GED Information

Registering for the GED

To initiate the registration process and learn more about the GED, visit www.ged.com or call 877.392.6433.

Test-Taker Eligibility

To take the high school equivalency exams in Texas, an individual must:

- be a resident of Texas.
- · have a valid government-issued photo ID, and
- be 18 years of age or older.

For more detailed information and exceptions, please visit the Eligibility Page.

GED Study Resources

- For more information on GED preparation classes, contact the Adult Learning Center at 281.425.6536 or visit the GED website for more <u>GED classes</u> around your area.
- Testing candidates can also find <u>Free Online GED Sample Tests</u> and <u>Official Practice Tests</u> for \$6 per subject on the GED website.
- Study material is also available at most libraries and bookstores.

Official Certificates and Transcripts

- Scores are typically available within three days for computer-based testing.
 Certificates are issued approximately three business days after the final computer-based test. TEA will email the initial certificate in a PDF file to the email address used to register for the exams.
- Students who credentialed in 2014 or later can request a transcript by logging into their GED account.
- Students who credentialed before 2014 can visit the <u>Certificate Search</u> to obtain a free verification letter or to purchase a PDF containing the Certificate of High School Equivalency with test scores for \$5.

Score Requirements

- The 2014 GED Test Series scores range from 100 to 200. To earn a State of Texas Certificate of High School Equivalency, you must achieve a minimum of 145 on each of the four exams.
- A minimum score of 165 is required on Mathematical Reasoning and Reasoning Through Language Arts to qualify for a TSI exemption.
- Individuals cannot combine scores from a previous test series or different test series. In addition, incomplete scores from tests taken before Jan. 1, 2014, are no longer valid.

• For more information on current and previous test scores, visit <u>Test Score</u> <u>Requirements</u>.

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