



National External Diploma Program



Looking for a different way to earn your high school diploma?
The National External Diploma Program® (NEDP) could be right for you!

Have you ever:

- Opened a bank account?
- Interviewed for a job?
- Compared two different products?
- Owned or rented a home?
- Looked for information online?

Consider NEDP's innovative approach.

Use the skills you've gained from life and work experience to demonstrate your reading, writing and math high school level skills.

Earn a high school diploma



Complete program in 6 to 12 months



This web-based program for adults and out-of-school youth offers flexibility to earn your diploma even if you are employed full time, enrolled in job training, or have other commitments.

Flexible and confidential





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Work at home, the library, or wherever you have a computer

You will work through online activities and with an assessor to complete your program. You have multiple opportunities to demonstrate your mastery of academic skills in core subject areas.

Aligned with the college and career readiness standards



“I learned how to use an online program on the computer which I had never done before. Thanks to this program my confidence has increased, which in the future will help me with my college courses.” – NEDP client

The web-based system contains rigorous performance tasks:

Foundation Skills and Core Subjects	21 st Century Themes in Context Areas	Self-Efficacy Skills
Reading	21 st Century Workplace	Self-Assessment
Writing	Cultural Literacy	Learning to Learn
Mathematics	Civic Literacy and Community Participation	Critical Thinking and Problem Solving
Information and Communication Technology	Health Literacy	Goal-Setting and Time Management
Listening / Speaking	Financial Literacy and Consumer Awareness	Self-Direction
Media Literacy		Working Independently
Geography and History		
Science		

If you are interested in finding out if the NEDP is right for you, visit www.casas.org/nedp/learners or contact an NEDP site near you. A list of locations is posted at www.nedp.org/locations

If you are an adult education provider or stakeholder interested in the NEDP, contact the NEDP office.