

PMP35H STUDY ROADMAP

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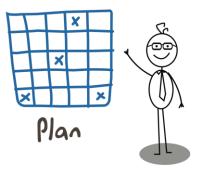
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Welcome to your roadmap to success!

Thank you for choosing PMCAMPUS.com as your project management education provider. PMCAMPUS is proud to offer high value training programs to thousands of students every year who, after using our proven and effective training methodology, go on to pass their exam with flying colors.

First, let us say that we recognize that self-study can be difficult, and the PMBOK guide may not be an easy read. Staying on track requires a significant commitment of time and energy. Knowing that, we have developed a training methodology to guide you



on a successful path and provide an enjoyable and enriching learning experience.

The key strengths of the course are:

- A 3-step Structured Learning Path
- Lots of practice questions and mini exam simulations
- Comprehensive feedback with detailed explanations and experts' rational for both correct and wrong answers
- Interactive learning activities that promote an effective learning strategy
- Comprehensive coverage of the subject matter for optimal preparation for the PMP exam

The roadmap takes you on the following journey: First, you will **Explore** the content to get acquainted with the basics, then you will **Connect** the material with the PMP exam objectives, and finally you will **Master** the process so you can successfully complete the PMP exam.

Study Tip: We recommend going through the material in the order indicated in this guide and on-line; however, if you prefer an alternate order, the system will allow you to depart from the suggested sequence.

What if you need help? Browse the PMCAMPUS.com <u>forums</u> or pose a question to your peers, contact our <u>Helpdesk, or Ask and Expert</u>. In any case, you are not alone – we are here if you need any assistance.

We wish you all the best in your studies! The PMCAMPUS.com Team



The course is divided into three steps. In step 1 (shown on the next page), after you finish reviewing the welcome information and the study roadmap you'll proceed to **Speed Reading**, which will guide you through *skimming* and *scanning the PMBOK guide*, to lay a foundation upon which to build. Don't worry if you don't understand everything the first go-round. Have fun and enjoy the process of opening your mind to concepts that may be new to you, or practiced in an unfamiliar way.



Following the Speed Reading activity, the **Webcasts** presentations include a narrated video of each PMBOK chapter summary and provide additional information to further expand your understanding of PMI's approach to project management.

When you engage in the **eQuiz** activities, you will be challenged with questions that are specifically designed to reinforce your high-level understanding of essential concepts.

Finally, you'll complete the first series of Karma **eSim** mini exams. As you review the correct answers and explanations, refer to the PMBOK guide to deepen your knowledge around the concepts that were addressed.

In Step 2 (shown on page 5), you'll be introduced to the PMP exam format; and you will review more deeply each knowledge area using our comprehensive **eNotes.** The concepts for each chapter are well organized and information-rich, and we know you will find them to be valuable learning tools. And **eFormulas** take you on a journey through the mathematical formulas and key formula-related terms that you must know and be able to apply in order to pass the PMP exam. One of the best things about formula questions is ~ there is only one right answer.

Your level of knowledge will be assessed again using the Karma eSim system, which mimics the PMP exam environment. This is also your first opportunity to *Ask The Expert (optional)* – seize the opportunity to further your knowledge.

The last step, Step 3 (shown on page 6) starts out with an overview of the Role Delineation Study (RDS) and the PMP Exam Content. Included is a series of practice Karma eSim mini exams, and you'll have another opportunity to *Ask The Expert*.

Once you complete step 3, you can print your certificate for the 35 contact hours. You will also be able to assess your readiness to sit for the exam, and you will be provided with additional free material and affordable options to further expand your knowledge and skills with PMCAMPUS' platinum package products: *3 PMP Simulated Exams* and *40 Essential PMP Skills*.





STEP 1: EXPLORE

Learning Objectives

Get acquainted with the content and concepts in the PMBOK 5th Edition, and gain a clear understanding of the following topics:

- Framework (PMBOK Chapters 1, 2 and 3)
- Knowledge Areas: Integration, Scope, Time, Cost, Quality, Human Resources, Communication, Risk, Procurement, and Stakeholders
- Professional responsibility and PMI's Code of Ethics

Activities

- Speed Reading
- Webcasts
- 2 eQuizzes
- Karma eSim and Gap Analyzer (you get unlimited tries to achieve a passing score)



Contact Hours

- The applicable contact hours are awarded upon completion of this first step.
- Real-time updates as soon as you record a passing score of 70% or higher, your contact hours certificate is updated.

Study Tips

- Break large topics into chunks, building your full understanding over time.
- Don't be too hard on yourself if you don't get every question right (that's to be expected), and try not to get stuck in one spot. Proceed to the next learning activity to keep challenging yourself by giving your brain new material to ponder.
- Use <u>mnemonic devices</u> to help retain information.

Need help?

