

## State of Florida High School Diploma (GED)

Any student who is at least 18 years old and who has not earned a standard diploma may earn a State of Florida diploma by passing the Tests of General Educational Development (GED). The GED consists of separate tests in English, social studies, science, literature, and mathematics. Students must also write a 200-word essay. Special editions are available in Spanish, large print, and Braille, and on audiocassette. GED test preparation classes are offered through local adult education programs.

After receiving a State of Florida diploma, students may enter the work force, military service, community college, or technical school (depending on the school and program). Students may be required to take a test of basic skills.

Local testing sites are as follows:

**Name** Miami-Dade County Schools - ML  
**Address** 5780 N.W. 158th Street  
Miami, FL 33014  
**Phone** 305/557-1100  
**Country** United States  
**Type** Test on Paper

**Name** Miami Dade County Schools - LH  
**Address** 750 N.W. 20th Street  
Miami, FL 33127  
**Phone** 305/327-6070 x7081  
**Country** United States  
**Type** Test on Paper

**Name** Miami Dade County Schools - RM  
**Address** 18180 S.W. 122nd Avenue  
Miami, FL 33177  
**Phone** 305/253-9920  
**Country** United States  
**Type** Test on Paper

**Name** Broward County Schools  
**Address** 5400 Sheridan St.  
Hollywood, FL 33021  
**Phone** 754/321-5577  
**Country** United States  
**Type** Test on Paper

More information about the GED can be found at <http://www.gedtestingervice.com>

High School Diploma options for Student with Disabilities:

[http://www.fldoe.org/ese/pdf/hs\\_options\\_ese.pdf](http://www.fldoe.org/ese/pdf/hs_options_ese.pdf)