

What a GED Can Do for You

1. Get a Better Job



A GED will help you get and keep a job. Employers would rather hire someone who has the basic skills to pass the GED, HISET, or TASC test than someone who does not. When it comes time for layoffs, employers consider education and skills.

2. Earn More Money



You can expect to earn more money in your lifetime with a GED diploma. Research shows that people with a high school-level credential make an average of \$385,000 more in their lifetime than people who don't have a diploma.

3. Get Promoted Easier



Passing a GED test will make you more valuable to your employer because you will have gained basic reading, writing, math, and thinking skills. You'll probably find it's easier to get a promotion once you have your diploma.

4. Opportunity for Advanced Training



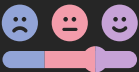
Having an GED certificate opens up a lot of doors for advanced training. Most specialized training programs require either a high school diploma or equivalent. With a GED, you'll be eligible for most workplace or on-the-job training programs, along with higher educational opportunities.

5. Equal to High School Diploma



A state-issued high school equivalency diploma is respected as equal to graduating high school. Online diplomas or "GEDs" are fake. A real state-issued diploma gives you access to more jobs, advanced workplace training, and higher education. It's accepted as an equivalent to a high school diploma by about 97% of colleges and universities in the U.S. and 95% of employers, including the military, the government, and police departments.

6. Feel Better



You'll probably feel better about yourself with a GED certificate because you've accomplished something that only 60% of high school graduates can do.

7. Inspire Your Children



Consider the impact on your family. Your family benefits because a GED certificate can increase financial security. Research also shows that once parents get a diploma, they're more likely to encourage their children to seek educational opportunities and complete educational milestones.

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