

GED/HSED Options and Requirements

Requirements for ALL GED and High School Equivalency Diploma (HSED) Students

1. Be a resident of Wisconsin
2. Be 18-1/2 years old or the person's ninth grade class has graduated
3. Complete the GED/HSED Orientation
4. Complete ALL REQUIRED Student Success Center activities
5. Complete the Career Awareness course (*For GED and all HSED options*)
6. Complete the Employability Skills course (*For all HSED options*)
7. Pass the Civics test

OPTIONS

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

GED CERTIFICATE
P.I. 5.04

Pass the 4 GED tests with a minimum scale score of 145 on each test

HSED
P.I. 5.05
Based on GED tests and additional requirements

Pass the 4 GED tests with a minimum scale score of 145 on each test	HEALTH LITERACY 1/2 Health credit (grades 7-12) or Pass the Health Literacy Test or Course
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HSED
P.I. 5.06
Based on attainment of high school credits

Complete 22 DPI-approved high school credits including at least:

- 4 credits in English or Communication
- 3 credits in Social Studies (including a citizenship course)
- 2 credits in Mathematics
- 2 credits in Science
- 1/2 credit in Health
- 10-1/2 credits in electives

HSED
P.I. 5.07
Based on attainment of postsecondary credits

Complete 24 postsecondary semester credits or 32 postsecondary quarter credits	Credits must fulfill high school graduation requirements in English, Social Studies, Science, Math, and Health
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HSED
P.I. 5.08
Based on a foreign high school diploma or foreign college degree

Certified copy of student's foreign high school diploma or foreign college degree document with a certified English translation	Ability to speak, read, and write English well	Is a U.S. citizen or has passed an approved civics/citizenship test or course
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HSED
P.I. 5.09
Based on completion of a DPI-approved HSED program

Pass all required DPI-approved HSED 5.09 courses