Visit **http://www.pmcampus.com/contact-us.html** to access a variety of resources, including FAQs, Tutorials and the Helpdesk.



STEP 2: CONNECT

Learning Objectives

Associate the concepts with the PMP exam objectives to further your understanding. Includes:

- The five (5) Process Domains
 - o Initiating, Planning, Executing, Monitoring & Controlling, and Closing
- Building upon your understanding of the Project Management Formulas

Activities

- eNotes
- eFormulas
- Karma eSim and Gap Analyzer (you get unlimited tries to achieve a passing score)
- Ask The Expert (optional)



Contact Hours

- The applicable contact hours are awarded upon completion of this second step.
- Real-time updates as soon as you record a passing score of 70% or higher, your contact hours certificate is updated.

Study Tips

- Set study goals and reward yourself for achieving them.
- Teach what you just learned to a friend, co-worker or family member as this helps solidify your own understanding.
- Form or join a local or Internet-based study group.

Need Expert Support?

- Attend weekly webinars featuring live presentation of the learning material.
- Ask us a question related to the study material and an expert will answer.



STEP 3: MASTER

Learning Objectives

Deepen your knowledge of the five (5) process Domains as they related to the Role Delineation tasks, and master the PMP exam format by taking a series of practice exams specific to each of the domains.

Activities

- Karma eSim and Gap Analyzer for Domains I, II, II, IV and V (you get unlimited tries to achieve a passing score)
- Ask The Expert (optional)

Contact Hours

- The applicable contact hours are awarded upon completion of this step (for a grand total of 35 contact hours across steps 1-3).
- Real-time updates as soon as you obtain a passing score of 70% or higher, your progress is recorded.

Study Tips

- Put study time in your appointment book, so you stay on schedule.
- Research shows that exercise improves cognition, so get moving!
- Eat a well balanced diet and get plenty of rest.
- Take a *time-out* to give your brain a rest.
- Consider meditation to calm the mind.

Need additional resources or more time to study?

- Purchase our PMPSKL course. <u>Click here</u> for a complete list of courses.
- **Purchase** a time extension.



Additional Information

PMCAMPUS.com offers a wide range of learning products, to assist you in achieving or maintaining your PMP or CAPM certification. This includes additional courses, PMP exam simulations, and PDUs (you currently need 60 PDUs every 3 years to maintain your certification).

Practice makes perfect, so if you find you need more questions in order to feel well prepared for your PMP or CAPM certification exam, we offer **additional simulated exams** for a small fee. **And be sure to check out our newest course: 40 Essential PMP Skills**, which takes you on a journey through the PMP Exam content – domain-by-domain, task-bytask, covering all 37 tasks/skills and 3 cross-cutting skills. Key concepts, targeted questions, and a real-life scenario stimulate your thinking and broaden your project management perspective. Summary cards and definitions help pull all the information together.



For the budget conscious, consider upgrading to one of our premium packages to solidify you understanding of the material, further your professional studies, and save money at the same time.

Our **Silver Bundle** includes:

- 35-hour Contact Course
- 3 Additional Simulated PMP Exams



Our **Platinum Bundle** includes:

- 35-hour Contact Course
- 3 Additional Simulated PMP Exams
- 40 Essential PMP Skills

For a complete course, including all the bundle options, <u>click here</u>, or proceed to the PMCAMPUS.com website, and click on the *Course List and Pricing* link on the right-hand side of the page.

We at PMCAMPUS.com draw on a large pool of information from which to create the training materials. A complete list is shown on our website: <u>http://www.pmcampus.com/info-about-pmp-prep-books.html</u>

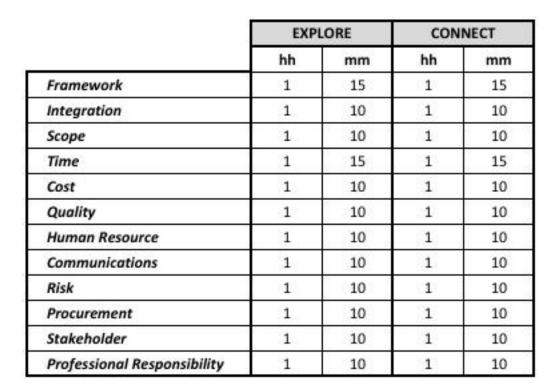
Many of these books can be purchased (or downloaded free of cost with an active membership) through PMI, ordered through an online bookseller, or borrowed from your local library.



Contact Hours Certificate

The table below shows the number of contact hours associated with each step (Explore, Connect and Master), broken down by Knowledge Area and Process Group.

How do I print my certificate? Log in, select the course, and click on the *Your Contact Hours Certificate* link in the menu on the left. Follow the onscreen instructions. Be sure to keep a copy of this certificate on file.



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Initiating	0	50
Planning	1	40
Executing	1	40
Monitoring & Controlling	1	40
Closing	0	50

