

Project Management Institute Registered Education Provider (PMI R.E.P.)

This document supplements the information in the Learning Tree brochures and catalogues and provides answers to the most frequently asked questions.

What does the Project Management Institute R.E.P. designation mean?

As a PMI R.E.P., Learning Tree is committed to enhancing the ongoing professional development of PMI members, PMI-certified Project Management Professionals (PMP®) and other project management stakeholders. Furthermore, at least some of the material covered in our PMI-aligned courses concurs with one or more of the knowledge groups or process areas described in the, *PMBOK® Guide –Fourth Edition*.

As a PMI R.E.P., Learning Tree has agreed to abide by PMI-established operational and educational criteria and is subject to random audits for quality assurance purposes.

Can I earn PDU credits by attending a Learning Tree course?

Yes. Completion of certain Learning Tree courses provide professional development units (PDUs), which can be applied toward the minimum PDUs required to sit an exam or to maintain your certification.

Please refer to the chart at the end of this document to see the number of PDUs provided per each Learning Tree PMI-aligned course.

How do I get PDU credits for Learning Tree courses?

Certification candidates and existing credential holders are responsible for reporting all Continuing Certification Requirements Program (CCR) activities to PMI. To report the completion of a Learning Tree course, you can use the [Online PDU Resources system](#).

What is Learning Tree's provider number?

When applying for PDU credits, you will need Learning Tree's provider number, which is **1154**, and the PMI program numbers listed in the table below. Also, when completing the PDU form, be sure to select Category 3 under which to apply these Learning Tree course PDUs.

What is the PMP® certification?

PMI grants a Project Management Professional (PMP) certification that is well-known in the field. This certification recognizes experience, education and accomplishment in project management. To become certified, candidates must pass an exam.

If you are an experienced project manager intending to take the PMP exam, you should take Course 276, *Preparing for the Project Management Professional (PMP®) Exam*. In this course you learn essential *PMBOK Guide* terminology and gain practical test-taking experience. This course also provides you with 35 contact hours, fulfilling your pre-exam education requirement.

The Learning Tree PMP Exam Prep Guarantee

Learning Tree stands behind the quality of its courses. If for any reason you do not pass your PMP exam after completing our course, "Preparing for the Project Management Professional (PMP)® Exam", contact us within 60 days of your original course attendance to schedule a free course retake.

What is the CAPM® certification?

PMI grants a Certified Associate in Project Management (CAPM) certification that is beneficial to project team members or early stage project managers who are looking for a stepping stone to the PMP certification.

If you intend to take this exam, Course 3601, *Preparing for the Certified Associate in Project Management (CAPM)® Exam*, can help you learn the terms and definitions of the *PMBOK® Guide* and prepare for the CAPM® exam. You also identify significant steps of the project life cycle, evaluate your exam preparedness and create a personalized plan for self-study.

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What is the PgMP® certification?

PMI grants a Program Management Professional (PgMP) certification that defines a global standard of best practices for program management professionals. The PgMP credential recognizes the experience and skills required to oversee multiple, related projects at a strategic, program management level within an organization.

If you are a program or portfolio manager, experienced project manager or senior executive interested in taking the PgMP exam you should take Course 920, *Preparing for the Program Management Professional (PgMP)® Exam*. In this course you learn how to align your program management experience with PgMP terminology and definitions, navigate the processes and knowledge areas of *The Standard for Program Management* and analyze methods essential for PgMP exam success.

What is the PMI-SPSM certification?

PMI grants a specialized PMI Scheduling Professional (PMI-SP) certification that recognizes advanced expertise in the area of developing and maintaining the project schedule.

Course 248, *Project Scheduling: Controlling the Project Timeline*, is helpful for those responsible for managing project time and those who wish to enhance their scheduling skills. Although this course is not designed as an exam preparation course, it develops your practical skills in scheduling—skills that are essential to successful project delivery—and aligns with the PMI Scheduling Professional (PMI-SP[®]) exam. In particular, this course maps to topics in the *Standard for Scheduling* and specific PMI-SP certification exam areas.

