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Prepare for success: Quick tips
1. Read the applicable certification handbook. (Visit the Certification tab on PMI.org to download certification handbooks.)
2. Review the certification’s Exam Content Outline.
3. Read through the Reference List for the exam and determine which will be most helpful for you.
4. Seek additional educational opportunities through PMI, a PMI chapter, a PMI Registered Education Provider (R.E.P.), or other provider.
5. Form a study group with colleagues or friends.

You, certified.
Project Management Professional (PMP®)
Certified Associate in Project Management (CAPM®)
Program Management Professional (PgMP®)
Portfolio Management Professional (PMI-ACP®)
PMI Professional in Business Analysis (PMI-PBA®)
PMI Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP®)
PMI Risk Management Professional (PMI-RMP®)
PMI Scheduling Professional (PMI-SP®)
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The PMI® certification recognizes experience, knowledge, and skill in leading and directing projects. The CAPM® certification recognizes a demonstrated understanding of the fundamental knowledge, processes, and terminology as defined in the PMI’s Guide to the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK® Guide) that are needed to effectively project management performance. The PgMP® certification recognizes the advanced knowledge, skills, and abilities of project managers responsible for leading a project portfolio, managing integrated portfolio project teams, and directing portfolio governance or operations in a strategic organizational objective. The PMI-ACP® certification recognizes the advanced knowledge, skills, and abilities of project managers who apply agile principles, practices, and tools and techniques across agile methodologies to help their organization achieve its objectives. The PMI-PBA® certification highlights expertise in business analysis. It also builds on the advanced skills needed for the practitioner to one agile approach. The PMI-SP® certification recognizes the demonstrated knowledge in the specialized area of developing and managing the project schedule.

Apply if you:
- Are responsible for leading a project
- Lead and direct cross-functional teams to deliver projects within the constraints of time, budget, and scope
- Provide subject matter expertise in a project environment
- Support project managers with coordination of project duties
- Serve as a project team member, coordinator, or leader
- Are interested in project management and wish to learn project management fundamentals

Professional education contact hours
- 35 hours of project management education contact hours: Not applicable
- Minimum of a high school diploma or global equivalent: Not applicable
- Minimum 23 hours of project management education without professional work experience: Minimum 23 hours in agile practices

Professional work experience
- With bachelor’s degree or global equivalent: Minimum three years
- With high school diploma or global equivalent: Minimum five years

Exam information
- 8-hour, 200-question multiple-choice exam
- 3-hour, 150-question exam

Certification maintenance requirements
- 3-year cycle
- 60 PDUs per cycle

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