

A large, stylized number 8 is the central graphic. It is composed of thick, rounded strokes in three shades of green: a bright lime green, a medium green, and a dark forest green. The strokes are arranged in a way that creates a sense of depth and movement, with some segments appearing to overlap or transition between colors. The number is centered on a dark navy blue background.

GO ANYWHERE
WITH YOUR CPA
ACCOUNTANCY
QUALIFICATION

TRAINING WITH CPA IRELAND

We are committed to helping you reach your goals. Our programme is geared towards offering you the flexibility and support that you need to achieve them.

Long Term Support

Each student will complete three years training to qualify for CPA membership and we will be there to guide you every step of the way.

FastTrack

All previous relevant experience and placements are taken into consideration and can allow you to progress quicker as it is used towards your final qualification.

Work In Industry or Practice

You are free to choose your employer and are in control of your career from the start.

No Training Contract

We don't hold you to a training contract. Our students can work in any practice or in any company that they choose.



AN INTERNATIONAL QUALIFICATION

The CPA qualification is globally recognised. It is your global passport to work anywhere in Ireland or anywhere else in the world. CPA Ireland has partnerships set up with various accountancy bodies worldwide such as Australia, Canada and India. Choosing the CPA qualification connects you with an international community of CPA accountants worldwide.



EXEMPTIONS

CPA Ireland offer generous exemptions to those with prior qualifications. CPA will look at each qualification to try and award the maximum exemptions possible for you.

ONE QUALIFICATION, MULTIPLE FUTURES

Where do you want to take your career?
Wherever you want to go, we will give you the skills to help you get there. Here are just a few reasons why you should choose CPA Ireland to support you on your journey.



Global

World renowned qualifications with one million CPAs working across the globe.



Flexible

Our FastTrack and exemptions for previous qualifications enable our students to qualify faster than with any other accountancy body.



Accessible

A qualification that is open to all, from school-leavers and graduates, to career changers.



Aspirational

A goal driven accountancy body that focuses on getting you to where you want to be.



Supportive

A personal, supportive service - just pick up the phone to speak to us at our Dublin HQ.

YOUR PATHWAY TO BECOMING A CPA

There are four exam stages and three years relevant training to become a CPA and you can start your journey at different points, depending on your previous examinations and exemptions granted.



STAGE ONE Formation 1 or CPA Certificate in Business & Accounting

Subjects Covered:

- **Management in Organisations**
- **Business Law & Professional Ethics**
- **Economic & Business Planning**
- **Accounting***

If you are a **school leaver** or a **mature student** then Stage One is where you start your journey.

**Mandatory for the CPA Certificate in Business & Accounting*

STAGE TWO

Formation 2

Subjects Covered:

- **Financial Accounting**
- **Information Systems**
- **Taxation**
- **Management Accounting**

If you have a previous qualification such as a **Certificate/Degree (Ord) in Business**, a **Non-Business Degree** or qualifications as an **Accounting Technician**, then you can enter at Stage Two.



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FastTrack



Our FastTrack option can allow you to put your relevant college/work experience and placements towards your qualification for earlier completion.

Learning Support



We understand that every person is unique, so we have a range of learning options to cater for your individual styles. Whether you prefer classes or eLearning, we are here to support you as you become a fully qualified CPA.



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STAGE THREE

Professional 1

Subjects Covered:

- **Corporate Reporting**
- **Auditing**
- **Corporate Laws and Governance**
- **Managerial Finance**

Stage Three can be entered by anyone with an **Accounting Degree (Hons)** or relevant postgraduate degree.

As with all of our stages, completing the previous stages will automatically enroll you for the next stage.

STAGE FOUR

Professional 2 or MSc in Applied Accounting

Subjects Covered:

- **Strategy Leadership (Mandatory)**
- **Advanced Corporate Reporting (Mandatory)**

Plus 2 Electives from:

- **Advanced Taxation**
- **Audit Practice & Assurance Services**
- **Strategic Corporate Finance**
- **Strategic Performance Management**

Stage Four is your final step to becoming a CPA Qualified Accountant!

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DESTINATIONS

With a qualification from CPA Ireland you have the freedom to work across a breadth of sectors, in a small or large practice, with a world of opportunities. We are here to help you find the perfect fit.

Here are just some of the many exciting industries our CPAs go on to work in:



Finance



FinTech



Consultancy



Logistics



Practice/
Audit



Science &
Engineering



Education



Healthcare



Retail



Telecommunications

HAVE ANY QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions about your application, exemptions or exam schedules then please don't hesitate to get in touch with us via the details below and one of our team will be happy to help.

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REGISTER WITH US

We have a simple online registration process, all we require is a copy of your results transcripts and identification.

Important Dates:

If you are looking to sit the April exams, you must register by **December 1st** of the previous year.

To sit the August exams, you must register by **June 1st** of that year.



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