

What is the HSE?

High School Equivalency Diploma

The HSE is the state of Indiana's alternative to earning a high school diploma. The HSE can be earned after completing the official **Test Assessing Secondary Completion, the TASC Test**, at an official testing center. The test consists of five subject area tests. The five content areas of the assessment 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. For more information about the test, visit the testing service website at www.tasctest.com.



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.

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HSE-Indiana's test to replace the GED



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2018-19 NEO HSE TESTING SCHEDULE



In Need of a Second Chance?
Thinking About a Fresh Start?
Ready for a Brighter Future?

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** also have an exit interview signed by the principal of your previous school and a superintendent before you will be allowed to sign up for the test.

MORE TASC INFORMATION

You must arrive on time for your scheduled test and have your picture ID with you.

Taking the TASC Test involves attending 2 testing sessions. Reading, Science and Social Studies are administered in the first test session and Math and Writing are administered in the second test session.

Please note that there are NO REFUNDS for a missed scheduled test. A tester CAN reschedule a test once if a conflict arises by contacting NEO at least 24 hours in advance

Special Accommodations are available to those who need them. Contact the NEO chief examiner psiminski@neoadulted.org, or go to www.tasctest.com for information.

When Can I Take the HSE?

The HSE test is given to first time testers twice monthly except in June when only one test session is offered. There is no testing in July.

2018-19 NEO HSE TESTING SCHEDULE

Month	9:00 AM Online Test	5:00 PM Paper/Pencil
Jul-18	11 th & 12 th	None
Aug-18	8 th & 9 th	22 nd & 23 rd
Sep-18	5 th & 6 th	19 th & 20 th
Oct-18	3 rd & 4 th	24 th & 25 th
Nov-18	7 th & 8 th	28 th & 29 th
Dec-18	5 th & 6 th	19 th & 20 th
Jan-19	9 th & 10 th	23 rd & 24 th
Feb-19	6 th & 7 th	20 th & 21 st
Mar-19	6 th & 7 th	20 th & 21 st
Apr-19	3 rd & 4 th	17 th & 18 th
May-19	8 th & 9 th	22 nd & 23 rd
Jun-19	5 th & 6 th	19 th & 20 th

Re-tests are given once a month during the day on the computer.

Retest sessions begin at 10:00 AM on the following Wednesdays:

August 15th, September 12th, October 10th, November 14th, December 12th, January 16th, February 13th, March 13th, April 10th, May 15th and June 12th. There are no retests in July.

HSE documents will be mailed to the tester at the address used at registration. 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.

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 to continue on your educational pathway to a workplace certificate, a 2-year associate degree or a 4-year bachelor's degree or beyond, this is where your second chance starts.

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 on the web at www.neoadulted.org. For a complete list of NWI Adult Education Learning Centers call 219-462-2940 or on the web at: <http://education.innovativeworkforce.com/locations.html>

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

