

VMware Certified Technical Associate - Security 2021 (VCTA-SEC)

CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS INTRO

Certification Requirements hold value because they signify that you have undergone the necessary lessons, training, seminars, and hands-on experiences that are required to fill the job.

LEARN MORE

We welcome you to visit the official VCTA-SEC 2021 certification webpage:

<https://www.vmware.com/education-services/certification/vcta-security.html>

CERTIFICATION SUPPORT

If you need help with a Certification Path or with Certification Requirements, please contact the Certification Support Team at: certification@vmware.com

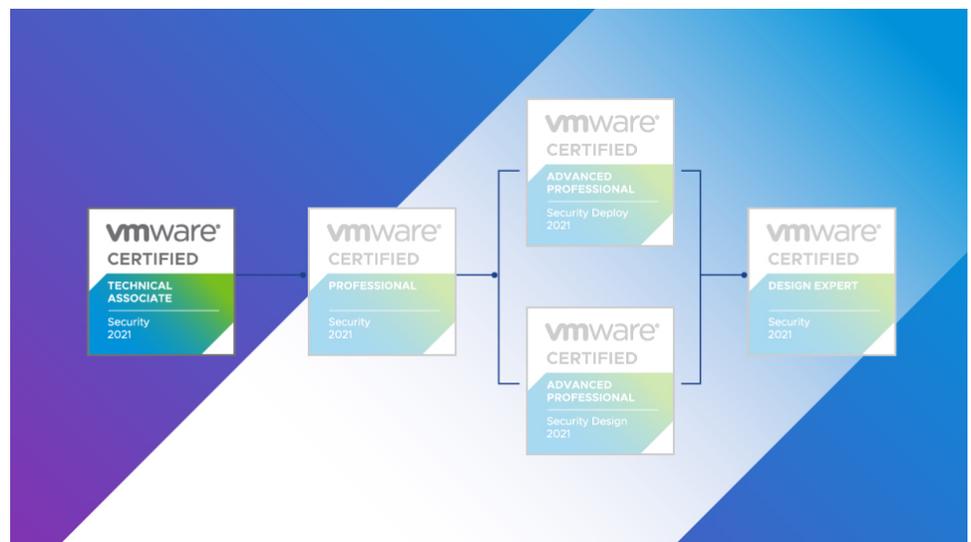
CANDIDATE AGREEMENT

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CERTIFICATION OVERVIEW

The VCTA - Security 2021 certification validates a candidate's understanding of VMware's security solutions and the candidate's ability to provide entry level support for the security features of VMware products, including NSX-T Data Center, Workspace ONE and VMware Carbon Black Cloud.

In this document we show the different certification paths available to earn the VCTA-SEC 2021 certification, depending on what certifications you already hold. You may follow this guide as a learning resource of what is required of you to earn this certification.



Certification Path Requirements

Certification path if you are new to VMware Certifications:

1. (Recommended) Attend ONE of the required training courses

VMware Virtual Cloud Network - Core Technical Skills (Note: VMware Connect Learning - Premium Subscription is required)

VMware Digital Workspace: Core Technical Skills (Note: VMware Connect Learning - Premium Subscription is required)

VMware Carbon Black Cloud Audit and Remediation

VMware Carbon Black Cloud Endpoint Standard

VMware Carbon Black Cloud Enterprise EDR

2. (Required) Review and study the topics and objectives listed in the *Exam Guide* and pass the qualifying exam

Associate VMware Security (1V0-81.20)

120 Minutes 55 Questions \$125 USD

Schedule exam

FAQs

What is the VCTA?

The VMware Certified Technical Associate (VCTA) is a new credential offered by VMware that validates the skills and knowledge required by candidates performing operational tasks within a virtualized infrastructure, in areas across multi-cloud operations, networking, security, and device management. The training provides hands-on practice and learning for both new and experienced technical students.

Who should earn the VCTA?

The VCTA is for anyone new to the industry, whether as a newly graduating student, someone changing careers, or someone working in the industry and looking for opportunities to advance. The VCTA is built for those performing an operator job role, consisting of those Day 2 type of regular, repeated tasks typically delegated by administrators of virtualized environments.

What is the best way to prepare for the VCTA exam?

Prepare for the exam by taking the available training aligned to the same objectives as the exam. This training is online and can be accessed through [VMware Customer Connect Learning](#). ****Please Note - VCTA courses require a Premium subscription to VMware Customer Connect Learning. Click [here](#) to purchase this subscription to gain access to the courses.****

How do I take the VCTA exam?

You can take the exam at either a Pearson VUE test center or at a home, office or work location using the Pearson OnVue remote proctored solution. When registering for the exam, you will have the option of selecting your location to take the exam.

Note: PearsonVUE does not deliver OnVue remote proctored exams in the following countries: China, Cuba, Iran, Japan, South Korea, North Korea, Sudan and Slovenia due to County Restrictions.

Is the VCTA exam proctored or non-proctored?

The VCTA exam is a proctored exam, meaning that as you take the exam, there will be a proctor monitoring the exam, to both protect the integrity of the exam as well as validate that the candidate is answering the questions on their own and not leveraging outside help or resources.

Is the VCTA a prerequisite for the VCP?

No. The VCP exams are for a higher-level, more advanced level of certification, aligned to an administrator job role. Experienced candidates may earn the VCP without first earning the VCTA.