

# Certification Paths at a Glance



## TECHNOLOGY SPECIALIST PATHS - TWO EXAMS TO EARN EACH OF THE MCTS CERTIFICATIONS

Each Microsoft Certified Technology Specialist (MCTS) certification requires passing *Exam 70-536: TS: Microsoft .NET Framework, Application Development Foundation* in addition to the exam listed with each of the certifications below in order to earn the credential.

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Technology Specialist  
.NET Framework 3.5,  
Windows Presentation  
Foundation Applications

### Exam

**70-502:** *TS: Microsoft .NET Framework 3.5, Windows Presentation Foundation Application Development*

### Course

**6460:** *Visual Studio 2008: Windows Presentation Foundation*

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Technology Specialist  
.NET Framework 3.5,  
Windows Communication  
Foundation Applications

### Exam

**70-503:** *TS: Microsoft .NET Framework 3.5, Windows Communication Foundation Application Development*

### Course

**6461:** *Visual Studio 2008: Windows Communication Foundation*

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Technology Specialist  
.NET Framework 3.5,  
Windows Workflow  
Foundation Applications

### Exam

**70-504:** *TS: Microsoft .NET Framework 3.5, Windows Workflow Foundation Application Development*

### Course

**6462:** *Visual Studio 2008: Windows Workflow Foundation*

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Technology Specialist  
.NET Framework 3.5,  
Windows Forms  
Applications

### Exam

**70-502:** *TS: Microsoft .NET Framework 3.5, Windows Forms Application Development*

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Technology Specialist  
.NET Framework 3.5,  
ADO.NET Applications

### Exam

**70-561:** *TS: Microsoft .NET Framework 3.5, ADO.NET Application Development*

### Course

**6464:** *Visual Studio 2008: ADO.NET 3.5*

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Technology Specialist  
.NET Framework 3.5,  
ASP.NET Applications

### Exam

**70-502:** *TS: Microsoft .NET Framework 3.5, ASP.NET Application Development*

### Course

**6463:** *Visual Studio 2008: ASP.NET 3.5*

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPER PATHS - THREE TO SIX EXAMS TO EARN AN MCPD CERTIFICATION

Microsoft Certified Professional Developer (MCPD) certifications require earning base MCTS credential(s) in addition to passing a single exam. The requisite MCTS credentials are listed below, along with the required exam.

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Professional Developer  
Windows Developer 3.5

### Exam

**70-563:** *PRO: Designing and Developing Windows Applications using Microsoft .NET Framework 3.5*

### Required MCTS Certification

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, Windows Forms Applications

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Professional Developer  
ASP.NET Developer 3.5

### Exam

**70-564:** *PRO: Designing and Developing ASP.NET Applications using Microsoft .NET Framework 3.5*

### Required MCTS Certification

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, ASP.NET Applications

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Professional Developer  
Enterprise Application  
Developer 3.5

### Exam

**70-565:** *PRO: Designing and Developing Enterprise Applications using Microsoft .NET Framework 3.5*

### Required MCTS Certification

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, Windows Forms Applications

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, Windows Communication Foundation Applications

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, ADO.NET Applications

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, ASP.NET Applications

## VISUAL STUDIO 2008 UPGRADE PATHS

If you hold an MCPD certification in Visual Studio 2005 you will be able to take advantage of a one- or two-exam upgrade path to transition your skills to Visual Studio 2008. Each upgrade path will earn you multiple certifications.

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Professional Developer  
Windows Developer  
(Visual Studio 2005)

### Exam

**70-565:** *Upgrade: Transition your MCPD Windows Developer Skills to MCPD Windows Developer 3.5*

### Earn these certifications

**MCPD:** Windows Developer 3.5

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, Windows Forms Applications

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Professional Developer  
Web Developer  
(Visual Studio 2005)

### Exam

**70-566:** *Upgrade: Transition your MCPD Web Developer Skills to MCPD ASP.NET Developer 3.5*

### Earn these certifications

**MCPD:** ASP.NET Developer 3.5

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, ASP.NET Applications

**Microsoft CERTIFIED**  
Professional Developer  
Enterprise Application  
Developer  
(Visual Studio 2005)

### Exams

**70-567:** *Upgrade: Transition your MCPD Enterprise Application Developer Skills to MCPD Enterprise Application Developer 3.5, Part 1*

**70-568:** *Upgrade: Transition your MCPD Enterprise Application Developer Skills to MCPD Enterprise Application Developer 3.5, Part 2*

### Earn these certifications

**MCPD:** Enterprise Application Developer 3.5

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, ASP.NET Applications

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, ADO.NET Applications

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, Windows Forms Applications

**MCTS:** .NET Framework 3.5, Windows Communication Foundation Applications