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LEVEL 02 OF 04 · ESSENTIAL

Github Copilot Essential Training

Use Copilot Chat daily to explain, fix, test, document and refactor code, and bring Copilot into commits, pull requests and code review.

LIVE ONLINE **Max 8-10 hours**	CORPORATE (DAY-WISE) **2 days · Days 1-2**	SELF-PACED VIDEO **1-year LMS access**
BATCH SIZE **Max 10 learners**	NEXT BATCHES **1st of every month · weekends: first Saturday**	CERTIFICATE **Verifiable certificate of completion**

Foundation	Essential	Intermediate	Advanced
1 day · Included	2 days · This curriculum	3 days · Next step	5 days · Later

INSIDE THIS CURRICULUM

What you will achieve	Outcomes and level focus
Who should attend	Audience and prerequisites
Agenda	24 topics · Foundation to Essential
Hands-on labs	2 labs
Formats and fees	Live, 1:1, self-paced, corporate
Trainer and reviews	Rajesh Kumar
Enrolment	Batches, payment, contacts

WHY DEVOPSSCHOOL

- Rated 4.6 on Google
- 1,500+ verifiable certificates issued in the public registry
- Trainer Rajesh Kumar: 20 years in industry
- Small batches: max 10 learners, every session recorded

Course page: www.devopsschool.com/courses/github/github-copilot-essential-training.html
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OUTCOMES

What you will achieve

By the end of the Github Copilot course path, you will be able to:

1

Code faster with Copilot

Use completions, chat and edits to write, explain, test and document code efficiently.

2

Delegate work to agents

Drive agent mode, the coding agent and MCP tools with clear instructions and reviews.

3

Roll out Copilot safely

Govern, secure and measure Copilot adoption across teams and organisations.

WHAT THE ESSENTIAL LEVEL ADDS

Copilot Chat, everyday coding, tests and reviews

Hands-on: Fix, test and ship a change. Use Copilot Chat to diagnose a failing service, fix it across several files, generate tests and docs, and open a pull request reviewed by Copilot.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Learners who know the basics of Github Copilot and want to use it confidently every day.
- Professionals taking over Github Copilot work on a live project.
- Teams agreeing on a common way of working with Github Copilot.

BEFORE YOU START

- The Foundation level, or equivalent hands-on experience.
- You can already: Install GitHub Copilot in your IDE, steer completions with comments and context, and update a JavaScript and a Python project with it.
- Basic computer skills and a laptop with a stable internet connection for the live sessions and labs.
- This curriculum includes every earlier level, so it is complete on its own.

AGENDA · FOUNDATION TO ESSENTIAL

Github Copilot Essential Training agenda

24 topics. Each level builds on the one before it, so this curriculum lists every earlier level in full. Days are for corporate (day-wise) delivery; live online batches cover the same agenda in max 8-10 hours.

DAY 1 — Foundation: Setup, completions and first JavaScript and Python exercises

Included from Foundation

1. Introduction: course goals, using the slides and getting the exercise repo
2. What is GitHub Copilot: AI pair programming in the IDE, on GitHub.com, in the terminal and on mobile
3. Copilot plans: Copilot for Individuals versus Copilot for Business, today's Free, Pro, Pro+, Business and Enterprise
4. Installing Copilot: VS Code, Visual Studio, JetBrains IDEs and Neovim, signing in and the status indicator
5. Basic autocomplete: ghost text, accepting with Tab, accepting word by word and dismissing suggestions
6. Autocompletions panel: viewing alternative suggestions and next edit suggestions
7. Writing comments: describing intent in natural language to steer what Copilot generates
8. Working with GitHub Copilot: how open tabs, history and file names shape suggestions
9. Generating data: fixtures, mock records and output to YAML or JSON
10. Using GitHub Copilot with JavaScript: set up VS Code and update a JavaScript portfolio
11. Using GitHub Copilot with Python: set up VS Code and update a Python web API
12. Privacy basics: what is sent to the service, the public code matching filter and settings to review

