

What is HSE?

High School Equivalency Diploma

The HSE is an alternative to earning a high school diploma. The HSE can be earned after completing a test based on five subject areas. The five content areas of the assessments are:

- * Language Arts: Reading
- * Language Arts: Writing
- * Mathematics
- * Science
- * Social Studies

To pass the test a score of 500 must be achieved in each subtest.



The HSE is the official high school equivalency diploma for the state of Indiana and is recognized by colleges, universities and employers the same as a traditional high school diploma.

Great moments...
are born from great
opportunities...



NEO is the place where
great opportunities
begin...



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HSE Testing Center

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HSE-Indiana's NEW test to replace the GED

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NEW LOCATION
Beginning August 20, 2016

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In Need of a Second Chance?
Thinking About a Fresh Start?
Pondering a New Beginning?

How Do I Get Started?

It is HIGHLY RECOMMENDED that you study for the TASC before taking it. NEO's Adult Education program offers day and evening classes and distance learning opportunities as well. For more information, call **219-850-4448** or visit us at www.neoadulted.org

How Do I Register to Take the HSE?

Testers MUST register in person for the test at least 2 days prior to the test.

If you are 18 or older you must have the following with you to register:

- A government issued picture ID
- \$90.00 in cash or money order
- Proof of Indiana residency

If you are 16 or 17 you **must** have an exit interview signed by the principal and superintendent before you will be allowed to sign up for the test.

Special Accommodations are available to those who need them. Contact the NEO chief examiner 219-850-4448 or go to www.tasctest.com for information.

When Can I Take the HSE?

The HSE test is *normally* given twice monthly. This year however, there will only be one testing session in July and August due to our move to our new location on Route 6 in Portage. **The July test will be at our current location and all other tests for 2016-17 will be given at our new location.** The test is 8 hours long and given in two parts. Please plan on attending both sessions in order to complete the test.

Month	9:00 AM Online Test	5:00 PM Paper/Pencil
Jul-16	None	13 th & 14 th
Aug-16	None	24 th & 25 th
Sep-16	14 th & 15 th	28 th & 29 th
Oct-16	12 th & 13 th	26 th & 27 th
Nov-16	2 nd & 3 rd	16 th & 17 th
Dec-16	None	14 th & 15 th
Jan-17	11 th & 12 th	25 th & 26 th
Feb-17	1 st & 2 nd	15 th & 16 th
Mar-17	8 th & 9 th	29 th & 30 th
Apr-17	5th & 6th*	26 th & 27 th
May-17	10 th & 11 th	24 th & 25 th
Jun-17	7 th & 8 th	21 st & 22 nd

HSE documents will be mailed to the testing center. Students will be notified when they arrive. Please bring identification when picking up your documents. Additional copies may be purchased from Diploma Sender for a fee. Go to www.diplomasender.com to register and order copies of your official documents.

***Dates have been changed to reflect the correct testing dates. There was an error in the previous brochure.**

Why should I take the HSE?

Education plays an important role in life by improving knowledge and preparing you to get a better job. Workers who have a high school diploma earn nearly \$ 10,000 more per year than those who do not.

Taking Indiana's HSE test is your first step to moving forward. Whether your goal is to get a better job or continue on your educational pathway to a certificate, 2-year associate degree or 4-year bachelor's degree, this is where your second chance starts.



Getting your HSE is easier than you think. Get the facts and get started on creating your bright NEW future TODAY!