



Microsoft is committed to strengthening the U.S. economy and increasing global competitiveness by improving access to education and workforce readiness skills required for twenty-first century jobs. To support this commitment and as part of our Unlimited Potential program, we launched Elevate America. This initiative provides one million vouchers for Microsoft e-learning courses and select certification exams at no cost to recipients. Elevate America will be implemented in cooperation with states across the country as part of our overall effort to help train two million people over the next three years.

Each State Determines Which Training Benefits To Offer

As resources become available in a state, the designated agency selects from one or more of the following:

- Expanded access to basic technology literacy and skills training
 - Foundational level skills through Microsoft Unlimited Potential and Digital Literacy curricula, along with Windows and Microsoft Office Basics e-learning
- Intermediate level technology skills training courses plus selected certification exams
 - Vouchers for e-learning (online) courses offered by Microsoft
 - Vouchers for certification exams leading to Microsoft Business Certification
- Advanced level technical professional skills training courses
 - Vouchers for e-learning (online) courses offered by Microsoft
- Discounted Microsoft IT Academy membership rates for academic institutions

Elevate America Also Includes The Following Resources

Available today at no cost:

- Tools to find the technology skills needed for a wide range of jobs
- Access to basic IT skills training through the Microsoft Digital Literacy Curriculum
- Career resources for students
- Information about internships and entry-level jobs for students
- Free tutorials to learn modern web design

Available today at low cost:

- Access to discounted e-learning, certification exams and other offers

Visit <http://www.microsoft.com/elevateamerica> to learn more.