

The SANS Technology Institute (SANS.edu) offers regionally accredited undergraduate and graduate cybersecurity programs that are eligible for tuition assistance programs. Individuals may take up to two (2) courses for academic credit without being enrolled in a degree program. Non-degree students must satisfy all of the course requirements, including GIAC exams, within 3 months and will receive a grade upon completion of the course. Follow this step-by-step guide to use your tuition assistance benefits on a single course.

STEP 1

Choose your course from this list.

Your tuition includes the cost of the course, textbooks, and GIAC certification tests that serve as final exams, when applicable.

- ACS 3275 Security Foundations | SEC275 + GFACT
- ACS 3301 Introduction to Cybersecurity | SEC301 + GISF
- ACS 4450 Blue Team Fundamentals: Security Operations and Analysis | SEC450 + GSOC
- ACS 4497 Practical Open-Source Intelligence (OSINT) | SEC497 + GOSI
- ACS 4498 Battlefield Forensics & Data Acquisition | FOR498 + GBFA
- ISE 5001 Security Leadership Essentials for Managers | LDR512 + GSLC
- ISE 5101 Security Essentials | SEC401 + GSEC
- ISE 5201 Hacker Techniques & Incident Response | SEC504 + GCIH
- ISE 5401 Advanced Instruction Detection & Analysis | SEC503 + GCIA
- ISE 5601 IT Security Planning, Policy, & Leadership | LDR514 + GSTRT
- ISE 6001 Implementing & Auditing the Critical Security Controls | SEC566 + GCCC
- ISE 6215 Advanced Security Essentials | SEC501 + GCED
- ISE 6240 Continuous Monitoring & Security Operations | SEC511 + GMON
- ISE 6245 Detection Engineering and SIEM Analytics | SEC555 + GCDA
- ISE 6250 Purple Team Tactics & Kill Chain Defenses | SEC599 + GDAT
- ISE 6255 Defensible Security Architecture and Engineering | SEC530 + GDSA
- ISE 6270 Applied Data Science and AI/Machine Learning for Cybersecurity Professionals | SEC595 + GMLE
- ISE 6315 Web App Penetration Testing and Ethical Hacking | SEC542 + GWAPT
- ISE 6320 Enterprise Penetration Testing | SEC560 + GPEN
- ISE 6325 Mobile Device Security & Ethical Hacking | SEC575 + GMOB
- ISE 6330 Wireless Penetration Testing & Ethical Hacking | SEC617 + GAWN
- ISE 6350 Automating Information Security with Python | SEC573 + GPYC
- ISE 6360 Advanced Penetration Testing, Exploit Writing, & Ethical Hacking | SEC660 + GXPN
- ISE 6370 Red Team Operations and Adversary Emulation | SEC565 + GRTP
- ISE 6420 Computer Forensic Investigations – Windows | FOR500 + GCFE
- ISE 6425 Advanced Digital Forensics, Incident Response, & Threat Hunting | FOR508 + GCFA
- ISE 6440 Advanced Network Forensic Analysis | FOR572 + GNFA
- ISE 6442 Enterprise Cloud Forensics and Incident Response | FOR 509 + GCFR
- ISE 6445 Cyber Threat Intelligence | FOR578 + GCTI
- ISE 6455 Mac and iOS Forensic Analysis and Incident Response | FOR518 + GIME
- ISE 6450 Advanced Smartphone Forensics | FOR585 + GASF
- ISE 6460 Reverse-Engineering Malware | FOR610 + GREM
- ISE 6515 ICS/SCADA Security Essentials | ICS410 + GICSP
- ISE 6520 ICS Active Defense and Incident Response | ICS515 + GRID
- ISE 6525 Essentials for NERC Critical Infrastructure Protection | ICS456 + GCIP
- ISE 6549 Cloud Security Architecture | SEC549 + GCAD
- ISE 6553 Cyber Incident Management | LDR553 + GCIL
- ISE 6610 Cloud Security Essentials | SEC488 + GCLD
- ISE 6612 Public Cloud Security: AWS, Azure, and GCP | SEC510 + GPCS
- ISE 6615 Defending Web Applications Security Essentials | SEC522 + GWEB
- ISE 6630 Cloud Penetration Testing | SEC588 + GCPN
- ISE 6650 Cloud Security and DevOps Automation | SEC540 + GCSA
- ISE 6655 Cloud Security Attacker Techniques, Monitoring and Threat Detection | SEC541 + GCTD
- ISE 6700 Building and Leading Security Operations Centers | LDR551 + GSOM
- ISE 6715 Auditing & Monitoring Networks, Perimeters, & Systems | AUD507 + GSNA

STEP 2

Complete the online application at application.sans.edu/apply and confirm your admission.

If admitted, you will be prompted to accept your offer of admission.

STEP 3

Complete new student orientation and meet with your student advisor.

You will receive instructions via email to complete a short, virtual new student orientation. At the end of orientation, you will schedule a call with your student advisor to confirm the course you wish to take, funding, modality, and start date.

STEP 4

Register and pay for your course.

After meeting with your advisor, you will receive instructions via email with a link to register and pay for your course through SANS.edu.

STEP 5

Complete your course.

After completing your GIAC exam within the 3-month course term, you will receive a grade report via email.

STEP 6

Receive credit towards a program.

Talk to your student advisor about transferring your credit earned to one of our SANS.edu programs. Transfer credit does not count against the 25% course waiver limit. Visit SANS.edu/admissions/transfer-of-credit for more details.

Questions? We are happy to help.

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