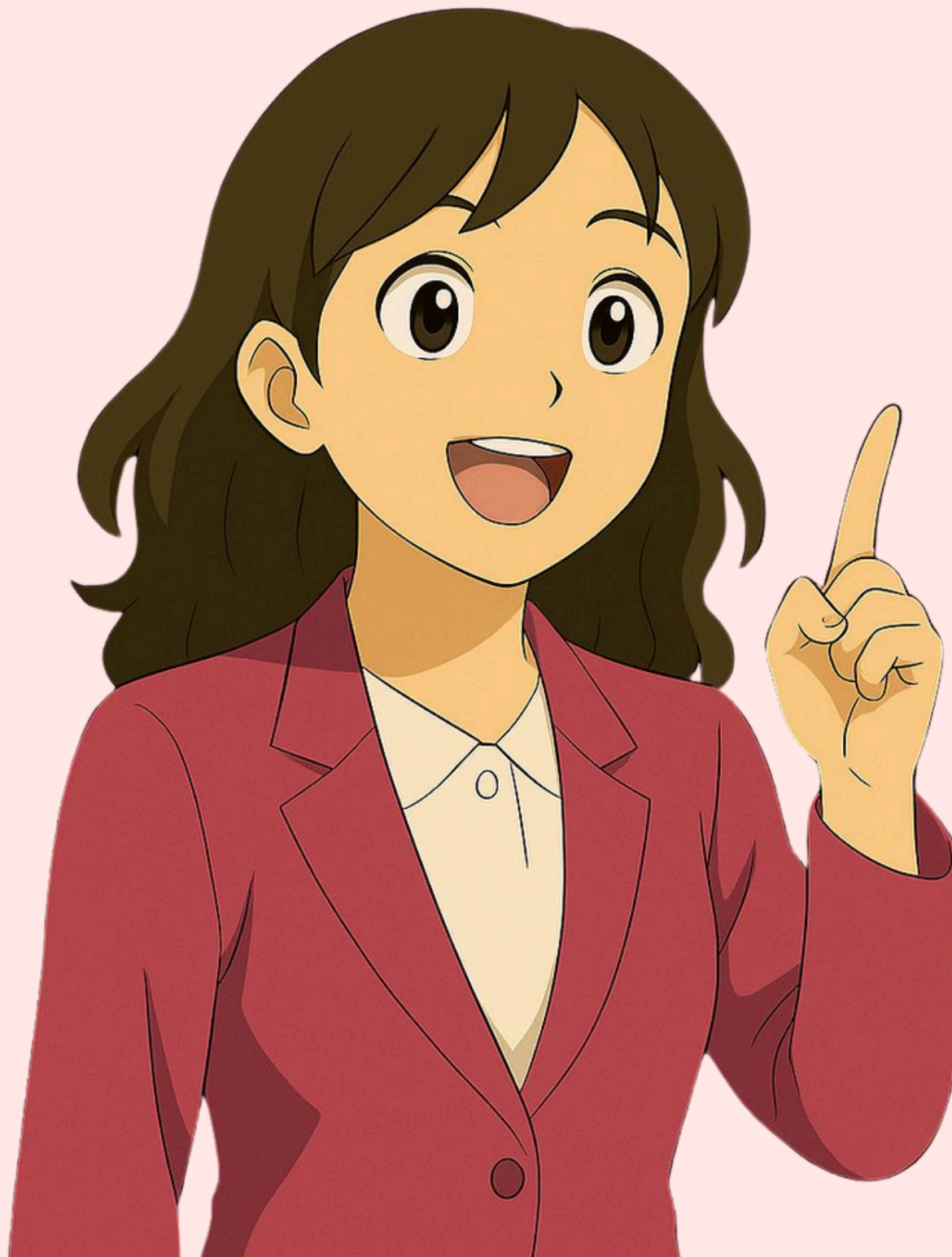# 7

CLOUD MISTAKES

TO AVOID

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1 Skipping the Basics

Many rush into advanced tools without understanding what compute, storage, or network even mean.

BASIC

- **Don't skip** the base, it's what makes everything else make sense.
- If you don't get the basics, even the dashboard will **confuse** you later.

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2 **Copying Code Blindly**

Copy-paste from YouTube or blogs without understanding it?

- That's like **flying a plane without knowing the buttons**
- Try to **understand** what each command does, you'll thank yourself when something breaks.

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3 # Ignoring Free Tier Limits

Yes, the cloud gives free credits.

- But every free account has **limits** and once crossed, it starts **billing** silently.
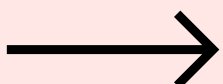- Set up **usage alerts** and always check your billing dashboard.

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4 **Weak IAM Permissions**

Giving full admin access to............
everyone = biggest mistake 😬

- Learn **Identity & Access Management (IAM)** early.
- it's your first step into real world cloud security.

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5 No Budget Alerts

Most beginners skip setting up budget notifications.
RESULT?

- One month later → "Why did AWS charge me **₹5000?**"
- Always create a **budget + email alert** even on Day 1.

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6 Forgetting Old Resources

You created a VM or database for testing and forgot to stop it?

I'M SORRY, I FORGOT

- That's how your **"small project"** turns into a **"big bill."**
- Regularly clean up **unused resources,** it's a good habit and a professional one too.

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7 Believing "Certificate = Job"

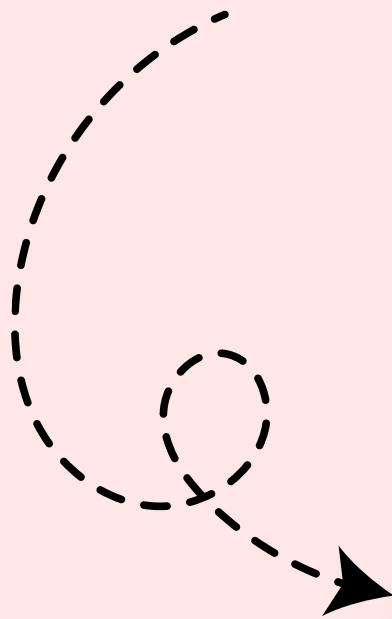Certifications show your interest not your experience.

- Employers look for **hands-on practice** and **problem-solving skills.**
- Certificates are **Required but**... Focus on learning, building, and sharing is alo Important.

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