GENERAL EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (GED) EXAMINATION

I. The Board of School Trustees of a school district may, upon request and for good cause shown, grant permission to take the tests of general educational development (GED) to a person who:

A. Resides in the school district;
B. Is at least 16 years of age, but less than 17 years of age;
C. Submits to the Board of School Trustees written permission signed by a parent or legal guardian;
D. Has not graduated from a high school;
E. Is not currently enrolled in a high school; and
F. Satisfies any other requirements prescribed by the Board of School Trustees.

II. The Superintendent, or his designee, is authorized to receive written requests with parental permission for 16 year-olds to take the GED. Requests shall be made through the adult education office.

III. In addition to items A-E above, all students will be required to complete a mandatory counseling session with an adult education counselor to discuss the consequences of taking the GED test.

IV. Permission to take the GED shall be granted by the Superintendent or his designee, to individuals who meet the requirements enumerated above.

V. Persons who are 17 years of age or older do not require permission to take the GED test. They may contact the adult education office.

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