What is the PMI-RMPSM certification?

The PMI Risk Management Professional (PMI-RMP) certification focuses on the specialized expertise needed in the area of project risk management.

In Course 286, *Project Risk Management*, you develop strategies to identify and measure the risks in project development and implementation. Although this course is not designed as an exam preparation course this course provides strategies for analyzing risk in project development and implementation and aligns with the PMI Risk Management Professional (PMI-RMP[®]) exam.

For information on eligibility requirements for PMI certification exams, please refer to the PMI website: www.pmi.org

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Professional Development Units (PDUs) for Learning Tree Courses

For more information about these course, please refer to the individual Course Q&As.

Learning Tree Crs	Provider Number	Course ID Number	Course Title	PDUs
177	1154	000177	<i>PRINCE2™ Practitioner Certification</i>	29
**187	1154	000187	<i>ITIL® v2: Achieving Foundation Certification</i>	17
**188	1154	000188	<i>ITIL® v2: Change, Configuration & Release Management</i>	29
**189	1154	000189	<i>ITIL® v2: Service Desk, Incident & Problem Management</i>	29
192	1154	00A192	<i>ITIL® v2-v3 Foundation Certification Bridge</i>	10.5
**193	2690	9241	<i>ITIL® v2: Practitioner Agree and Define (IPAD)</i>	38
194	1154	000194	<i>Microsoft Visio</i>	11
195	1154	00B195	<i>Power Excel: Analyzing Data to Make Better Decisions</i>	11
197	1154	00A197	<i>ITIL® v3: Achieving Foundation Certification</i>	18
198	1154	00A198	<i>ITIL® v3 Managers Bridge</i>	33
211	1154	000211	<i>Introduction to Business Analysis</i>	17
212	1154	000212	<i>Building an Effective Business Case</i>	17
213	1154	000213	<i>Introduction to Knowledge Management</i>	17
218	1154	000218	<i>User Requirements for Software Development</i>	23
219	1154	000219	<i>Business and Report Writing</i>	17
221	1154	000221	<i>Writing for the Web</i>	11
222	1154	000222	<i>Leadership Skills: Success Through Teamwork</i>	17
224	1154	000224	<i>Coaching Employee Performance</i>	11
244	1154	000244	<i>Assertiveness Skills</i>	11
246	1154	000246	<i>Managing Information Overload</i>	11
247	1154	000247	<i>MBA Essentials</i>	29
248	1154	000248	<i>Project Scheduling: Controlling the Project Timeline</i>	17
**249	1154	000249	<i>Microsoft Project: Managing Multiple Projects</i>	11
252	1154	000252	<i>Strategic Planning</i>	17
276 (5-day)	1154	00A276	<i>Preparing for the Project Management Professional (PMP®) Exam</i>	35
276 (4-day)	1154	000276	<i>Preparing for the Project Management Professional (PMP®) Exam</i>	23

