**NEW GED CANDIDATES**

2014 brought a new computer-based GED® and your new GED® experience begins with MyGED™. To get ready for the computer-based GED test, register with GED Testing Service® by creating an online account at www.ged.com, your start-to-finish tool for the GED® program. Once you have created your online account, you will get to a new portal called MyGED™. There you can find information about the new test, connect to study resources, tutorials and testing tips, pre-tests and college and career information. You will also schedule testing appointments and pay for your tests on your MyGED™ page. Then come to the testing center for appointments, pass the four tests and earn your credential!

**** Covid-19 Updates: We are open for testing! A few things you need to know:

- you must wear a mask
- enter Building E through the north ramp entrance and follow the red arrows to the testing center
- maintain social distance (6 ft.) throughout the building
- temperature and symptoms check at the testing center door
- bring a water bottle as there is no access to water fountains or fill stations on campus
- after testing, you will exit through the east door

Content
The GED computer-based test has four subjects:

- Science (90 minutes)
- Mathematics (120 minutes)
- Social Studies (75 minutes)
- Reasoning through Language Arts (155 minutes)

(Cost: $37.50 per subject)

Requirements

- Candidates must be at least 17 years of age (16 year-olds apply for an age waiver through GED Testing Service)
- You must have a valid, government-issued picture ID with date of birth and signature. When you register with GED Testing Service®, enter your name exactly as it appears on your ID.

Please note: You are **required** to bring your ID to each testing appointment. If you do not have your ID, you will **not** be allowed to test and forfeit your original payment. You will have to re-schedule your testing appointment on MyGED™.

Other information

- We suggest you start with the free practice tests available on MyGED™ at the bottom of the Study tab.
- We **highly recommend** that you take GED Ready™: the Official Practice Test also on the MyGED™ Study tab. In addition to familiarizing yourself with the format, content and computer skills needed for the GED test, GED Ready™ gives you diagnostic information to help improve your scores. GED Ready™ is $6 per subject.
- GED Testing Service® has implemented a discounted re-test program for the computer-based GED. Every student is eligible for two discounted retakes for each GED® subject taken. The discounted retakes ($17.50) are valid for twelve months after initial test attempt. Students can test three times on the same subject with no wait time between appointments. After the third attempt, there is a 60-day wait period before another re-test in that subject.
- All tests are available in English and Spanish.
- We recommend you take just one or two tests per day to perform as well as possible.
- No computer? No credit or debit card? Other questions? No problem! Contact us and we will be happy to help!

Call 303.326.2112 or email us at apsged@aurorak12.org

APS Testing Center is located at:

Pickens Technical College, 500 Airport Boulevard, Bldg E, Aurora, CO 80011

To find us: Turn into the main Pickens driveway. At the stop sign, turn left and proceed around the side of Pickens main buildings to next stop sign. Our mobile is straight ahead. **Park on the north side of mobile and enter through the ramp door.** Follow the red arrows down the hallway to the testing center.