

Cisco Learning Services Reference Guide for Cisco Security Courses

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Cisco Learning Services

Sourcefire Security Courses Transition to Cisco

Four Sourcefire security courses are available on Cisco® Learning Services:

- Securing Cisco Networks with Sourcefire Intrusion Prevention System (SSFIPS)
- Securing Cisco Networks with Sourcefire FireAMP Endpoints (SSFAMP)
- Securing Cisco Networks with Open Source Snort (SSFSNORT)
- Securing Cisco Networks with Snort Rule Writing Best Practices (SSFRULES)

Cisco Security classes provide the knowledge, insight, and hands-on lab experiences needed to help customers deploy, integrate, troubleshoot, and secure Cisco networks more effectively.

Cisco Learning Services Overview

Cisco Learning Services provides comprehensive, customer-oriented solutions for skill development. Cisco Learning Services includes technical training and certification programs on many Cisco products and their underlying technologies. Cisco security classes provide the knowledge, insight and hands-on lab experiences needed to help customers deploy, integrate, and optimize their network and security investments. Learn more by visiting the [Cisco Learning Services](#) site.

Steps to Register for Sourcefire Security Classes

1. Go to the Cisco [Security Resources training](#) site (and scroll down).

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Protect Your Network
Get Internet security training that is mission-critical to today's companies.

Internet crime costs companies billions of dollars annually. Understanding how to profile attackers and defend network and data assets is essential.

Cisco Learning Services provides superior, world-class training experiences in the complex area of network and data security. Cisco security training takes full advantage of the collective expertise of a global collection of security experts. It delivers a thorough, hands-on, and relevant experience that can place students in the forefront of this high-demand area.

Strengthen Your Network Security
Take the "Securing Cisco Networks with Threat Detection and Analysis" course.
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Courses Offered

2. Click "Register Now," located beneath each summary course description, to begin the registration process.

Securing Cisco Networks with Sourcefire Intrusion Prevention System (SSFIPS)

This lab-intensive course introduces students to the powerful features of the Cisco Sourcefire System, including FireSIGHT technology, in-depth event analysis, IPS tuning and configuration, and the Snort rules language. Students learn to use and configure Sourcefire technology including application control, firewall and routing and switching capabilities.

[Register Now](#)

Securing Cisco Networks with Sourcefire FireAMP Endpoints (SSFAMP)

This two-day virtual class covers information on Sourcefire Advanced Malware Protection (AMP) technology, deployment, management, and analysis. Students learn how to build and manage an AMP deployment, create policies for endpoint groups, deploy connectors, and analyze malware detections using powerful tools available in the FireAMP console.

[Register Now](#)

Securing Cisco Networks with Snort Rule Writing Best Practices (SSFRULES)

This course focuses exclusively on the Snort rules language and rule writing. Starting from rule syntax and structure to advanced rule-option usage, students will analyze exploit packet captures and put the rule writing theories learned to work implementing rule-language features to trigger alerts on the offending network traffic.

[Register Now](#)

Securing Cisco Networks with Open Source Snort (SSFSNORT)

Learn to build and manage a Snort system using open source tools, plug-ins, and the Snort rule language to help manage, tune, and deliver feedback on suspicious network activity. This course combines lecture materials and hands-on labs to ensure students are able to construct a solid, secure Snort installation and write Snort rules using proper syntax and structure.

[Register Now](#)

3. The course that is nearest to your location will appear. To see all of the scheduled classes available, click the gray sidebar on the left.

Classroom

1 of 27 course offerings for classroom.

Start Date	Location	Language	Course Provider	
Nov 4, 2014	San Jose, San Jose, San Jose, California, United States	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll

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Click Filter Bar

4. Click "Clear All" and then click "Apply Filters."

1 of 27 course offerings for classroom.

The screenshot shows a search filter sidebar on the left side of a course listing page. The sidebar has a title "Narrow down search by" and a close button (X). It contains several filter sections: "Location" with a "Clear All" button circled in red and a callout box pointing to it that says "Click 'Clear All'"; "Date" with a "Clear All" button; "Language" with a "Clear All" button; and "Course Provider" with a "Clear All" button and an "Apply Filters" button circled in red with a callout box pointing to it that says "Click 'Apply Filters'". The main content area shows a table with columns for "Language" and "Course Provider", and an "Enroll" button. The "Location" filter is currently set to "California, United States".

5. Click the "Enroll" button when you find the class you want to take.

27 of 27 course offerings for classroom.

The screenshot shows a table of 27 course offerings. The table has columns for "Start Date", "Location", "Language", and "Course Provider". Each row has an "Enroll" button. A red circle highlights the "Enroll" button for the first row, with a callout box pointing to it that says "Click 'Enroll'".

