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If you need to earn a High School Equivalency ...

Get ready for the GED® or HiSet® tests.

If you need to learn English (ESL) ...

Enroll in our ESL program for career and college.

If you already have a diploma or GED® or HiSet®...

Get ready for college, start college at CCD, learn about employment options.

If you're a parent at CCD in a supported certificate* ...

Meet requirements to get extra support with college and employment.

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* See FSI Accelerated supported certificates and degrees at CCD.edu/accelerated



ABOUT OUR CLASSES

HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY TEST PREP

Reading & Writing, Social Studies, Science, and Math
6 Hours/Week

GED® and HiSet® test prep classes are offered in three levels at CCD and at community partner locations. Class availability and location options depend on your placement test scores.

TAKE THE EQUIVALENCY TEST AFTER YOU COMPLETE TEST PREP

Official tests are not administered by Foundational Skills Institute. To take the GED® and HiSet® tests, make an appointment at the CCD Testing Center (Confluence Building, Room 216). You must obtain a passing score in reading, writing, social studies, science, and math to receive the State of Colorado High School Equivalency Diploma. Practice tests are available in your CCD Foundational Skills classes and online. Financial assistance with testing costs may be available for qualifying FSI students.

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL)

6 Hours/Week

Class availability is subject to change. Homework is assigned and regular attendance is required.

COSTS

An initial fee of \$75 is required at assessment to cover the cost of classes and books until you are ready to take the official tests. You must show progress and attend classes consistently. If you are absent for three months or more, you must pay an additional \$75 to re-enter the program.

TO APPLY FOR GED® OR HISET® TEST PREP & ESL CLASSES

Visit CCD.edu/FSI to sign up for intake/orientation. Take the placement tests and pay the class fee. Classes run year round. Morning and evening classes are offered each term.

Contact us at: **303.352.6805** | fdtskills@ccd.edu

NEXT STEPS

Completing our test prep courses opens doors for you to advance your educational goals. Those students who excel in our classes with strong attendance and persistence may be invited to join the Accelerated program.

ABOUT OUR ACCELERATED COLLEGE & CAREER PROGRAMS

Our FSI Accelerated program assists those individuals considering a new career, updating skills or planning to complete a certificate in a high-demand field. Our team will help you meet the challenges of balancing personal or family needs like childcare and your job—along with other responsibilities—so you can fit education or specialized training into your life. Our dedicated navigators will help you plan each step. Our program works with CCD to support and encourage you as you complete your education and find employment that offers you and your family a sustainable path for the future.

SUPPORTED PROGRAMS

This accelerated program supports high-demand certificates and certifications that prepare you for employment in your chosen career. Program options include stackable CCD certificates in **healthcare, business technology, information technology, health and wellness, welding, machining, computer aided drafting, criminal justice, architecture, and graphic design**. Short-term certifications can help you get started and build your resume while you continue your studies. Course credits can often be applied toward a CCD associate degree in the same or a related program.

COST

FSI Accelerated services are provided at no cost for qualified students.

APPLY

Contact us today!

A limited number of scholarships may be available for CCD classes.

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