(ISC)²® | EXAM ACTION PLAN
Make This Your Year for Certification

CC℠ SSCP® CISSP® CCSP® CAP® CSSLP® HCISPP®

STAND OUT WITH
(ISC)² CERTIFICATION

Commit to your future and set yourself up for success with (ISC)² certification. Whether you're looking to get ahead with the CISSP, CC, SSCP, CCSP, CAP, CSSLP, HCISPP or a CISSP Concentration, now's the time to move forward.
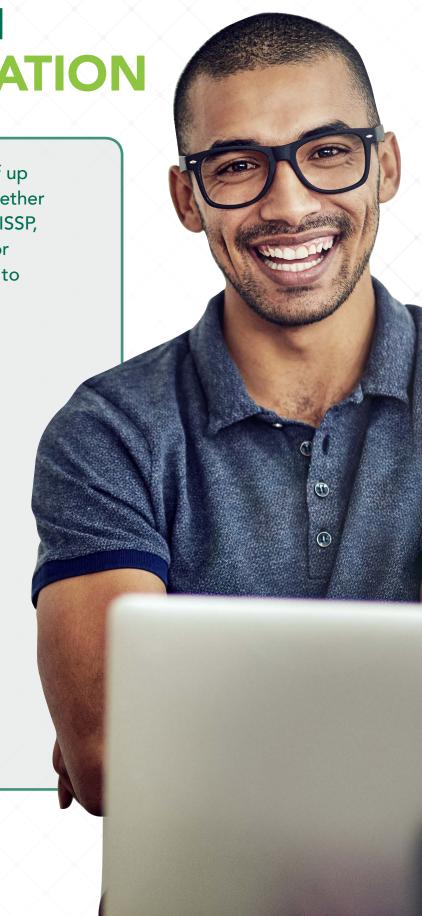
Stay Motivated to Succeed!

STEP 1 ▶ COMMIT

STEP 2 ▶ PLAN

STEP 3 ▶ SUCCEED

WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR?

Note: This action plan is intended to help motivate you on your (ISC)² certification journey. You are not required to follow these three steps exactly. For official (ISC)² exam policies and procedures, please visit our website.

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Commit to a Deadline

The best way to get started? <u>Schedule your exam now</u>. By establishing a deadline, you create a clear timeline. And with an exam date on the calendar, you're primed to stay motivated. Work backward to create a study schedule and block out time each day to prepare.

The exam registration process is simple:

- Create an account with <u>Pearson VUE</u>
- Choose the (ISC)² certification exam for your desired credential
- Schedule your exam date and testing location

Many Pearson VUE testing centers worldwide that administer (ISC)² exams are currently open. Please visit the Pearson VUE website at <u>home.pearsonvue.com/isc2</u> to confirm availability near you.

PRICING | REVIEW (ISC)² EXAM PRICING FOR YOUR REGION

	CC Exam	SSCP Exam	CISSP Exam	CCSP Exam	CAP Exam	CSSLP Exam	HCISPP Exam	CISSP-ISSAP/ ISSEP/ISSMP Exam
Americas								
Standard Registration	USD 199	USD 249	USD 749	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599
Asia-Pacific								
Standard Registration	USD 199	USD 249	USD 749	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599
EMEA (Europe, Middle East and Africa)								
Standard Registration	EUR 184	EUR 230	EUR 665	EUR 555	EUR 555	EUR 555	EUR 555	EUR 555
United Kingdom: Standard Registration	GBP 156	GBP 199	GBP 585	GBP 479	GBP 479	GBP 479	GBP 479	GBP 479
Middle East: Standard Registration	USD 199	USD 249	USD 749	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599
Africa: Standard Registration	USD 199	USD 249	USD 749	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599	USD 599

Pricing and taxes based on location of exam. Currencies will vary by country. (Details provided by Pearson VUE at point of registration.)

Eligible for assistance through the GI Bill? Learn more about **veteran benefits**.

