



Utah GED® Testing Information

The General Education Development Test (GED) was developed in 1942 to measure major and lasting outcomes and concepts associated with a traditional four-year high school education. The current test consists of four subject area modules: Reasoning Through Language Arts, Mathematical Reasoning, Social Studies, and Science. A Utah High School Completion Diploma is awarded upon successful completion of the four test modules.

Value of a GED: All Utah colleges and universities accept a GED. GED scores may need to be higher than average to enter certain universities. **Most employers**, including governments, accept the GED Test as being on par with a high school completion diploma for entry into and retention of employment.

GED Test: The GED Test can be administered in English or Spanish.

Who is Eligible in Utah to Take the GED Test:

1. Any adult not currently holding a secondary diploma;
2. Any 17-18 year old whose class has not graduated;
3. Any 17-18 year old whose class *has not graduated* who submits the Adult Education and/or GED Testing Application for 16-18 Year Old Non-Graduates form, Sections 1 & 2 completed;
4. Any 16 year old out-of-school youth who submits the Adult Education and/or GED Testing Application for 16-18 Year Old Non-Graduates form, Section 1, 2, and 3 completed.

Registration Requirements for GED Testing:

1. Current government-issued picture identification that includes the person's name, photo, address, birth date, and signature.
2. Testing fee and other pertinent information regarding the GED Test in Utah can be found at www.GEDTestingService.com.

Special Accommodations: Many persons have learning, emotional, or physical disabilities. GED Testing Service (GEDTS) has created a way to offer testing accommodations for some of these documented disabilities. Information on accommodations is available at www.GEDTestingService.com/testers/accommodations-for-disability.

For More Information: www.GEDTestingService.com.

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