



PMP®

CERTIFICATION TRAINING COURSE



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OVERVIEW

PMP® certification training built for the current PMP exam, aligned to the PMBOK® Guide 8th Edition and the 2026 PMI Examination Content Outline (ECO) in effect since July 9, 2026. As a PMI Authorized Training Partner, we've trained working professionals across the USA and Canada to a 4.8 Trustpilot rating across 836+ verified reviews, backed by a 100% money-back guarantee.

The 2026 exam reweighted its three domains significantly. Business Environment nearly tripled from 8% to 26%, while People and Process both dropped, and roughly 60% of the 180-question exam now reflects agile or hybrid approaches rather than predictive-only thinking. Our 35-hour live instructor-led course is structured around this current weighting, not the retired 2021 outline, with dedicated coverage of AI-supported project decisions, sustainability, and value delivery, the areas where the new exam concentrates its hardest scenario-based questions.



What is Included?

- ❑ 4-Day Intensive 35-Hour PMP Boot Camp - Aligned with PMBOK® Guide 8th Edition and the July 2026 PMP Exam Content Outline (ECO)
- ❑ 35-Hour Comprehensive PMP® Exam Prep Class - Covers all domains, processes, and knowledge areas required for the PMP exam.
- ❑ Expert PMP-Certified Instructor - Learn directly from an experienced, industry-certified PMP professional.
- ❑ 35 Contact Hours Certificate - Meets the official PMI requirement needed to apply for the PMP exam.
- ❑ Real-World Case Studies - Practical examples to help you understand and apply PMP concepts effectively.
- ❑ 1000+ PMP Practice Questions - Extensive question bank to help you assess your readiness and strengthen weak areas.
- ❑ Reference Resources - Additional study materials to support deeper learning and revision.
- ❑ PMP Exam Guidance - Information to help you understand the exam format, process, and expectations.
- ❑ Application Assistance - Step-by-step support for completing your PMP exam application.
- ❑ Post-Class Support - Continued assistance from the Gold Standard Certifications training team even after the course ends.
- ❑ 100% Money-Back Guarantee - Risk-free enrollment designed to support your certification success.

Delivery Mode

Instructor-Led Live Online classroom



Why Get PMP® Certified?

- World's leading PM certification, 1.5M+ professionals across 211 countries.
- PMI projects a need for 30M new project professionals by 2035, with a 1.3-1.6 M gap in North America alone.
- US PMP holders earn a median \$135,000, 24% more than non-certified peers (PMI, 2025).
- The premium compounds over time: PMP holders with 10+ years post-certification report \$173,000 median, nearly 41% higher than those certified within five years.
- Built on PMBOK® 8, proving you can lead predictive, agile, and hybrid projects- the skills employers are hiring for now.

What You Will Learn

- Learn the People, Process, and Business milestones that reflect soft skills, technical approaches, and organizational strategy of project management.
- Understand Predictive, Agile, and Hybrid approaches to managing a project, including the tools and techniques used in each.
- Learn how to pass the PMP® exam and what it takes to answer test questions from PMI®'s perspective.

Prerequisites

No prior experience or knowledge is required to attend Gold Standard Certifications PMP Certification Training. However, to qualify for the PMP exam, you must meet one of the following sets of eligibility requirements:

To qualify for the PMP® exam, you need to complete the 35-hours of project management education and fulfil educational background and project management experience requirements.

- A secondary degree (i.e., high school diploma, associate degree, or global equivalent)
- 7,500 hours experience leading and directing projects
- 35 hours of project management education

Or,

- A four-year degree with 4,500 hours leading and directing projects
- 35 hours of project management education

Or,

- Bachelor's or post-graduate degree from a GAC accredited program (bachelor's degree or master's or global equivalent)
- Minimum two years/24 months unique non-overlapping professional project management experience
- 35 hours of project management education



Target Audience

- Project managers
- Mid-Level, Senior Project Managers
- Team leads
- Project Coordinators
- Project executives
- Program Managers
- Software developers
- IT managers
- Aspiring to be a project manager



COURSE CURRICULUM

Section 1: Introduction

Begin your PMP® certification journey with a clear understanding of what it means to be a modern project manager. In this lesson, you'll explore the evolving role of project professionals as leaders who create positive change within organisations, teams, and communities. You'll also gain an overview of the PMP exam, certification process, and the skills needed to succeed in today's project management environment.

