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VMware VCP-DCV Certification Information for VMware IT Academy Students Attending Courses after 1 January 2018

For candidates interested in becoming certified as a VCP6-DCV or VCP6.5-DCV, there are two options to choose from. Candidates must complete all steps from either Option A or Option B in order to receive their credential.

Option A: [Commercial Training Path](#) (commercial courses appear in MyLearn / Certification Manager)

Step 1) Complete a qualifying certification course either directly from VMware or from a VATC (VMware Authorized Training Center)*

Step 2) Pass the **vSphere 6.x Foundations** commercial exam (2V0-602 [v6.5] or 2V0-620 [v6.0])

Step 3) Pass the **VCP 6.x - Data Center Virtualization** commercial exam (2V0-622 [v6.5] or 2V0-621[v6])

*See full requirement details on our main [VCP6-DCV](#) / [VCP6.5-DCV](#) certification page. Be sure to select the path that best fits your qualifications.

Option B: IT Academy Path (IT Academy courses do not appear in MyLearn / Certification Manager. IT Academy students use a special academic ('PSE') exam voucher for the VCP-DCV exam to provide qualifying training course credit. Students must complete the VCP6.x-DCVPSE exam using the voucher provided by the Academy instructor)

Step 1) Take *vSphere: Install, Configure, Manage* and/or *vSphere Optimize and Scale* course at an IT Academy**

Step 2) Pass the **vSphere 6.x Foundations** exam (2V0-602 [v6.5] or 2V0-620 [v6]). Note: there is no special academic ('PSE') exam voucher for the vSphere 6.x Foundations exam.

Step 3) Pass **VCP 6.x - Data Center Virtualization 'PSE'** exam (2V0-622**PSE** [v6.5] or 2V0-621**PSE** [v6]) using the special academic exam voucher provided to the student by the IT Academy instructor

**Academy course attendance will not appear in MyLearn/Cert Manager. The *vSphere: ICM* course alone does not qualify as fulfilling the training course requirement on the IT Academy path. Thus, the student must register for and pass the special academic PSE version exam (listed under "PSE Exams" section on the Pearson "Select Exam" registration page) in order to receive qualifying course credit required for VCP-DCV certification.

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Find an Exam:

To schedule an exam, open the group the exam is assigned to by clicking on the group name. Only one group may be opened at a time.

- Professional Level Exams
- Advanced Level Exams
- PSE Exams (Private Access Only)**

Exam Code	Exam Name
2V0-621PSE	VMware Certified Professional 6 - Data Center Virtualization Exam
2V0-622PSE	VMware Certified Professional 6 - Data Center Virtualization (6.5) Exam

Important: VMware will **NOT** certify a candidate if:

The student attended both courses (*vSphere: ICM* and *vSphere: Optimize & Scale*) at an IT Academy but **DID NOT** register for the special academic version ('PSE') of the **VCP 6.x-DCV** exam (2V0-622PSE [v6.5] or 2V0-621PSE [v6]) using the voucher provided by the instructor. VMware will not accept commercial (non-academic/'PSE') versions of the VCP6-DCV or VCP6.5-DCV exams.