

Improve your reading, language, and math skills, and prepare for the G E D<sup>®</sup> test. A **valid, current government-issued picture ID** for proof of age and identity is required. **Open to adults age 18 and older who are not enrolled in private or public high school.**

## 2021–2022 G E D<sup>®</sup> / A B E PROGRAM

The GED/ABE program offers day and evening classes at the following times: 8:30-11:00 a.m. (Monday to Thursday), 12:15-2:45 p.m. (Monday to Thursday) and 6:30-9:00 p.m. (Monday and Wednesday). All students (new and returning) who are interested in enrolling in GED/ABE day or evening classes are required to attend a placement evaluation. Students who are eligible for GED classes based on their placement test scores will need to attend an orientation session to complete the registration process.

**At placement testing**, students will take the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE). TABE scores are used to determine the levels of math and reading classes in which students are placed to help them prepare to take the G E D<sup>®</sup> exam. There is a \$5.00 fee for the placement evaluation, and the TABE test takes approximately four (4) hours. Students will receive a copy of their TABE scores when scores are available. Students will be contacted by ALC staff following placement testing regarding their eligibility to take classes.

Orientation sessions, testing, and classes are held at the Adult Learning Center located at 5100 Cleveland Street in Virginia Beach, 23462.

**Call 757-648-6050 for more G E D<sup>®</sup>/A B E information.**

### CLASS SCHEDULES & COSTS

Fees are not refundable.

<b>Day Classes</b>	September 13 to May 19 Monday through Thursday	<b>Virginia Beach Residents</b> \$30 registration fee	<b>Non-Residents</b> (living in other cities) \$40 per month
<b>Evening Classes</b>	September 20 to May 18 Monday & Wednesday	<b>Virginia Beach Residents</b> \$30 registration fee	<b>Non-Residents</b> (living in other cities) \$30 per month

**Please note:** Individuals do not need to be enrolled in G E D<sup>®</sup>/A B E classes to take the GED<sup>®</sup> test. Anyone interested in taking the GED<sup>®</sup> test can create a free account at [www.GED.com](http://www.GED.com). The website provides free resources and information about how to schedule a GED test that can be taken online or in person. The GED<sup>®</sup> test is offered in both English and Spanish. A valid, current, government-issued picture ID is required for GED<sup>®</sup> testing.



### Taking the G E D<sup>®</sup> Test:

1. Create an account.
2. Register online at [www.GED.com](http://www.GED.com)

### Questions about the G E D<sup>®</sup> Test?

Call 1-877-392-6433 or email [help@ged.com](mailto:help@ged.com)



**PLEASE NOTE:** The ALC is participating in the Virginia Beach City Public Schools coronavirus plan. Schedules may change due to social distancing. Please refer to the ALC website ([alc.vbschools.com](http://alc.vbschools.com)) for the latest directions and schedules. Face coverings may be required to enter the building and may be required to wear your face covering while in the building.