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VMware Special Pricing

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Lubbock, Texas – LEARN: Lonestar Education and Research Network (LEARN) is delighted to take a moment to thank all of our members who have taken advantage of the incredible savings offered through our VMware contract.

We are announcing even greater savings available to our members. Due to the high demand the Carahsoft Convenience Pricing Program contract has generated, VMware has agreed to increase our discount from 3% to 19%. In addition, 18 new technologies have been added to the Convenience Pricing Program.

The contract covers all VMware technologies and services. Members can also save on subscriptions and support, which is typically unheard of outside of large upfront purchase agreements!

For more information on how your institution can access the contract, please contact: http://www.carahsoft.com/buy/education-contracts/thequilt

New Convenience Contract for multiple technologies is Now Available to All LEARN Members – Q&A

What is The Quilt Consortium Pricing Program?

The Quilt is the non-profit national coalition of 38 of our country's most advanced regional research and education networks. Participants in The Quilt provide advanced network services and applications to over 400 universities and thousands of other educational institutions, state and local government, healthcare, non-profits, and libraries.

Through its partnership with Carahsoft, The Quilt has successfully leveraged its collective buying power to ensure steep discounts on a catalogue of services. These services include, but are not limited to:

- Perpetual software licenses
- Renewal services
- Subscription licenses
- Cloud infrastructure and subscription services
- Managed Services
- Training
- Professional Services

Pricing: Please contact LEARN or Martin Gavin from Carahsoft for pricing.

The Quilt has established advantageous discounts for VMware, Acquia, Akamai, F5, HPE, Illumira, MicroFocus ESP and Microfocus ITM/IM&G, Nutanix, Okta, Palo Alto Netowrks, ProofPoint, RSA, SecureWorks, ServiceNow, Splunk, Tableau, zScaler, Symantec, and BMC.

How do I qualify for The Quilt pricing?

If your organization is a member of LEARN, then you qualify for The Quilt pricing! If you are not a LEARN member, but would like to find out more about LEARN and our service offerings, please send an inquiry to nancy.stewart@tx-learn.net.