

New Mexico Higher Education Department
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HSE TEST VOUCHER APPLICATION

First Name: _____ MI: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Alternate Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Information above MUST be correct to receive the voucher. Voucher information will be sent to the email address listed.

Which test are you requesting a free testing voucher for? CHOOSE ONE:

Educational Testing Service (HiSET®) or Pearson Vue (GED®) For more information about both tests [click here](#).

If you are age 16-18: You can test remotely; however, you need to send the Underage Permission Form along with the voucher to the New Mexico Higher Education Department. English and Spanish versions of the Underage Permission Form can be found here: [English Version](#) [Spanish Version](#)

For a complete list of Test Center locations and contact information [click here](#)

Do you want a voucher to take the HSE test in person at an approved testing center, or remotely (i.e. on your own computer at home)? **If remotely, you are responsible for remote proctoring fees. (The fee is \$16.00 per module for GED and \$17.00 per module for HiSET)**

CHECK ONE: Remote Proctoring* or Approved Testing Center

*If you choose the Remote Proctoring option, you must attach a copy of your VALID STATE ID to receive a voucher.

Regardless of age: To be eligible to receive a voucher, you will need to take an Official Practice Test for the HiSET® or GED®. Scores must demonstrate test readiness according to test publisher guidelines.

Sign and submit this form with all necessary documentation to: Katya.Backhaus@state.nm.us. If you have questions, you can call Katya Backhaus directly at 505-660-8824.

I verify that all information above is correct: _____

Student Signature & Date

APPLICANT: PLEASE FILL IN OFFICIAL PRACTICE TEST SCORES BELOW & ATTACH COPY OF SCORE REPORT TO VERIFY

Which Official Practice Test did you take? GED® or HiSET® Official Practice Test Scores:

Writing Score
(HiSET® only)

Language Arts
Score

Math
Score

Social Studies
Score

Science
Score

I approve the student listed above to receive a voucher to take the HSE exam:

HSE State Administrator Signature

Date