

Capstone & DP-800 Exam Readiness

Polish FieldNote into a portfolio piece, prepare evidence-based for the exam, plan the next 12 months.

Earlier sub-courses build skills; AIDD-MS-4 demonstrates them. Take FieldNote to portfolio quality, prepare for DP-800 with evidence-driven targeting, sit the exam, and leave with a concrete 12-month plan.

WHAT YOU'LL WALK OUT WITH

- **A portfolio-quality FieldNote.** Docs, architecture diagram, demo video.
- **Microsoft Certified: SQL AI Developer Associate.** Via the DP-800 exam.
- **Program completion certificate.** Independent of exam outcome.
- **Evidence-based readiness.** Practice Assessment baseline, mock, gap analysis.
- **A capstone defense.** Real practice articulating decisions.

PREREQUISITES

AIDD-MS-1, -2, and -3 completion — no entry diagnostic. The full FieldNote project, and readiness to commit focused time to exam prep.

HOW IT'S STRUCTURED

Organized into phases, each with its own deliverable and instructor check-in. Most contact time is 1:1; the capstone defense is the only group session.

DEFEND — FIELDNOTE FINAL

Earlier sub-courses built FieldNote in pieces; MS-4 makes it whole. Gaps closed, tests added, docs polished, defended to peers — then you sit for DP-800. The credential is the byproduct of competence.

MODULES	TIME	FORMAT	OUTCOME
3 / 10ph	~25-35h	1:1 + defense	DP-800

Ready to defend your work and earn the credential?

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The 10 Phases of AIDD-MS-4

Module 4A · Capstone: Integration & Polish

PHASES 1-5

- 1) Project audit and gap analysis (2-3h).
- 2) Address production gaps (6-8h).
- 3) End-to-end testing (3-4h).
- 4) Documentation & presentation — README, architecture diagram, recorded demo (3-4h).
- 5) Capstone defense before peers (1-2h).

Module 4B · DP-800 Exam Readiness

PHASES 6-9

- 6) Practice Assessment baseline cold (1.5h).
- 7) Targeted re-study of revealed gaps (3-5h).
- 8) Exam Readiness Zone & format practice incl. case studies (2-3h).
- 9) Full-length timed mock; 75% threshold to schedule (2-3h + exam day).

Module 4C · Continuing Professional Development

PHASE 10

- 10) A 12-month learning plan — renewal cadence, follow-on credentials, community resources, and one concrete deliverable to ship in 90 days. Unlimited retake support.