Exam Vouchers

You can bundle exam vouchers with Official Training from (ISC)²
and (ISC)² Official Training Partners. Unauthorized companies
may claim they include (ISC)² exam vouchers, but this is
neither true nor ethical. (ISC)² and (ISC)² Official Training
Partners are the only organizations authorized to
provide vouchers for our exams.

Special Accommodations

(ISC)² provides reasonable and appropriate testing accommodations for those who need it. To make a special request, complete the Exam Accommodation Request Form and return it to (ISC)² before you register. Please include the following:

- An explanation of the accommodations you need
- Documentation supporting the accommodation
- The exam you want to take
- The exam location

Exam Agreement and Candidate Qualifications

By taking an (ISC)² exam, you confirm that you have read the (ISC)² Examination Agreement and accept your obligations. We also recommend you familiarize yourself with (ISC)² candidate background qualifications, the standards required for becoming an (ISC)² member after you pass your certification exam.

Prep for Success

By committing to an exam date early, you've allowed plenty of time to study and train for your certification exam. To give yourself an even bigger edge, consider these tips from certified (ISC)² members:

1 Get familiar with the exam

Use the **exam outline** to get familiar with the major topics and subtopics within the domains you will be tested on. Exam domains and outlines are based on a compendium of knowledge called the Common Body of Knowledge (CBK). Each (ISC)² certification exam is computer-based. For a sense of the exam experience, watch a demo or tutorial on the **Pearson VUE website**.

2 Stick to your study routine

Block out focused time on your calendar each day. Cramming the week before the exam is never a great idea.

3 Enlist a "study buddy" network

Join a study group through a local **(ISC)² Chapter** or connect with the **(ISC)² Community**.

4 Review and refresh your knowledge through training

Once you've built a foundation through self-study, expand that knowledge with **Official (ISC)² CBK Training**. This will help you brush up on less familiar topics and identify any knowledge gaps.

5 Practice, practice, practice

Self-study tools help keep knowledge sharp and gauge exam readiness. Use our **free interactive flash cards** – available for all (ISC)² certifications – to prepare anytime, anywhere.

TRAIN WITH CONFIDENCE

Official (ISC)² Training

The right preparation makes all the difference. In addition to offering training directly, we partner with leading training providers around the world, so you have convenient access to Official Training developed by (ISC)², the creator of the CBK for all (ISC)² credentials. All instructors are verified security experts, authorized by us to deliver the most relevant, up-to-date course content.

From self-paced to instructor-led, we have training options to fit your schedule and learning style. Explore Official Training Options ▶

Online Self-Paced
Available for CISSP, CC, SSCP, CCSP and CISSP concentrations

Learn More ▶

Classroom-Based
Available for all certifications except CISSP concentrations

View Schedule ▶

Online Instructor-Led
Available for all certifications except CISSP concentrations

View Schedule ▶

Private On-Site
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Request a Quote ▶

Supplement Your Training with Official (ISC)² Self-Study Tools

We offer a variety of industry-leading study tools to round out your knowledge. From textbooks and study guides to interactive flash cards and practice tests, you'll find the right resources for your personal study plan. Explore Official Study Tools ▶

The Official (ISC)² Training Advantage

When you choose Official (ISC)² Training, you get…

- Top-notch instruction
- Comprehensive exam prep
- The most up-to-date content
- Official study tools
- Reliable knowledge checks

EXAM FAST FACTS

Certified in Cybersecurity
An (ISC)² Certification

CC

Number of items: **100** multiple choice, **4** choices

Time to complete: **2** hours

Passing score: **700** out of **1,000**

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Systems Security Certified Practitioner
An (ISC)² Certification

SSCP

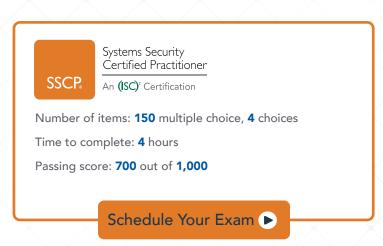Number of items: **150** multiple choice, **4** choices

Time to complete: **4** hours

Passing score: **700** out of **1,000**

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Certified Information Systems Security Professional
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CISSP

Number of items: **125 – 175** multiple choice and advanced innovative items (English), **250** multiple choice and advanced innovative items (Non-English)

