Frequently Asked Questions

Where is the Capital District EOC?
The EOC has two convenient locations:

Troy
431 River Street

Albany
30 North Russell Road
Next to Westgate Plaza off Central Avenue

How much does EOC cost to attend?
The EOC is tuition-free to qualified applicants. Eligibility requirements are established by State University of New York University Center for Academic and Workforce Development.

When can I register?

Albany
Every Friday at 8:15 a.m. Plan to stay until noon.

Troy
Every Tuesday at 8:15 a.m. Plan to stay until noon.

Or begin the application online at:
www.hvcc.edu/eoc

High School Equivalency (HSE) Preparation Program

Beginning January 2014, the GED is now known as HSE

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www.hvcc.edu/eoc

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There is a High School Equivalency (HSE) diploma with YOUR name on it!

EOC enrolls students in HSE Preparation classes every week. Students complete the program at their own pace. EOC faculty and staff work with you until you pass the exam.

This flexible, individualized instruction works great for either those who need more time to master subject areas or for those who can breeze through work quickly.

Opening doors with your High School Equivalency diploma

EOC College Connections staff work with you throughout the program and after you earn your HSE to explore the benefits of attending college.

EOC Employment Services staff can assist you with a job search if employment is your goal.

Location:
The EOC’s HSE Preparation program is held at the Troy facility:
145 Congress Street, Troy, NY 12180

To Enroll:
Attend the EOC’s Admissions process at 8:15 a.m. every Tuesday at the Troy facility or every Friday at 8:15 a.m. at the Albany facility. Plan to stay until noon.

Or visit www.hvcc.edu/eoc and click Apply Now to complete an application online.

Program Requirements:
To enter the HSE preparation program, you must receive a 9.0 (561) or higher on the TABE reading scale and a 9.0 (561) or higher on the TABE math scale. The TABE (Test for Adult Basic Education) is administered as part of the EOC’s admissions process.

If you do not achieve these scores on the TABE, EOC offers pre-HSE classes to help you meet these admissions requirements.

Are you ready to take the HSE test?
If you want to get your HSE and are wondering if you are ready to take the test, you can find out now at no cost by attending an info session.

At this one day session you will:
• learn test taking strategies
• take a practice test predictor test to see if you are ready to take the exam
• find test locations and receive info on how to reserve your seat at a testing center.

Call (518) 273-1900 (press #7) to reserve your seat in an upcoming session.