HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION PROGRAM
VAN G. MILLER ADULT LEARNING CENTER
120 Jefferson Street, Waterloo, IA 50701 // 319-296-4278

EARN YOUR HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY DIPLOMA
Free classes designed to equip you with college and workplace skills while you earn your High School Equivalency Diploma!

FALL AND SPRING CLASSES 2020
Start Dates: January 21 and March 23, 2020
August 24 and October 19, 2020

Day Classes: Monday–Thursday from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Night Classes: Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

SIGN UP FOR FALL CLASSES:
1. Register at the Van G. Miller Adult Learning Center:
   February 11 – June 11, 2020
   July 7 – August 6, 2020
   Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
   Wednesdays, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

2. Assessment: Complete reading and math tests.

3. Orientation: Learn about Hawkeye’s High School Completion program.

Hawkeye Community College does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, color, creed, national origin, religion, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, genetic information, political affiliation, or actual or potential parental, family, or marital status in its programs, activities, or employment practices. Veteran status is also included to the extent covered by law. Any person alleging a violation of equity regulations shall have the right to file a formal complaint. Inquiries concerning application of this statement should be addressed to: Equity Coordinator and Title IX Coordinator for employees, 319-296-4405; or Title IX Coordinator for students, 319-296-4448; Hawkeye Community College, 1501 East Orange Road, P.O. Box 8015, Waterloo, Iowa 50704-8015; or email equity-titleIX@hawkeye.edu.
The High School Completion Program at Hawkeye offers free courses designed to help you earn a high school equivalency diploma and prepare for college and the workplace. Whether you've recently left school or you've been out of class for years, this program works with students of all levels and ages to advance your education and accomplish your academic and professional goals.

HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION
The High School Completion Program is designed to help students earn a high school equivalency diploma. Classes focus on building skills necessary for academic success. Subjects tested on the equivalency exam are reading, writing, mathematics, social studies, and science. Each subtest is $10.75.

HiSET EXAM
In 2014, the State of Iowa adopted the High School Equivalency Test (HiSET) as the exam students take to earn an equivalency diploma.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q. How long will it take me to finish the program and earn my diploma?
A. Each student is different. Some students earn their equivalency in a few months, while others take a few years to finish. Two factors will determine your progress. First is your academic level when you begin the program. The second is the amount of time and effort you put into your classes, studying, and homework.

Q. What will my classes be like?
A. After you complete placement testing, you'll receive help building a class schedule designed around your academic level. You'll take occasional assessments to measure your progress and enroll in new courses.

Q. I'm not 19 years old yet. Can I register for the High School Completion Program?
A. If you are age 16, 17, or 18, you will need to submit additional paperwork to register. For ages 16 and 17, a legal guardian should contact our office at 319-296-4278 prior to registration to finalize the additional requirements and officially enroll in the program.

Q. How can this program help me after I earn a diploma?
A. Imagine enrolling at Hawkeye Community College and earning a college certificate or degree. A Transition Specialist can help you develop educational and professional goals, then guide your transition into college and career opportunities.
ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNING (ELL) CLASSES

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Achieve competence in the English language with ELL classes. Register in person, take your tests, and attend the first week of class to enroll. Classes are available in eight levels and your test results determine the best class for you.

Classes are free! Materials cost $30.

FALL SEMESTER 2020 CLASSES
August 24 – December 10, 2020
Day Classes: Monday – Thursday from 9:30 – 11:00 a.m. or 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Night Classes: Tuesday and Thursday from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

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2. Assessment:
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