

**CPA**  
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# **What it Really Means to be a CPA**

and opportunities to learn more

# Certified Public Accountant (CPA)



## Education

To become a CPA, you must complete 150 hours of college education.



## Pass the CPA Exam

You also must pass a 4-part CPA Exam.



## Work Experience

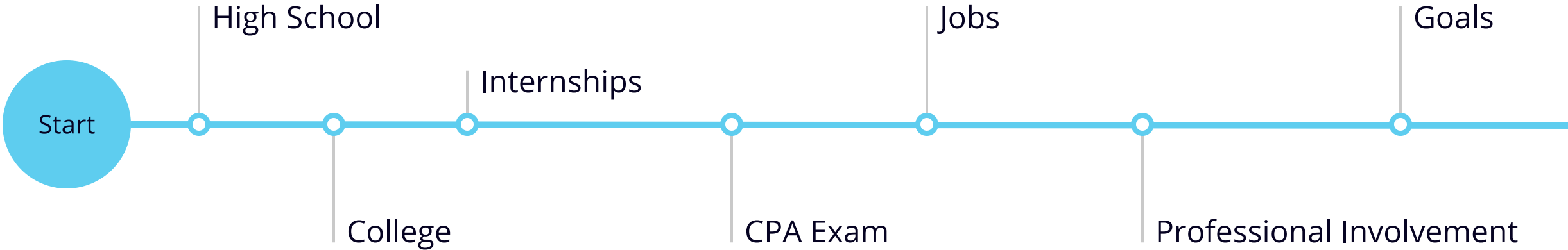
To earn a CPA license, you must have 24 months of full-time work experience. The good news, internships count!



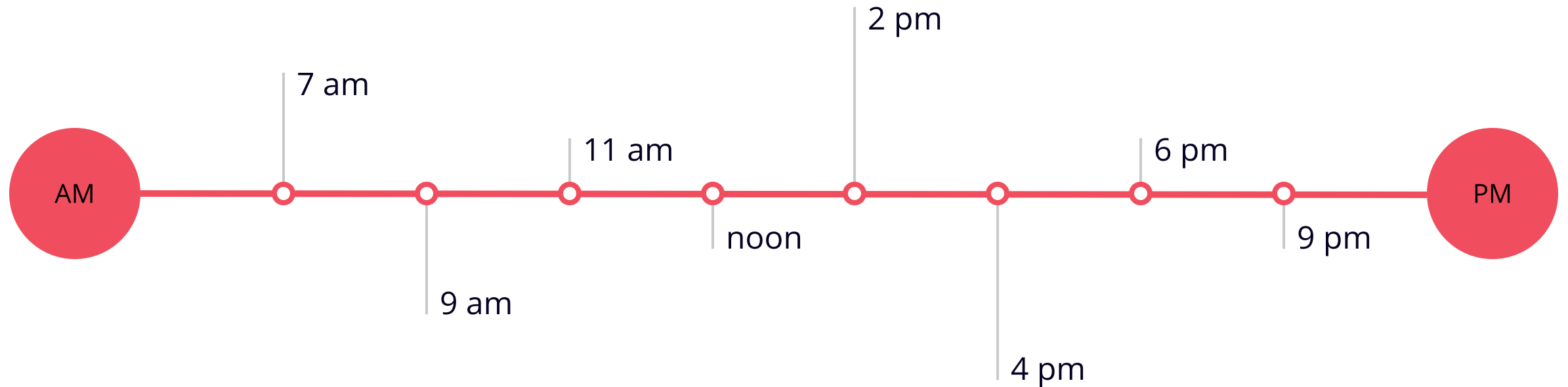
## Apply for CPA License

Once you have the education, passed the CPA Exam and met the work experience you can apply for your CPA license.

