

WHAT TO EXPECT ON TESTING DAY

- Testing Days are Monday/Tuesday or Wednesday/Thursday at the designated times. (**Plan on arriving at the center at least 15 minutes prior to testing.**)
- The test is given over a 2-day period approximately 5 hours each day. You must be present both days to avoid forfeiture of your monies.
- Upon admission into the testing room you **MUST** present your original Florida Driver's License or Florida ID Card and your Original Social Security card or official proof thereof. (**Both documents are required**)
- During the test you will not be able to keep the following items at your seat: purses or tote bags, pagers or cell phones, portable music players, hand-held electronic games, food items, textbooks, dictionaries, notebooks, supplies or other nonessential items.
- You are not permitted to leave the testing room once you have checked in. Breaks will be provided between each section.
- If you are late you must reschedule in person at the GED Test Registration Office, Room 11-128.

TEST RESULTS

It will take approximately 8—10 weeks to receive your test results. You will be notified by mail when your results are ready. Once you receive notice, you must come in person to the GED office with your driver's license and sign for your diploma. **Results cannot be given over the phone.**

A standard score of 410 or above on each of the five subtests and an overall score of 2250 must be obtained in order to receive a State of Florida High School Diploma from the Department of Education. An **average** of 450 is needed on each subtest to ensure a passing score.

TESTING ACCOMMODATIONS

Accommodations are available for people with (but not limited to) the following:

- Physical disabilities such as blindness, low vision, deafness, impaired hearing, or mobility impairments.
- Learning disabilities such as dyslexia, dyscalculia, receptive aphasia or written language disorder.
- Attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder
- Psychological disabilities such as bipolar disorder or Tourette's syndrome
- Chronic health issues

Accommodations may include the following: audio cassette edition, Braille edition, large-print edition (no documentation required), vision enhancing technologies, use of video equipment for candidates who are deaf or hard-of hearing in composing the *Language Arts, Writing essay*, use of talking calculator or abacus, certified sign-language interpreter; use of a scribe, extended time, supervised extra breaks, use of a private room, other reasonable accommodations, as warranted based on individual needs.

If you have a disability that can be documented by a qualified professional, you may request a special accommodations form. Once the completed form with the required documentation is returned to our center, it will be forwarded for approval to the State. Once approved by the State, arrangements for testing with the approved accommodations will be made by the Chief Examiner. Please note that there are no additional costs for accommodations.

If you think you have a disability, but you do not have documentation, first contact your local Vocational Rehabilitation office, or the National Rehabilitation Information Center (NARIC), at 1-800-346-2742.

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GED TESTING INFORMATION

CONGRATULATIONS!! By registering for the GED Test, you are taking the first step towards earning your state of Florida High School Diploma. The GED Tests offer an opportunity for people to grow. Many adults who did not complete a high school program of instruction have continued to learn through a variety of experiences encountered in everyday life. The GED Tests make it possible for qualified individuals to earn a high school credential, thus providing opportunities for hundreds of thousands of adults to pursue higher education, obtain jobs, or job promotions, and achieve personal goals. Those who pass the Tests have outperformed 40% of traditional high school graduating seniors.

Most colleges and universities have admissions policies that permit official GED test scores in lieu of high school transcripts. Ninety-seven percent of colleges and universities accept the GED diploma as equivalent to a traditional high school diploma.

REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Registration appointments, as well as, re-schedules must be done in person. You will need:
 - Your **original** Florida Driver's License or Florida ID Card
 - Your **original** Social Security Card (An original W2 form or original recent pay stub with your social Security number may be used in lieu of your Original Social Security Card).
 - \$70.00 in Cash (**No personal checks accepted**)
2. Names on both pieces of identification must match exactly or you must present original government documentation indicating name change.
3. You must be 18 years or older to register, if you are 16 or 17, you must present an age waiver letter at the time of registration.
4. GED Test Registration takes approximately one hour, so please plan your time accordingly. Candidates sign-in upon entering and are seen in the same order.
5. Once you have registered, paid the cashier, and returned the paid receipt to the GED Registrar, your registration is complete.

Please note that if you do not return the paid receipt to the GED office your appointment is not finalized.

WHAT ARE THE GED TESTS?

TEST	ITEMS	TIME LIMIT
Language Arts, Writing Part I	50 Questions	75 minutes (1 hr 15 min)
Language Arts, Writing Part II	Essay	45 minutes
Social Studies	50 Questions	70 minutes (1hr 10 min)
Science	50 Questions	80 minutes (1hr 20 min)
Language Arts	40 Questions	65 minutes (1 hr 5 min)
Mathematics, Part I	25 Questions Calculator Optional	45 minutes
Mathematics, Part II	25 Questions No Calculator	45 minutes

The Tests of General Educational Development (GED Tests) are internationally recognized. They have been designed to measure major academic skills and knowledge in core content areas that are learned during four years of high school. The GED Tests include the following subject area tests:

Except for Part II of the Language Arts, Writing Test, which requires an essay, and the Mathematics test, which requires the gridding of some answers, questions are provided in a multiple-choice format. Each multiple-choice question lists five possible answer choices; you must choose the best answer.

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