

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
GED Testing Program
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Underage Permission/Hardship Form

Date: _____

Mrs.

Ms.

Mr. _____ has applied for permission to take the **GED Battery**

at the _____ Official GED Testing Center.

All students under the age of 18 choosing to take the GED Battery, must obtain parental/guardian consent and special school withdrawal permission from the district superintendent or designee (where student last attended); in addition to demonstrating a case of hardship.

Please complete this form in its entirety. Upon completion, make two (2) copies; the original form must be submitted to the GED Examiner, one copy is to remain with the school district the student is withdrawing from, and the third copy is to be submitted to the New Mexico State GED Testing Office. In the event the student does not have a state student ID number, s/he may be tested, and the form is then to be submitted directly to the NM GED Testing Office; a state student ID number will then be assigned to the student. In the event the student is home schooled, a New Mexico State student ID number is required, and therefore must be obtained. The home school operator is responsible for signing the form, which is to include his/her home school confirmation number. The NEW MEXICO HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA will be issued upon verification of successful completion of the GED Battery.

Date Of Birth (from school records): _____

Date Of Withdrawal From School: _____

Highest Grade Completed: _____

NM Student ID number: _____

_____ NM Student ID number not yet assigned, send to the State GED Office for assignment

_____ Home Schooled Student

Because of the above stated circumstances /or needs, we recommend that the applicant be permitted to take the GED Battery.

Parent/Guardian's Signature

District Superintendent (Authorized Representative) or Home School Operator Signature

GED Testing Center Chief Examiner

Public School District/ or Home School Operator Confirmation Number
Copy – NM GED Office; Original Copy – GED Chief Examiner; Copy – School District

Detach and give to the Superintendent or Designee

Parent/Guardian must provide a description of hardship explaining why the student cannot remain in high school and is choosing to obtain the GED: _____

Because of the above stated hardship, I/we recommend that the applicant be permitted to take the **GED Battery**.

Parent/Guardian's Signature

District Superintendent (Authorized Representative) Signature

GED Testing Center Chief Examiner

Copy – NM GED Office; Original Copy – GED Chief Examiner; Copy/Hardship Form – School District

Public School District

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