# CPA: Career Path



# Typical Day

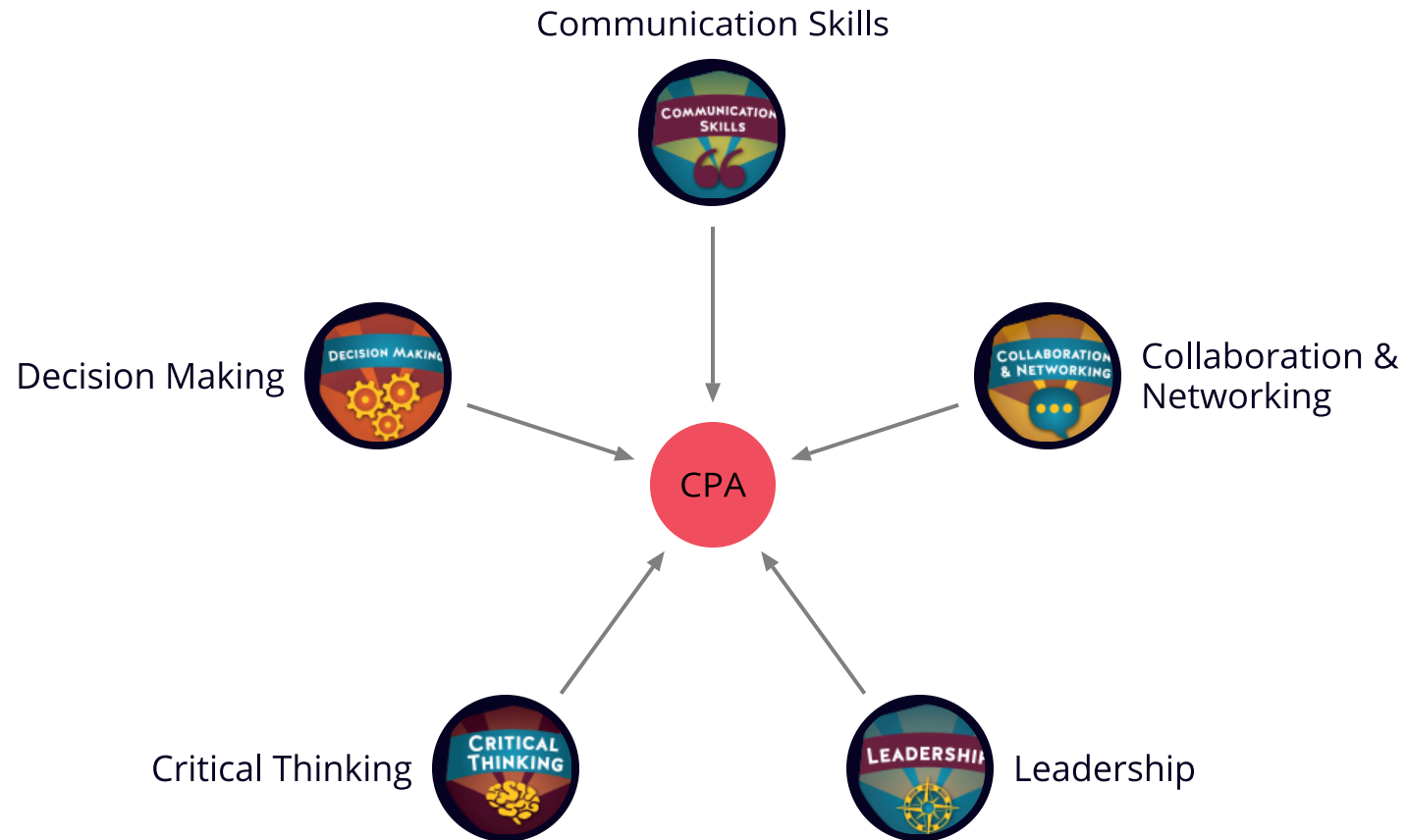


# Day in the Life of a CPA: Videos



- See what a day in the life of a CPA is like!
- CPAs working in firms, business & industry, nonprofit, government.
- Search for “INCPAS” in YouTube.

# CPA: Success Skills



# CPA: Perks

## 1 Travel

CPAs have the ability to travel locally, nationally and even globally depending on their position and the organization they work for.

## 2 High Salaries

CPAs are at the top of most “hot jobs” lists and see salaries increase year-over-year.

## 3 Vacation Time

While CPAs have various “busy seasons” it's important to have time off.

## 4 Great Perks

Each organization is different and each offers its own benefits and perks. Many include work from home options, dress for your day and sports tickets.

# CPA: Flexibility

## 1 Work Anywhere

CPAs are needed in every business. You have the ability to work for an organization that you are passionate about.

## 2 Open Doors

Want to earn instant credibility? Having your CPA demonstrates you are an expert in your field.



# CPA Q&A Videos

What advice would you give an  
aspiring CPA as they begin  
their career?



