

# IT Starts Here.

Microsoft® makes it easier for institutions to build and deliver technology education with a simple, convenient, and affordable suite of entry-level technology exams and certifications.

## Preparing and motivating tomorrow's technology workforce

Based on high demand industry career tracks and designed by Microsoft Learning experts and professional educators, Microsoft Technology Associate (MTA) helps schools teach and validate fundamental technology knowledge, providing students with the confidence to succeed with more advanced studies and a solid foundation for their careers. Help your institution stand out with an innovative technology curriculum while offering students an opportunity to earn a Microsoft certification right in the classroom.

## MTA Campus License

The MTA Campus License includes 1,000 exams per year for your institutional proctors to deliver to registered students, educators and staff. It includes the full portfolio of MTA exams and the highly acclaimed companion MTA Certification Exam Review Kits designed to supplement the courseware you're already using.

MTA Developer Exams	MTA IT Pro Exams
Software Development Fundamentals (98-361)	Networking Fundamentals (98-366)
Windows Development Fundamentals (98-362)	Security Fundamentals (98-367)
Web Development Fundamentals (98-363)	Windows Server Administration Fundamentals (98-365)
Database Administration Fundamentals (98-364)	Windows Operating System Fundamentals (98-372) <sup>1</sup>
.NET Fundamentals (98-349) <sup>1</sup>	

## Add value to your classroom with secure, easy to use, relevant exams

Your educators and administrators are the proctors for MTA exams. They can deliver exams anywhere on campus, anytime it's convenient for them, with no classroom or desktop restrictions. All they need is an internet connected computer and administrative rights. License Administrator set up and Proctor registration is fast and easy with on demand web sessions and free on-boarding support available at any time. MTA information sheets, Certification Exam Review Kits, Student Study Guides and classroom posters help educators quickly integrate MTA into their existing curriculum. MTA exam scores can be easily imported to Microsoft Excel® for easy manipulation and upload into popular Learning Management Systems.

## IT Academies save BIG on an MTA Campus License!

MTA is a great place to start your Microsoft IT Academy curriculum. Provide Certiport® (Microsoft's official MTA exam delivery partner) with your IT Academy membership ID and receive a **15% discount** on the purchase of an MTA Campus License.



Free MTA Student Study Guides are available for download at [certiport.com/mta](http://certiport.com/mta).

## MTA is the first step towards building a career in technology

### Enhance your technology curriculum

- **Credible credentials designed by Microsoft**—Stand out as an innovative technology curriculum provider by using exams created by industry experts on the most widely used and recognized technologies in the world such as Microsoft Windows®, Microsoft Visual Studio® and Microsoft SQL Server®.
- **Cost Effective**—MTA's flexible license model allows all departments and programs within your campus to share a single Campus License. Administer up to 1,000 MTA exams a year for a fraction of the cost of other technology certification exams.
- **Preparing for the future**—Help your students become more competitive. MTA is the first step to Microsoft Certified Technology Specialist (MCTS) certifications, which will help your students secure their value in the job market.

### Help students explore their potential and passion while preparing them for a career in technology

- **Career Exploration**—MTA allows your students to explore a variety of career options in technology with a moderate investment of their time and effort.
- **Confidence**—Confidence-inspiring credentials lead to success with future studies in technology and in earning professional certifications.
- **Community**—Connects certified individuals with a community of over 5 million members of the Microsoft Certified Professional (MCP) Community.

### Help your students get a jump start on a career in technology with MTA

Microsoft Certifications are available for most Microsoft technologies and all knowledge and skill levels. Achieving a Microsoft Certification provides relevant credentials that can help you start or accelerate your career in technology.



#### CERTIFICATION DIFFERENTIATES GRADUATES

*"We wrote our curriculum using Microsoft certification standards to match what our students need to learn in today's global ICT sector. We tell them when they graduate, 'What makes you different from others with a diploma is that certification.'"*

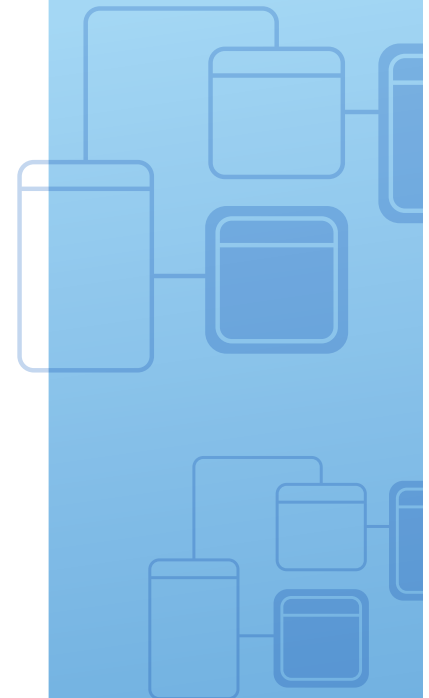
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#### Opportunities to thrive in IT:

IDC reports a 40% gap in the next five to ten years between demand for, and supply of IT professionals with the right technical skills.<sup>2</sup>

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