

# **PRINCE2® 7 PRACTITIONER**

**Course Duration: 5 days**

## **Overview**

The PRINCE2® 7 PRACTITIONER course is designed to deepen your understanding of the PRINCE2 methodology and enhance your ability to apply its principles to real-world projects. Over the span of five days, this course will guide you through advanced topics, practical applications, and exam preparation to ensure you are equipped to achieve the Practitioner certification.

## **Day 1 Course Content: Practitioner Mindset & Case Introduction**

### **Module 1: Welcome & Practitioner Orientation**

- Recap of PRINCE2 Foundation: A brief overview to reconnect with the foundational concepts of PRINCE2.
- Practitioner-level expectations: Setting the stage for advanced comprehension and application.
- Exam format, question types, and objectives: Understanding the structure and focus areas of the Practitioner exam.

### **Module 2: Scenario Introduction**

- Overview of Practitioner Scenario (Case Study): Introduction to the central case study used throughout the course.
- Stakeholder map & business context: Examining key stakeholders and the organizational environment.
- Identifying key project performance factors: Determining critical success factors and project constraints.

## **Module 3: Principles in Practice**

- Application of the 7 principles in context: Using real-world scenarios to apply each of the PRINCE2 principles.
- Evaluate and justify adherence to principles: Techniques to ensure principles are correctly followed and justified.
- Principles-based questions practice: Engaging with questions that test understanding of PRINCE2 principles.
- Group Activity: Diagnose principle violations in a scenario

## **Day 2 Course Content: Tailoring & People in Projects**

### **Module 4: Tailoring PRINCE2**

- Tailoring principles, practices, and processes: Customizing PRINCE2 to fit specific project needs.
- Balancing agility, governance, and context: Achieving the right equilibrium between flexibility and control.
- Tailoring based on project size, complexity, and environment: Adapting PRINCE2 to various project settings.

### **Module 5: People Practice**

- Importance of people-centric approaches: Focusing on the human element in project management.
- Team development, communication, and leadership: Strategies for effective team management and leadership.
- Practical team management in different contexts: Adapting leadership styles to diverse team dynamics.
- Case-Based Questions on Tailoring and People
- Exercise: Tailor a PRINCE2 component to a hybrid project

## **Day 3 Course Content: Practices Deep Dive – Application & Analysis**

### **Module 6: Business Case & Organization Practices**

- Business justification in evolving projects: Ensuring ongoing viability of the business case.
- Organizational governance and stakeholder engagement: Effective governance structures and stakeholder communication.

### **Module 7: Plans & Risk Practices**

- Planning with product-based planning approach: Crafting detailed and effective project plans.
- Analyzing and responding to risk scenarios: Identifying risks and developing mitigation strategies.

### **Module 8: Issues, Quality & Progress Practices**

- Managing change, quality controls, and tolerances: Ensuring quality and managing change effectively.
- Escalation paths and exception handling: Dealing with issues and exceptions in a structured manner.
- Activity: Evaluate management products for consistency
- Mock Exam Section A Practice Questions

## **Day 4 Course Content: Processes & Sustainability**

### **Module 9: Applying the 7 Processes**

- Process walkthroughs with scenario-based application:

- Starting Up a Project
- Directing a Project
- Initiating a Project
- Controlling a Stage
- Managing Product Delivery
- Managing a Stage Boundary
- Closing a Project

## **Module 10: Sustainability in Projects**

- Embedding sustainability across the lifecycle: Incorporating sustainability into project management practices.
- Assessing impacts and trade-offs in real cases: Evaluating environmental and social impacts.
- Activity: Map processes to the case scenario
- Practice Questions on Processes and Sustainability
- Mock Exam Section B Practice Questions

## **Day 5 Course Content: Exam Strategy & Full Simulation**

### **Module 11: Full Practice Exam (Timed)**

- Practitioner-style scenario-based exam: Simulating the real exam environment with timed conditions.
- Answer strategy: elimination, justification, contextual interpretation: Techniques for tackling different question types.

## **Module 12: Review & Feedback**

- Review mock exam answers and rationales: Discussing correct answers and learning from mistakes.
- Key themes recap: People, Tailoring, Sustainability, Practices: Revisiting essential course themes for reinforcement.

## **Module 13: Exam Readiness Checklist**

- Final exam techniques & mental prep: Preparing mentally and strategically for the exam day.
- How to use the PRINCE2 manual during exam: Efficient use of the manual as a reference tool.
- Tips for time management: Strategies for managing exam time effectively.
- Q&A, Common Pitfalls, Final Clarifications