

Cybersecurity Essentials: Protecting Against Online Threats and Scams

Course Duration	8 Hours	Course Fee Full Fee: \$400	Subsidy & Nett Fees Please refer to page 2	Mode of Training Classroom
Entry Requirement	• Able to operate using computer functions • Speak, listen and read English at a proficiency level not lower than the WPL Level 3 • Attitude: a sense of responsibility to protect business information and personal information • Target Age group: 25 and above • Minimum 1 year of working experience			
Course Objective	This course is designed for employees, accounts staff, administrative personnel, frontline service staff, and individuals who use digital devices and online platforms in their daily work. Learners will develop practical awareness of cyber security risks and threats, including internet frauds, online scams, viruses, hacking, phishing, and identity theft. Through workplace-based examples and practical scenarios, learners will learn how to assess cyber security threats to personal and business information, apply best practices to safeguard against online threats and scams, and escalate suspicious cyber security incidents to relevant team members for appropriate follow-up. This course is for beginner.			

What you will learn:

- Learners will gain practical awareness of common online threats and scams, including internet frauds, phishing, hacking, viruses, and identity theft. Through relatable workplace and daily-life scenarios, they will learn how to spot suspicious online activities before these threats cause harm.
- Learners will develop the ability to protect personal and business information from cyber security threats. They will learn how cyber incidents can affect customer trust, business operations, and confidential data, and apply simple checks to assess whether information may be at risk.
- Learners will build confidence in applying cyber security best practices to stay safe online. They will learn how to take appropriate preventive actions, safeguard digital accounts and information, and escalate serious cyber security threats to the right team members for timely support.

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Assessment

- **Case-Study**
- **Written Exam**

Subsidy

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Category of Individuals			
	Singapore Citizens and Singapore Permanent Residents	Employer-sponsored and self-sponsored Singapore Citizens aged 40 years old and above	SME-sponsored local employees (i.e. Singapore Citizens and Singapore Permanent Residents)
	Funding Source		
	SkillsFuture Funding (Baseline)	SkillsFuture Mid-career Enhanced Subsidy	SkillsFuture Enhanced Training Support for SMEs
Course Fee	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$400.00
SkillsFuture Funding	\$200.00	\$280.00	\$280.00
Total Nett Fee	\$200.00	\$120.00	\$120.00
GST (9% x \$400)	\$36.00	\$36.00	\$36.00
Total Fee Payable to Genetic Computer School	\$236.00	\$156.00	\$156.00

Eligible for Claim Period: 11 Sep 2026 - 10 Sep 2027

Please refer to the below link for the Refund Table for SkillsFuture Courses:

https://genetic.edu.sg/policies_procedures/refund-for-wsq-courses/

Participant need to pass the test to get subsidy

SSG Advice:

Student must achieve 75% course attendance, and also pass the assessment to be eligible for SSG Funding.

All Singaporean aged 25 and above can use their \$500 SkillsFuture Credit to pay for a wide range of approved skills-related courses.

Reminder to all learners:-

Bring your own smartphone

Bring a sweater as it might be cold

Bring stationeries – highlighter, pens

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