

# Cyber Security Courses

## **‘Penetration Testing’**

### Course Outline

Class No	Modules Details	Duration
<b>Module 01: Introduction to Advanced Vulnerability Exploitation</b>		
<b>01</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Overview of cybersecurity landscape</li> <li>➤ Importance of understanding advanced attack techniques</li> <li>➤ Key concepts and terminology</li> </ul>	<b>1 Hours</b>
<b>Module 02: Reconnaissance, Scanning and Enumeration Techniques</b>		
<b>02</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Passive and active reconnaissance</li> <li>➤ Open Source Intelligence (OSINT) tools and techniques</li> <li>➤ Identifying and mapping target vulnerabilities</li> <li>➤ Hands-on Activity: Using OSINT tools to gather information about a target</li> </ul>	<b>2 Hours</b>
<b>Module 03: Vulnerability Assessment</b>		
<b>03</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Vulnerability Management in a Nutshell</li> <li>➤ Vulnerability Discovery</li> <li>➤ Vulnerability Classification</li> <li>➤ Prioritisation and Risk Assessment</li> </ul>	<b>2 Hours</b>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Vulnerability Assessment Documentation and Maintenance</li> <li>➤ Remediation and Mitigation</li> </ul>	
<b>Module 04: Advanced Exploitation Techniques for Systems Vulnerabilities</b>		
<b>04</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Network Systems Penetration Testing</li> <li>➤ Operating Systems Penetration Testing</li> <li>➤ Services Penetration Testing</li> <li>➤ Privilege Escalation</li> <li>➤ Hands-on Activity: Exploiting a web application with known vulnerabilities</li> </ul>	<b>3 Hours</b>
<b>Module 05: Advanced Exploitation Techniques for Web Application Vulnerabilities</b>		
<b>05</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Advanced SQL injection techniques</li> <li>➤ Buffer overflows</li> <li>➤ Cross-site scripting (XSS)</li> <li>➤ Command injection</li> <li>➤ Remote Code Execution (RCE)</li> <li>➤ Cross-Site Request Forgery (CSRF)</li> <li>➤ Hands-on Activity: Performing an RCE attack on a vulnerable web application</li> </ul>	<b>2 Hours</b>
<b>Module 06: Advanced Exploitation Techniques for Network Vulnerabilities</b>		
<b>06</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Man-in-the-middle (MITM) attacks</li> <li>➤ DNS poisoning</li> <li>➤ ARP spoofing</li> <li>➤ Hands-on Activity: Conducting a MITM attack in a controlled environment</li> </ul>	<b>2 Hours</b>

## Module 07: Defense Strategies and Mitigation Techniques

<b>07</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Secure coding practices</li> <li>➤ Implementing security controls</li> <li>➤ Incident response planning</li> <li>➤ Real-time attack detection and prevention</li> <li>➤ Hands-on Activity: Creating and implementing a defence strategy for a simulated attack</li> </ul>	<b>2 Hours</b>
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## Module 08: Defense Strategies and Mitigation Techniques

<b>08</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Activity: A team-based CTF exercise where participants apply the techniques learned to identify and exploit vulnerabilities in a controlled environment.</li> <li>➤ Workshop Wrap-up</li> <li>➤ Duration: 1 hour</li> <li>➤ Topics Covered:</li> <li>➤ Summary of key takeaways</li> <li>➤ Q&amp;A session</li> <li>➤ Feedback and evaluation</li> </ul>	<b>2 Hours</b>
	✓ <b>Total Course Length</b>	<b>16 Hours</b>