

# GED Testing Information Sheet



Testing available most **Mondays and Tuesdays 9am-3:00pm** by appointment. Appointments should be made online at [www.ged.com](http://www.ged.com) or by calling Pearson Customer Service at 877-392-6433.

## **Eligibility Requirements:**

- ❖ Candidate must not hold a standard high school diploma from the United States and must be officially withdrawn from school to take the GED® test.
- ❖ Candidate must provide an **unexpired, recognizable** government-issued photo ID with signature.
- ❖ Candidate must be a resident of Texas and will be required to provide proof of residency.

## **Registration and Scheduling Options:**

- ❖ Visit the candidate website [www.GED.com](http://www.GED.com) at least 24 hours prior to desired test day or contact the Pearson Call Center at 1-877-392-6433 Mon-Fri, 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. CST at least 24 hours prior to your desired test date to register.

## **Cost:**

- ❖ Fee payment is handled by calling Pearson or by visiting [www.GED.com](http://www.GED.com). The cost is \$36.25 per module (4 modules-\$145 total) and is paid directly to Pearson or the GED Testing Service.

## **Retesting:**

- ❖ Candidates may take their first three attempts per subject area with no waiting period however; all subsequent attempts are subject to a 60 day waiting period between attempts.

## **Accommodations:**

- ❖ Candidates must register for accommodations with the GEDTS (GED® Testing Service) by visiting [www.ged.com](http://www.ged.com).

## **General Information:**

- ❖ Candidates may choose to take multiple modules in several appointments. As a result, the total exam length and fee will vary for each exam appointment.
- ❖ Candidates who choose to take multiple modules in several appointments will not receive a credential until the entire test has been completed.
- ❖ Candidates sign in to their account at [www.GED.com](http://www.GED.com) to receive test results.
- ❖ **Candidates cannot take all sections of the exam in one day at Kilgore College.**

## **Preparing for the Test:**

- Candidates may prepare for the GED tests at [https://ged.com/study/ged\\_ready/](https://ged.com/study/ged_ready/) or by visiting the Kilgore College AEL program webpage at <https://www.kilgore.edu/academics/adult-education-and-literacy>.

## **Passing the test:**

- The passing standard to achieve a high school equivalency credential is 145 or higher.
- A score of 165 or higher on the Mathematical Reasoning test of the GED and a score of 165 or higher on the Reasoning Through Language Arts (RLA) test of the GED will exempt a candidate from the Math and English Language Arts Reading (ELAR) sections of the TSI Assessment.

## **Important Links:**

- ❖ [www.ged.com](http://www.ged.com)
- ❖ <http://tea.texas.gov/TxCHSE.html> (to obtain certificate/transcript with scores for \$5 per copy)