

Professional Cloud Database Engineer

Partner Certification Kickstart is a guided training program, exclusively for Google Cloud Partners, designed to help prepare for the certification exam. It's provided at no cost and includes a voucher to cover the certification exam fee, unlimited use of Google Cloud Skills Boost for Partners (the learning platform for all on-demand partner training content), and access to Google Cloud training mentors.

[Register](#)

Important: Program benefits are only available to individuals that register with a Partner email domain. A welcome email confirms registration, but not eligibility. If you don't receive the welcome email within 24 hours of registration, try to register again or contact the [support team](#).

Learning platform

The [Professional Cloud Database Engineer](#) certification learning program (~15-20 hrs/week, ~7 weeks) is available on Google Cloud Skills Boost for Partners, the platform hosting all on-demand partner training content. *Access to the platform is provided at no cost to Google Cloud partners. → If you already have a platform access under the same email address used for registration, simply log in and follow the learning program. If you do not already have platform access, or if you encounter errors accessing content, follow these [instructions](#)² to create or migrate an account.*

Important: To avoid voucher delays, use the same partner email address used for registration to complete learning within 10 weeks.

Voucher requirements^{1,3}

- [Register](#) with a valid Partner email.
- Complete **all** of the modules listed below:
 - Skill Badge: Create and Manage Cloud SQL for PostgreSQL Instances
 - Skill Badge: Create and Manage Cloud Spanner Instances
 - Skill Badge: Create and Manage AlloyDB Instances

Important: It can take up to 5 days after registration and learning completion to receive the voucher.¹ Be on the lookout for an email from cloud-partner-training@google.com; it may land in spam.

Optional prep resources

- Professional Cloud Database Engineer [Test your Knowledge](#)
- Professional Cloud Database Engineer [Exam Guide](#)
- Professional Cloud Database Engineer [sample Questions](#)
- Register for an [Exam Readiness Workshop](#) (subject to availability)

NEW: Prepare in multiple languages

Partner Certification Kickstart can help you prepare in multiple languages. **Important:** refer to each certification in the [Google Cloud Certification](#) site to confirm the available languages offered (language availability differs by certification).

[PCK 日本語](#)

[PCK Español](#)

[PCK Français](#)

[PCK Português](#)

Hybrid learning with Partner Certification Academy

Prefer instructor-led training? Check out the upcoming [schedule](#) for Partner Certification Academy, a hybrid training program led by Google Cloud mentors.

¹ Partners are eligible to receive one voucher per certification track, regardless of the number of training program enrollments.

² If you still don't have access after 24 hours, send an email to cloud-partner-training@google.com

⁴ Labs that are available in multiple programming languages may be completed in the programming language of your choice.