Topics Covered

- Lesson 01: About this Course
 - 1.01 Introduction to Lessons
- Lesson 02: About PMP Certification
 - 2.01 What Is the PMP Certification?
- Lesson 03: About the Exam
 - 3.01: Domains
 - 3.02: Question Types
 - 3.03: Exam Structure

Section 2: The Big Picture

Build a strong foundation in project management by learning what defines a project, the responsibilities of a project manager, and how projects contribute to business success. This lesson introduces project life cycles, delivery approaches such as Predictive, Agile, and Hybrid, governance principles, and the connection between organizational strategy and successful project outcomes. You'll also clear up common misconceptions and understand how projects deliver measurable business value.

Topics Covered

- ☐ Lesson 01: What is a Project
- ☐ Lesson 02: Life Cycles and Development Approaches
- ☐ Lesson 03: An Introduction to Governance



Section 3: Stakeholders, Vision, and Communication

Successful projects begin with a shared vision and engaged stakeholders. This lesson focuses on stakeholder identification, communication planning, and relationship management using practical examples and real-world project scenarios. You'll learn how effective communication improves collaboration, strengthens stakeholder engagement, and increases the likelihood of project success.

Topics Covered

- ☐ Lesson 01: Identifying and Understanding Stakeholders
- ☐ Lesson 02: Developing a Common Vision
- ☐ Lesson 03: Planning and Managing Communication
- ☐ Lesson 04: Aligning and Managing Stakeholder Expectations

Section 4: Team, Conflict, and Knowledge

Strong leadership starts with strong teams. In this lesson, you'll learn how to build high-performing project teams, foster collaboration, resolve conflicts, and encourage knowledge sharing. Through realistic scenarios and PMP-style practice questions, you'll strengthen your decision-making skills and develop the leadership expected.

Topics Covered

- ☐ Lesson 01: Leading and Structuring the Team
- ☐ Lesson 02: Managing Conflict
- ☐ Lesson 03: Ensure Knowledge Transfer

Section 5: Core Planning: Scope, Value, Resources, Finance, and Risk

Effective planning is the backbone of every successful project. This lesson covers essential project planning techniques, including scope management, resource planning, budgeting, value delivery, and risk management. You'll understand how these planning activities work together to keep projects aligned with business objectives while minimising uncertainty.

Topics Covered

- Lesson 01: Developing Scope and Value Orientation
- Lesson 02: Risk and Compliance Foundations
- Lesson 03: Planning and Managing Finance
- Lesson 04: Planning and Managing Resources

Section 6: Integrated Planning: Method, Plan, Schedule, Quality, and Procurement

Take your planning skills to the next level by learning how to create a complete and integrated project management plan. This lesson explores selecting the right project delivery approach, developing realistic schedules, estimating work, managing quality, and planning procurement activities. You'll learn how these elements come together to support successful project execution and deliver lasting value.

Topics Covered

- Lesson 01: Developing an Integrated Project Management Plan and Plan Delivery
- Lesson 02: Planning and Managing the Schedule
- Lesson 03: Planning and Optimizing the Quality of Products and Deliverables
- Lesson 04: Planning and Managing Procurement

Section 7: Execution, Monitoring, Change, and Impediments

Discover how successful projects move from planning to execution. This lesson explains how to manage project work, monitor performance, communicate progress with stakeholders, and respond effectively to change. You'll also learn practical techniques for identifying risks, removing obstacles, and keeping projects on track throughout their lifecycle.

Topics Covered

- Lesson 01: Evaluating Project Status and Manage Artifacts
- Lesson 02: Planning and Controlling Changes
- Lesson 03: Removing Impediments and Managing Issues

Section 8: Business Environment Dynamics, Continuous Improvement, and Closure

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ABOUT US

The Gold Standard Certifications... to us, it's more than just a Name. We founded Gold Standard Certifications with one purpose: to deliver high-quality Project Management coaching at affordable prices. We cater to both freshers and experienced working professionals dedicated to expanding their skills, overcoming challenging workplace situations, and successfully delivering results. Gold Standard Certifications have a crucial role to play in creating engaging and effective training environments that have a substantial impact on our clients' professional journeys. We collaborate with organizations and people to address their remarkable necessities, giving preparation and instructing that assist working professionals with accomplishing their professional objectives. We offer interactive and engaging instructor-led online and on-demand programs in the areas of Project Management, Quality Management, Agile & Scrum, DevOps, and IT Service Management for individuals and corporations.



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