

MCPD: Windows Developer

5 days of Instructor led training – 3 exams

MCTS: .NET Framework 2.0 Windows Applications (Two Exams Required) (Prerequisite for MCPD)

MCPD Self-Paced Training Kit
[Microsoft .NET Framework 2.0 - Application Development Foundation](#)
[Programming Microsoft Visual C# 2005: The Language](#)
[Programming Microsoft Visual Basic 2005: The Language](#)
Please order the Self Paced Training Kit from a technical bookstore.

[Exam 70-536](#)

Microsoft 2541
Core Data Access with MS
Visual Studio 2005
3 days

Microsoft 2542
Advanced Web Application
with MS Visual Studio 2005
2 days

Microsoft 2546
Core Windows Forms
Technologies with Microsoft
Visual Studio 2005
Self Paced E-learning (online)

Microsoft 2547
Advanced Windows Forms
Technologies with Microsoft
Visual Studio 2005
Self Paced E-learning (online)

[Exam 70-526](#)
OR
[Exam 70-552](#)

MCPD: Windows Developer (One Exam Required)

MCPD Self-Paced Training Kit
[MCPD Self-Paced Training Kit \(Exam 70-548\): Designing and Developing Windows-Based Applications Using the Microsoft .NET Framework \(available late 2006\)](#)
[CLR via C#: Applied Microsoft .NET Framework Programming, second edition](#)
[Debugging, Testing, and Tuning Microsoft .NET 2.0 Applications](#)
Please order the Self Paced Training Kit from a technical bookstore.

[Exam 70-548](#)

MCPD: .NET Framework 2.0 Windows Developer

The Microsoft Certified Professional Developer: Windows Developer (MCPD: Windows Developer) certification demonstrates that you have the comprehensive skills that are required to build rich client applications that target the Windows Forms platform using the Microsoft .NET Framework 2.0. Microsoft Skills Assessments for Microsoft Visual Studio 2005 and Microsoft ASP.NET 2.0 help developers focus their exam preparation training and find learning resources to upgrade from Visual Studio .NET and ASP.NET 1.0 and ASP.NET 1.1.

Certification Track

MCPD: Windows Developer candidates must first complete the requirements for the [MCTS: .NET Framework 2.0 Windows Applications](#) certification (two exams). After they achieve this certification, candidates can earn their MCPD: Windows Developer by passing one additional exam.

If you are a Microsoft Certified Application Developer (MCAD), you can upgrade to the MCPD: Windows Developer certification by taking one upgrade exam, [Exam 70-552: UPGRADE: MCAD Skills to MCPD: Windows Developer by Using the Microsoft .NET Framework](#). By passing this upgrade exam, you will also automatically obtain the relevant MCTS prerequisite, [MCTS: .NET Framework 2.0 Windows Applications](#).

If you have already passed [Exam 70-551: UPGRADE: MCAD Skills to MCPD: Web Developer by Using the Microsoft .NET Framework](#), you may obtain the MCPD: Windows Developer certification by passing the following additional exams:

[Exam 70-526](#): TS: Microsoft .NET Framework 2.0 - Windows-Based Client Development
[Exam 70-548](#): PRO: Designing and Developing Windows Applications by Using the Microsoft .NET Framework

If you are a Microsoft Certified Solutions Developer (MCSD) on Microsoft .NET and have passed [Exam 70-553: UPGRADE: MCSD Microsoft .NET Skills to MCPD: Enterprise Application Developer by Using the Microsoft .NET Framework: Part 1](#), you may obtain the MCPD: Windows Developer certification by passing the following additional exam:

[Exam 70-548](#): PRO: Designing and Developing Windows Applications by Using the Microsoft .NET Framework.

Candidates for the MCPD certification must pass three exams: two MCTS Prerequisite Exams and one exam for MCPD: Web Developer.

Three exams required -

- Two core (Two MCTS Prerequisite Exams)
- One exam (MCPD: Windows Developer)

The courses listed below are recommended to prepare you for the associated exam.

MCTS: .NET Framework 2.0 Windows Applications (Two Exams Required) (Prerequisite for MCPD)

1. Study the designated Microsoft Self-Paced Training Kit which is recommended to prepare you to pass the exam.

MCPD Self-Paced Training Kit

Microsoft .NET Framework 2.0 - Application Development Foundation

Programming Microsoft Visual C# 2005: The Language
Programming Microsoft Visual Basic 2005: The Language

Please order the Self Paced Training Kit from a technical bookstore.

Exam 70 – 536

2. Pass the following exam. The courses listed below are recommended to prepare you for the associated exam.

Microsoft 2541 - Core Data Access with Microsoft Visual Studio 2005

Microsoft 2542 – Advanced Data Access with Microsoft Visual Studio 2005

Microsoft 2546 - Core Windows Forms Technologies with Microsoft Visual Studio 2005
Self Paced E-learning (online)

Microsoft 2547 - Advanced Forms Technologies with Microsoft Visual Studio 2005
Self Paced E-learning (online)

Exam 70 – 526

OR

Exam 70 -552

3. Pass the following exam. The courses listed below are recommended to prepare you for the associated exam.

MCPD: Windows Developer (One Exam Required)

MCPD Self-Paced Training Kit

MCPD Self-Paced Training Kit (Exam 70-548): Designing and Developing Windows-Based Applications Using the Microsoft .NET Framework (available late 2006) CLR via C#: Applied Microsoft .NET Framework Programming, second edition Debugging, Testing, and Tuning Microsoft .NET 2.0 Applications

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Exam 70 - 548

Or upgrade from Microsoft Certified Applications Developer (MCAD)

If you are a Microsoft Certified Application Developer (MCAD), you can upgrade to the MCPD: Windows Developer certification by taking one upgrade exam, [Exam 70–552: UPGRADE: MCAD Skills to MCPD: Windows Developer by Using the Microsoft .NET Framework](#). By passing this upgrade exam, you will also automatically obtain the relevant MCTS prerequisite, [MCTS: .NET Framework 2.0 Windows Applications](#).

1. Pass the following exam. The courses listed below are recommended to prepare you for the associated exam:

Microsoft 2541 - Core Data Access with Microsoft Visual Studio 2005

Microsoft 2542 – Advanced Data Access with Microsoft Visual Studio 2005

Microsoft 2546 - Core Windows Forms Technologies with Microsoft Visual Studio 2005
Self Paced E-learning (online)

Microsoft 2547 - Advanced Forms Technologies with Microsoft Visual Studio 2005
Self Paced E-learning (online)

Exam 70 – 552