Start Date	Location	Language	Course Provider	Enroll
Sep 16, 2014	Richardson, Richardson, Richardson, Texas, United States	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll
Sep 23, 2014	Herndon, Herndon, Herndon, Virginia, United States	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll
Sep 23, 2014	RTP, RTP, RTP, North Carolina, United States	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll
Sep 23, 2014	Reading, Reading, Reading, England, United Kingdom	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll
Sep 30, 2014	Canberra, Canberra, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll
Oct 14, 2014	Bangalore, Bangalore, Bangalore, Karnataka, India	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll
Oct 14, 2014	Paris, Paris, Paris, Ile De France, France	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll
Oct 21, 2014	Bedfont lakes, Bedfont lakes, Bedfont Lakes, England, United Kingdom	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll
Oct 21, 2014	chesterfield MO, Chesterfield, Missouri, United States	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll
Oct 28, 2014	Herndon, Herndon, Herndon, Virginia, United States	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll
Oct 28, 2014	Singapore, Singapore, Singapore, Singapore, Singapore	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll
Oct 28, 2014	Mexico, Mexico, Mexico, Mexico	English	Cisco Systems Advanced Services	Enroll

- After you have clicked “Enroll,” you are linked to the Cisco Learning Network Store.
- Click “Add to Cart” on the course listing corresponding to your class and continue shopping or check out.

The screenshot shows the Cisco Learning Network Store interface. On the left is a navigation menu with categories like 'LEARNING PARTNER PRODUCTS', 'CERTIFICATION PREPARATION', and 'LEARNING BY TYPE'. The main content area features a product listing for 'Securing Cisco Networks with Sourcefire Intrusion Prevention System (SSFIPS)'. The product details include a price of US \$4000.00, a quantity selector set to 1, and an 'Add to Cart' button highlighted with a red circle and a red arrow pointing to it. A text box with the instruction 'Click "Add to Cart"' is positioned above the arrow. To the right of the product listing are sections for 'What's New' and 'Your Wish List'.

- At check-out you will need to log in to your account or register for an account to complete your registration and purchase.

Cisco Learning Credits Used to Purchase Sourcefire Security Courses

Customers and partners can use Cisco Learning Credits to purchase courses. Customers can also enroll in courses directly from the Cisco Learning Network Store using a credit card. Partners typically purchase learning credits at the same time they order Cisco products and services in Cisco Commerce Workspace using the following SKUs:

- TRN-CLC-000 (10 pack)
- TRN-CLC-001 (100 pack)
- TRN-CLC-002 (500 pack)
- TRN-CLC-003 (1500 pack)
- TRN-CLC-004 (1 credit)

More Information on Cisco Learning Credits

Cisco Learning Credits offer an easy way to pay for authorized training and are redeemable with authorized Cisco Learning Partners for registration to Cisco Live Events, Advanced Services Education, Cisco Technical Training, and Cisco Labs worldwide. Each Learning Credit is worth US\$100 toward training. Thus, if a course is US\$4000, the equivalent is 40 Cisco Learning Credits. Learn more at the [Cisco Learning Credits](#) site.

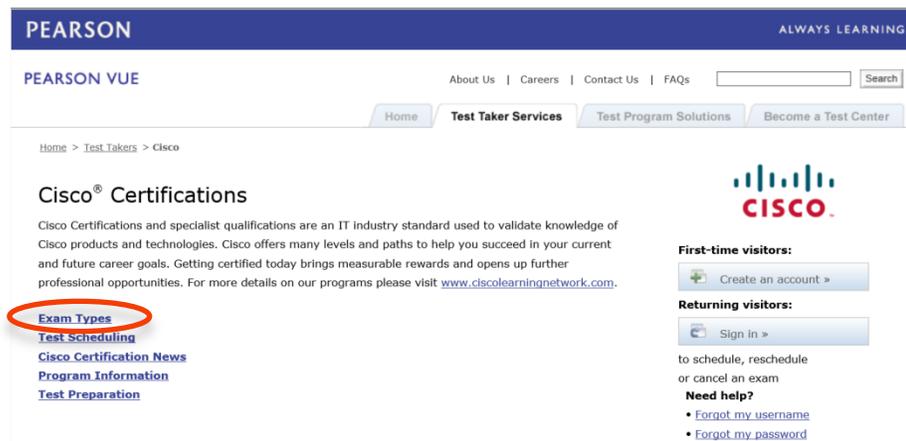
Cisco Partners with Pearson VUE to Deliver Security Exams

Cisco security exams are not offered online. Cisco is committed to making sure of the integrity of the Cisco certification program by partnering with Pearson VUE to deliver proctored exams for certification courses and specializations worldwide.