Time to complete: **4** hours (English), **6** hours (Non-English)

Passing score: **700** out of **1,000**

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Certified Cloud Security Professional
An (ISC)² Certification

CCSP

Number of items: **150** multiple choice, **4** choices

Time to complete: **4** hours

Passing score: **700** out of **1,000**

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Questions about scoring? See (ISC)² Examination Scoring FAQs ▶

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EXAM FAST FACTS

CAP
Certified Authorization Professional
An (ISC)² Certification

Number of items: **125** multiple choice, **4** choices

Time to complete: **3** hours

Passing score: **700** out of **1,000**

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CSSLP
Certified Secure Software Lifecycle Professional
An (ISC)² Certification

Number of items: **175** multiple choice, **4** choices

Time to complete: **4** hours

Passing score: **700** out of **1,000**

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HCISPP
HealthCare Information Security and Privacy Practitioner
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Number of items: **125** multiple choice, **4** choices

Time to complete: **3** hours

Passing score: **700** out of **1,000**

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STEP 3 SUCCEED

Know What to Expect at the Testing Center

It's game time and you're ready! Here is some important information heading into the big day.

Proper Identification at the Test Center

(ISC)² requires two forms of identification to take your cybersecurity exam. You'll be asked to provide a primary and a secondary ID when you check in at your test center. (ISC)² also requires you to submit to a **palm-vein scan** (unless it's prohibited by law).

Accepted Primary ID
IDs must be valid original documents containing a permanently affixed photograph and your authorized signature.

Accepted Secondary ID
IDs must be valid original documents containing your authorized signature.

Check-in Process

Arrive at your test center at least 30 minutes before your exam start time. To check in, you'll need to:

- Show two acceptable forms of ID (as defined above)
- Provide your signature
- Submit to a palm-vein scan (unless prohibited by law)
- Have your photo taken
- Store personal belongings in secure storage outside the testing room

After check-in, the Test Administrator (TA) will give you a short orientation and then escort you to a computer terminal.

As always, your health and safety is our top priority. Pearson VUE will share necessary information with all scheduled candidates, including measures being taken for cleaning facilities, social distancing and requirements for personal protective equipment. Learn more about health and safety requirements at Pearson VUE test centers **here**.

Late Arrivals or No-Shows

Be sure to arrive at least 30 minutes before your exam start time. If you arrive within 15 minutes of your start time, you'll be considered late. This means you may forfeit your assigned seat. It's up to the test center to decide whether to allow you to take the exam without affecting others' start times.

Pearson VUE will make every effort to accommodate you if you're late. But if they can't, you'll be turned away. If you're turned away because you're late or you didn't show up, your exam result will appear in the system as a no-show and you'll forfeit your exam fee.

Rescheduling or Canceling

To reschedule or cancel your exam appointment, contact Pearson VUE:

- **Online** at least 48 hours before your exam
- **By phone** at least 24 hours before your exam

Pearson VUE charges a reschedule fee of U.S. $50 and a cancellation fee of U.S. $100. If your exam is canceled due to COVID-19, you will NOT be subject to any rescheduling fees.

When You Finish Your Exam

After you finish, raise your hand to summon the TA, who will make sure you've met all testing requirements. Be sure to notify your TA before you leave the test center if:

- You believe there was an irregularity in how your test was run
- Irregular testing conditions had a negative effect on the outcome of your exam

Receiving Your Results

Your TA will give you an unofficial exam result when you check out at the test center. (ISC)² will email you the official result. Results will not be released over the phone. If you have any questions about this policy, please contact (ISC)² before your exam.

Retake Policy

You can sit for (ISC)² exams up to three times within a 12-month period.

Legal Notices

The (ISC)² Impartiality Statement and Non-Discrimination Policy are posted on our website. If you have questions about these policies, please contact the (ISC)² Legal Department.

Note: For official (ISC)² exam policies and procedures, please visit our website.

NOW'S YOUR TIME

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If you have questions about (ISC)² credentials,
exam registration and official training, contact our team in your region.

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