DAY 2 — Essential: Copilot Chat, everyday coding, tests and reviews

New at this level

13. Using Copilot Chat: the chat panel, inline chat and quick chat in the editor
14. Chatting with Copilot: #file, #selection and #codebase context with /explain, /fix, /tests and /doc commands
15. Troubleshooting fixes: explaining error messages and stack traces and fixing failing terminal commands
16. Using Copilot on projects: multi-file changes with edit mode and a working set of files
17. Prompt crafting: specific goals, small steps, examples and constraints, then verifying the output
18. Unit tests: generating Jest or pytest tests, edge cases and mocks and running them
19. Refactoring and explaining legacy code: simplifying functions, renaming and extracting modules safely
20. Documentation: docstrings, inline comments, README sections and API usage notes
21. Commits and pull requests: generated commit messages and pull request summaries
22. Copilot code review: requesting AI review on pull requests and acting on comments
23. Model picker: choosing faster or stronger reasoning models for different tasks
24. Copilot on GitHub.com: asking about repositories, files and diffs in the browser

PRACTICE

Hands-on labs

You build these yourself during the course, guided by the trainer.

FOUNDATION

Extend two apps with Copilot

Install Copilot in VS Code, then add features to a JavaScript portfolio page and a Python web API using comments, completions and the suggestions panel.

ESSENTIAL

Fix, test and ship a change

Use Copilot Chat to diagnose a failing service, fix it across several files, generate tests and docs, and open a pull request reviewed by Copilot.

HOW YOU CAN LEARN

Formats and fees

The same agenda in four formats. Fees are in Indian rupees as of November 2026; the course page shows them in your currency.

FORMAT	DURATION	WHAT YOU GET	FEE
Live & interactive (online)	Max 8-10 hours	Instructor-led public batch of max 10 learners with demos, labs, Q&A and assignment review. Weekday batches start on the 1st of every month, weekend batches on the first Saturday of every month.	**INR 34,999**
1:1 live training (online)	Max 8-10 hours, one-to-one	The same agenda, taught one-to-one by the trainer. Starts immediately, without waiting for the next batch; sessions planned around your working hours, at your pace.	**INR 99,999**
Self-paced video	1-year LMS access	All four Github Copilot levels, plus 20+ more courses and 50+ tools, at your own pace.	**INR 833/month** billed yearly at INR 9,996
Corporate (day-wise)	2 days for this level	A private batch for your team, on demand. Foundation 1 day, Essential 2, Intermediate 3, Advanced 5 (cumulative).	**Quote on request**

ASSESSMENT AND CERTIFICATE

Your progress is checked through hands-on labs and assignments at every level. On completion you receive a DevOpsSchool certificate of completion with a unique credential ID that anyone can verify at devopsschool.com/certificates.

INCLUDED WITH EVERY LIVE BATCH

- Every live session is recorded and stays in your LMS for a year.
- Can't attend your batch? Move to next month's batch.
- Free demo class before you pay.
- Free 10-15 minute call with an advisor or the trainer to check the course fits you.

YOUR TRAINER

Learn from Rajesh Kumar

Principal Architect, trainer and mentor in DevOps, SRE, DevSecOps and platform engineering, with 20 years across 8+ software MNCs, including Staff DevOps/SRE Engineer for a leading Japanese mobile-payment platform and Principal DevOps Architect and Manager in Europe.

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20 years in industry	**200+** corporate trainings
10,000+ engineers mentored	**70+** organisations coached

REVIEWS

What learners say

Rated 4.6 on Google · more reviews at devopsschool.com/testimonials and in our video testimonials.

> “Rajesh is very good trainer. Rajesh was able to resolve our queries and question effectively. We really liked the hands-on examples covered during this training program.”
>
> Indrayani, India

> “The training was very useful and interactive. Rajesh helped develop the confidence of all.”
>
> Abhinav Gupta, Pune

START YOUR GITHUB COPILOT TRAINING

Join the next batch

Weekday batches start on the 1st of every month and weekend batches on the first Saturday of every month, with max 10 learners each. 1:1 training can start immediately; corporate batches run on demand. We reply within 1 hour.

Pay by UPI, credit and debit cards, net banking or PayPal. Before you pay, read our refund policy. All levels of this course: www.devopsschool.com/courses/github/

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Next step after this level: Github Copilot Intermediate Training - Delegate multi-step work to agent mode and the coding agent, customise Copilot for your repository, extend it with MCP and keep output secure.