Register for a Security Exam

All Cisco product knowledge, reseller partner exams, and career certification exams are purchased directly from the [Pearson VUE website](http://www.vue.com/cisco) at www.vue.com/cisco. To purchase, follow these steps:

1. Click "Exam Types."



The screenshot shows the Pearson VUE website header with the Pearson logo and 'ALWAYS LEARNING' tagline. Below the header, there are navigation links for 'Home', 'Test Taker Services', 'Test Program Solutions', and 'Become a Test Center'. The main content area is titled 'Cisco® Certifications' and includes a brief description of Cisco Certifications. A sidebar on the right contains links for 'First-time visitors' (Create an account) and 'Returning visitors' (Sign in). The 'Exam Types' link in the left sidebar is circled in red.

2. Because all of the Cisco Security course exams are proctored, click "Schedule through a Test Center."

Exam types

Cisco offers the following two types of exams. The same Pearson VUE web account is used to schedule or purchase either type of exam.

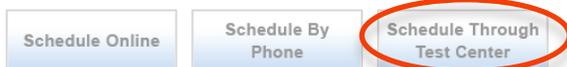
Proctored exams delivered at a test center
Most Cisco certification exams are delivered in a proctored environment at a Pearson VUE® Authorized Test Center. **To schedule a certification exam or locate a test center**, use the links on this page under the Cisco logo.

Self-administered online exams

Cisco exams that begin with either a 650 or 700 exam code are self-administered and can be taken from anywhere you have an Internet connection. **To purchase an online exam**, visit the [online exam testing page](#).

Test Scheduling

Appointments may be made in advance or on the day you wish to test, subject to availability. Pearson VUE offers a variety of scheduling options—



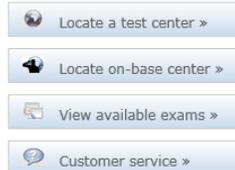
The image shows three buttons for scheduling: 'Schedule Online', 'Schedule By Phone', and 'Schedule Through Test Center'. The 'Schedule Through Test Center' button is circled in red.

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The image shows four buttons for navigation: 'Locate a test center', 'Locate on-base center', 'View available exams', and 'Customer service'.

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- To find a Pearson VUE authorized test center, enter the name of the city and click "Search."

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Find test centers near:

e.g., "5601 Green Valley Drive, Bloomington, MN" or "Paris, France" or "55437"

U.S. Service Members looking for on-base test centers, please [click here](#).

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- The Pearson VUE authorized test center will be listed along with a map.

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! Important Note: Some exams for Cisco Systems, Inc. require special arrangements and may not be available at all of the test centers listed below. For information on a specific exam, please sign into your web account.

Test Center	Distance* Show km	Directions
1 Shibuya Test Center 150-0002 Tokyo Shibuya-ku Level 5, Daiichi Yagi Bldg, 3-6-19 Shibuya Japan	0.3 mi	Get Directions
2 WAVE Shinjuku Ekimae Test Center 2 163-1515 Tokyo Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo shinjukuL-tower Bldg.15F, 1-6-1, Nishishinjuku, Japan	0.4 mi	Get Directions
3 WAVE Shinjuku-Ekimae Testing Center 163-1515 Tokyo Shinjuku-ku shinjukuL-towerBldg. 15F, 1-6-1, Nishishinjuku Japan	0.4 mi	Get Directions
4 Ikebukuro East Test Center 170-0013 Tokyo Toshima-ku Room 403, Ikebukuro 28 Sankyo Bldg, 1-42-14 Higashi Ikebukuro Japan	2.8 mi	Get Directions
5 Inaate IT Qualification Acquisition	3.4 mi	Get

5. If you are a first-time visitor, you will need to create an account. Click “Create an account.”

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Click “Create an account”

6. Follow the steps onscreen to create your account and begin scheduling Cisco Security exams.

Resources

[Security Resources Training](#): View courses and descriptions and begin registration and enrollment process.

[Sourcefire Partner Community](#): Reference guide detailing steps to find, register, and take security courses and exams.

[Cisco Learning Services](#): Cisco Learning Services includes technical training and certification programs on many Cisco products and their underlying technologies.

[Pearson VUE website](#): Schedule a certification exam or locate a Cisco authorized test center.

[Cisco Learning Credits](#): Learn more about the possibilities of using learning credits for certification training.

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For more information about schedules and registration for security courses, email aeskt_registration@cisco.com.



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