Online Proctored GED® test - Q&A Session
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Online Proctored (OP) GED® Test Pilot

- Test-takers can take the GED test from the comfort of their home or other location that meets the criteria.
- Why? To create a pressure relief valve and provide more access to those ready to test and move on with the next steps in their life.
- What is it? The GED test is delivered online and is continually monitored by a trained proctor and A.I.
- Who is administering the test? GED Testing Service is contracting with OnVUE to deliver the Online Proctored GED exams.
- The cost of the test during the O.P. pilot will mirror current state pricing model.
- **We are not moving away from the traditional in-person test center model.**
Where To Find Educator OP Pilot Resources

- https://ged.com/educators_admins/test_admin/

Student Criteria for Pilot Eligibility

- **Cancelled appointments** (free GED Ready)
- **3 of 4 tests passed** (GED Ready required – 50% promo)
- **GED Ready, Green** (within 60 days of pilot launch)
- **State’s essential cases** (GED Ready required)
Resource – Online Proctored GED Test Pilot Policy Differences Fact Sheet

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<td>Cypher Secure</td>
<td>Yes, GED in Review Testing, Online Unattended (OUE) only.</td>
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<td>English and Spanish</td>
<td>English only, Session and test are administered online only. All valid forms (persistent may be less) must be used for online testing only.</td>
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<td>Students must complete a computer system check to confirm their system is compatible with the OnVUE system before they can take their test.</td>
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<td>The link to the system check can be found in the resources slides.</td>
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Online Proctored Testing Policy Highlights

We believe it to be a very valuable tool during these unprecedented times. – GED Testing Service®

Requires a laptop or computer with a camera/microphone and stable internet connection.

Requires a closed, private/quiet room.

Students may schedule one subject test at a time and test.

Retakes – Student will be notified on GED.com that they qualify for discounted retake and learn how to request a voucher.

During the pilot phase, the Spanish language test version is unavailable.

During the pilot phase, accommodations are unavailable.


Virtual Whiteboard Demo: https://home.pearsonvue.com/onvue/whiteboard
Virtual Calculator Tutorial: https://ged.com/calculator_tutorial
Online Proctored Testing
Policy Highlights

Check-in ID Requirements
➢ Students, when checking in, must provide a picture (captured at the time of check-in), a picture of their photo ID, and pictures of their workspace used for testing:
  ▪ IDs must be government issued, non-expired (currently expired IDs are accepted through May 31)
  ▪ They must include name, DOB, signature and photograph
  ▪ Primary forms of ID accepted include:
    • Passport
    • Driver’s license
    • Learner’s permit
    • National/State/Country identification card

Online Proctored Testing
Policy Highlights

Rescheduling, Cancelling, No-Shows
➢ Candidates may cancel or reschedule, with a full refund of test fees up until 30 minutes before their scheduled testing time.
  • Cancellations can be done via their GED.com account or by calling the Call Center

➢ No-shows. Students who do not start their exam check-in/exam within the 15 minute grace period after their appointment time will be deemed a no-show and will forfeit any exam fees.
How Can You Help?

• Review online proctoring slides – Especially the Resources & Additional Information section
  • Includes links to resources, calculator tutorial, white board images, and system checks

• Part 2 of this webinar series
  • Includes a demonstration/review of the student notification, sign-up, and O.P. experience
  • Key messaging and “asks” to better prepare students for the O.P. pilot


GED Ready Help & Preparing Your Students

• Educators can help ensure students who need O.P. testing be prepared by having a GED Ready “Green”

• Students invited and who do not have a GED Ready “Green” have some additional help:
  • Cancelled appointments (free GED Ready voucher)
  • 3 of 4 tests passed (emailed promo code for 50% discount)
  • GED Ready “Green” (no voucher or discount needed if valid at less than 60 days)
  • State’s essential cases (emailed promo code for 50% discount)

• A GED Ready promo for all students (whether they test CBT or OP)
GED Manager (reminder)

- Each state has different guidelines on who can get access
- Email your State Relationship Manager or request access at operations@GED.com
- Email address needs to be different than the one you may have used to create a GED.com account

- User accounts will be inactivated after 180 days of not logging into GED Manager. If you attempt to log in after this period of time you will be notified that your account is inactive
- Inactive users that still need GED Manager will have to go through a process of being re-approved for access.

GED Manager Reporting

Student Test Activity Report

- This will allow authorized users to run reports over a certain time period.
- All OnVUE activity for eligible students began as of March 1, 2020.
Online Proctored Tests = OnVUE in GED Manager

You can filter by OnVUE to see all the students taking online proctored tests within your program.

(OnVUE Test Site #66745)

Student Test Activity Report

You can easily ...
- Sort by any category
- Print Score Reports
- Export the data into Excel
GED Ready® 50% Off Promotion Extended

- Extended through July 15
- All students are eligible for promotion
- Applied automatically in Shopping Cart

**Additional Resources**
Educator & Administrator COVID-19 Resources Page


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**Educator resources galore!**

**Free Classroom Materials**

We've developed a wealth of free resources to help your students pass the GED® test—whether you are teaching for the first time, reference sheets, scoring tools or videos for use in the classroom, you'll find them here.

**Teaching Resources**

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Resources – Professional Development & Tuesdays for Teachers Recordings

https://ged.com/educators_admins/teaching/professional_development/
Thank you!

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CCR Training Calendar:

https://www.nccommunitycolleges.edu/college-and-career-readiness/ccr-training-calendar-intro-text