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- CPAs Q&A videos
- CPAs give advice to students, share about their career paths and talk about why they wanted to become CPAs.
- Visit [incpas.org/cpaweb](https://incpas.org/cpaweb)

# Other Opportunities to Learn More



- **Job Shadow Days**

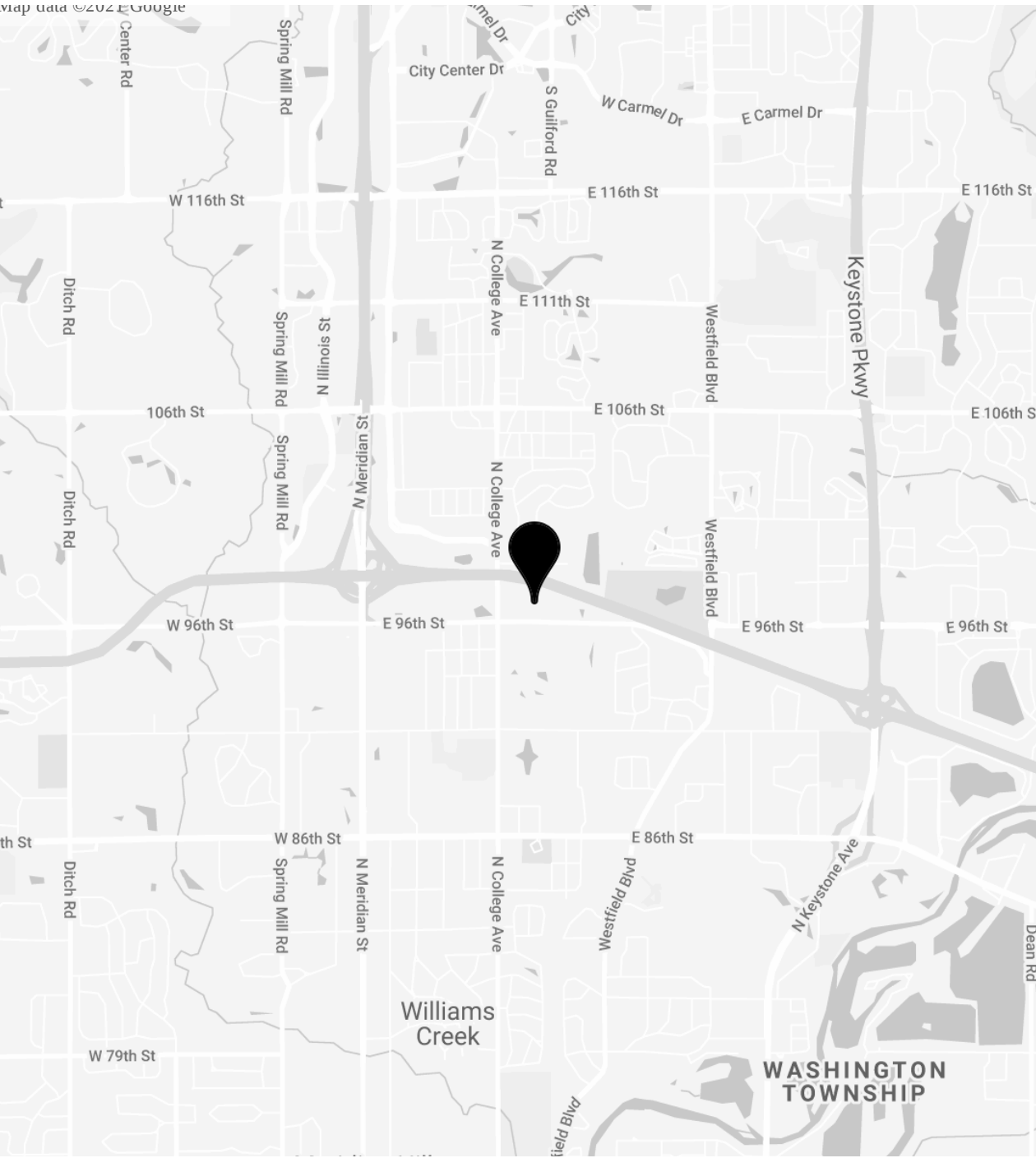
INCPAS can arrange for you to have a job shadow day over the summer to learn more about what CPAs do.

- **Internships**

If you are looking for an internship, we can help point you in the right direction.

- **Student Membership**

For the graduating seniors, you can join INCPAS as a college student member.



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