Oracle Database PL/SQL Developer Certified Associate
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Certifying Organization	Oracle: www.Oracle.com
Description of Credential	This credential certifies that the student has demonstrated proficiency using PL/SQL programming language. Students develop skills to create PL/SQL blocks of application code that can be shared by multiple forms, reports, and data management applications on the Oracle database.
Part of which Graduation Pathways [1]	Integrated: Information Technology, Technology Specialist
Associated with Which Careers?	5 Star: Computer Systems Manager, Computer Programmer, Computer Systems Analyst, Computer User Support Specialist, Industrial Engineer, Network Systems Administrator, Sales Representative – Technical and Scientific Products, Software Developer 4 Star: Computer Network Architect, Computer Network Support Specialist, Database Administrator
Entry-Level Annual Salaries	$28,000 - $51,000

Industry-Based Certification Requirements: Students						
Standard / Curriculum	A document detailing Oracle PL/SQL Developer course objectives and certification requirements can be found by clicking on "Course Topics" and Course Objectives here .					
Testing Methodology	Paper?	No	Online?	Yes	Performance Exams / Tests?	No
Re-Testing (if available)	Re-Testing Procedures	Students must wait 14 days before retaking a failed proctored exam. Students may retake an online non-proctored exam at any time.		Max Attempts	There is no annual limit on the number of attempts on the same exam.	
Testing Details (including any age requirements / accommodations)	New and Upcoming Release for Oracle Database PL/SQL Developer Certification exam is 12c SQL 1Z0-071. Exam price is $245. Format is Multiple Choice. All students must complete and submit the Candidate Agreement, found here in order to take the exam. Parental signature for students under the age of 18 is required on the Minor Parent/Guardian Signature Page (pg. 6) of the Candidate Agreement. The signed form must be on file with Oracle before testing. The form can be faxed to: +1(650) 240-3884. Students test at Authorized Pearson VUE testing centers; visit www.pearsonvue.com/oracle Educators seeking student accommodations must fax the accommodation request form to Pearson VUE's secure eFax number (610) 617-9397 for approval. For details, click here.					

Industry-Based Certification Requirements: Teachers	
Bulletin 746, Chapter 5: All Louisiana teachers providing instruction in a course that leads to an IBC must hold the certification that they're teaching students to attain.	
Instructor Certification Requirements (by certifying agency)	Oracle PL/SQL teacher certification is required. Oracle Partner training boot camps real-time instruction information can be found here. Information to become an Oracle Approved Education Provider (OAEP) is available by contacting United States representative (see below).
Proctoring / Test Security (if any)	Exam policy, proctoring and security information are available on Oracle website www.oracle.com

Certification Tracking	
Credentialing Documentation	Oracle maintains all documentation. Students create their own CertView account login and can track Oracle PL/SQL certification and score reports (and other certifications offered by Oracle) online. Students can print out copies of the certifications they have earned. *Teachers* can track the certification results of their students using the student voucher ID number used for the exam. *Schools will not be able to track the results of students who take the exam at a public testing center without the cooperation /disclosure by the student.*

Certification Tracking System	Online Tracking System?	Yes	Details	N/A
Other Details	Expiration Timeframe?	Certain Oracle credentials require periodic recertification in order for Oracle to recognize them as active. Students must upgrade to a current version within twelve (12) months following Oracle's credential retirement to keep a certification in active status. Specific upgrade requirements for each credential will vary and Oracle will notify affected candidates of the applicable upgrade requirements upon a credential retirement.		

Certification Costs / Funding Sources					
Cost Details	Training packages are available (live virtual, classroom configurations). Live Virtual Training costs $2,996. Classroom Training costs $3,558. Other regional or statewide pricing opportunities may be available.				
Re-test / Refund Policies	No refunds or credit will be provided by Oracle or any of its partners. Exam Vouchers must be redeemed before the voucher expiration date.				
Funding Sources [2]	CDF?	Yes	Perkins?	Yes	Alternative Source (other than General Funds)

For More Information	
Certifying Agency Contact Info	Customer Service: (800) 633-0738
LDE Contact	JumpStart@La.Gov
Jump Start Regional Team Experts	TBD

1 – This table may not include all the graduation pathways this credential appears in. Please check the graduation pathway you are working with if you have a question as to whether or not this credential is part of that pathway.

2 – CDF = Career Development Fund

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