



TAKE CHARGE OF YOUR FUTURE.

Earn Your HiSET High School Equivalency Credential

Why should I take the HiSET Exam? The exam allows you to earn a state-issued, nationally recognized high school equivalency credential (“GED”) which you can use to advance your career, join the military, begin a training program, qualify for financial aid and continue your education.

Who is eligible? You must be a resident of the state of California and be at least 18 years old. Students may take the exam within 60 days of turning 18, but will not receive results until their birthdate. You are also eligible if you are 17 and within 60 days of when you would have graduated from high school had you remained in school (*and are not currently enrolled in high school.*)

What is covered in the exam? This paper-based test includes five subjects: Math, Writing/Language Arts, Science, Social Studies and Reading. You must have a minimum score on each subject as well as an overall minimum exam score to pass.

How much does the HiSET exam cost? The total cost for the full test is \$125.00, unless using a voucher. You are entitled to 2 free retests for any sections/sub-tests you do not pass (you do not need to re-take subjects that you have passed). Re-takes are valid only up to 12 months after your first exam date. (Single sub-tests are \$60, \$20 for each additional test)

How do I prepare? Free test vouchers are available for students who prep with us and meet our testing criteria. We provide practice tests and individualized appointment-based tutoring leading up to the exam. If you wish to prep on your own, the HiSET website also offers practice tests online that you can download.

When/where is the exam? Shasta Adult School offers the exam at 590 Mary St, Bldg. 70, Redding – register early for best availability – first come, first served. TESTING CHECK-IN FOR ALL STUDENTS BEGINS AT 8:15AM

Get ahead in your career

57%
of HiSET exam passers attributed getting a job or promotion to earning their HSE credential

Exam Dates Fall 2023

Registration Deadline (*last day to cancel/reschedule**)

Wednesday, August 23	Monday, August 21
Wednesday, September 20	Monday, September 18
Wednesday, October 18	Monday, October 16
Wednesday, November 15	Monday, November 13
Wednesday, December 13	Monday, December 11

**If you are a no show or do not cancel or re-schedule by the deadline, it will cost you one of your free retakes*

How do I register? Log on to www.HiSET.org. Follow the prompts to create an account ID. After you create an account, please bring the registration account ID (*8 digit letter/number combo listed in profile*) along with \$125.00 by the deadline to our office. Exact cash, checks or money orders payable to SUHSD are accepted for payment unless using a voucher. You may register & pay at our office, Monday-Thursday, between the hours of 9:30 am - 2:00pm. We do not accept credit or debit cards.

Earn more

The average hourly income for HiSET exam passers increased

12%

over previous earnings in just one year after passing

What happens on test day? Please at 8:15am for check-in. The test process will begin at 8:30 am. **Late arrivals will not be admitted.** The full five-subject test will last until 4-5pm. No hats or headgear. No phones or electronic devices are allowed to be used during the test hours. Calculators are provided. Please bring snacks and water and a **valid ID**. We typically take 5-10 minute breaks between tests and one ~20 minute break mid-day.

How do I get my results? Test results are available within approximately 2 weeks of completing the test.

It's never too late and you're never too old. Call (530) 245-2626 to get started today.