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281	1154	000281	<i>Finance for Non-financial Managers</i>	17
284	1154	000284	<i>Critical Thinking and Creative Problem Solving</i>	17
286	1154	000286	<i>Project Risk Management</i>	23
287	1154	00B287	<i>Strategic Project Management: Achieving Organizational Goals</i>	23
289	1154	000289	<i>Disaster Recovery Planning: Ensuring Business Continuity</i>	23
290	1154	00A290	<i>Management Skills</i>	23
292	1154	00A292	<i>Communication Skills</i>	17
294	1154	000294	<i>Influence Skills</i>	23
296	1154	000296	<i>Project Management: Skills for Success</i>	23
297	1154	00A297	<i>Personal Skills for Professional Excellence</i>	23
299	1154	00A299	<i>Microsoft Project Introduction</i>	17
312	1152	000312	<i>Software Quality Assurance: Delivering consistent quality</i>	23
315	1154	00A315	<i>Developing User Requirements: The Key to Project Success</i>	23
319	1154	000319	<i>Technical Writing: A Comprehensive Introduction</i>	23
**322	1154	000322	<i>Systems Analysis and Design Comprehensive Introduction</i>	23
340	1154	00C340	<i>Project Management for Software Development</i>	23
**341	1154	000341	<i>Negotiation Skills</i>	17
342	1154	000342	<i>Software Change, Configuration and Release Management</i>	17
344	1154	000344	<i>Time and Priority Management</i>	11
345	1154	00A345	<i>Developing Dynamic Presentation Skills</i>	11
346	1154	000346	<i>Project Leadership: Building High-Performance Teams</i>	23
381	1154	000381	<i>Business Process Re-engineering</i>	23
538	1154	000538	<i>SharePoint 2007 Technologies Comprehensive Introduction</i>	23
901	1154	000901	<i>Introduction to Business Intelligence</i>	17
902	1154	000902	<i>IT Relationship Management</i>	17
903	1154	000903	<i>Public Speaking</i>	17
904	1154	000904	<i>Responding to Conflict</i>	17
905	1154	000905	<i>Facilitation Skills</i>	17
906	1154	000906	<i>Management Skills for an IT Environment</i>	23

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907	1154	000907	<i>IT Strategic Planning: Maximizing the Value of Your IT Investment</i>	17
908	1154	000908	<i>Making Successful Business Decisions: Getting It Right the First Time</i>	17
909	1154	00A909	<i>Management Skills for the Middle Manager</i>	17
910	1154	000910	<i>Achieving Excellence in Customer Service</i>	17
912	1154	000912	<i>Building a Successful Business Analysis Work Plan</i>	17
913	1154	000913	<i>Preparing for the IIBA® CBAP® Certification Exam</i>	23
914	1154	000914	<i>Managing Multiple Projects</i>	17
**915	1154	000915	<i>The PMBOK® Guide in Practice</i>	17
918	1154	000918	<i>Agile Project Management with Scrum</i>	17
919	1154	000919	<i>SharePoint for Project Management</i>	17
920	1154	000920	<i>Preparing for the PgMP Exam</i>	23
**921	1154	000921	<i>Project Recovery: Diagnosis, Strategy and Prevention</i>	17
922	1154	000922	<i>Managing in Tough Times</i>	17
924	1154	000924	<i>Microsoft Project Server 7</i>	17
931	1154	000931	<i>Agile Programming: Principles and Practices</i>	17
933	1154	000933	<i>Software Engineering Best Practices</i>	23
982	1154	000982	<i>ITIL® v3 Intermediate Qualification: Service Strategy</i>	19
983	1154	000983	<i>ITIL® v3 Intermediate Qualification: Managing Across the Lifecycle</i>	30
991	1154	00A991	<i>ITIL® v3 Intermediate Qualification: Service Operation</i>	19
992	1154	00A992	<i>ITIL® v3 Intermediate Qualification: Service Transition</i>	19
993	1154	00A993	<i>ITIL® v3 Intermediate Qualification: Service Design</i>	19
994	1154	00A994	<i>ITIL® v3 Intermediate Qualification: Continual Service Improvement</i>	19
995	1154	00A995	<i>ITIL® v3 Intermediate Qualification: Operational Support and Analysis</i>	30
996	1154	00A996	<i>ITIL® v3 Intermediate Qualification: Release, Control and Validation</i>	30
997	1154	00A997	<i>ITIL® v3 Intermediate Qualification: Planning, Protection and Optimization</i>	30
998	1154	00A998	<i>ITIL® v3 Intermediate Qualification: Service Offerings and Agreements</i>	30
1176	1154	001176	<i>PRINCE2® Achieving Foundation Certification</i>	17
1801	1154	001801	<i>Modern Object-Oriented Software Design</i>	23
3601	1154	003601	<i>Preparing for the Certified Associate in Project Management (CAPM)® Exam</i>	23
3620	1154	003620	<i>Managing Global Projects</i>	17

** Denotes a course that is no longer offered by Learning Tree however if you have already taken the course the PDUs earned are valid and can be submitted to PMI.