

Did you know?

- More than **860,000** adults worldwide take the GED Tests each year
- Those who earn a GED **outperform** at least **40%** of today's high school seniors
- **Famous** GED Graduates:
 - Bill Cosby
 - Christian Slater
(Famous Actor)
 - Ruth Ann Minner
(Delaware Governor)
 - Ben Nighthorse Campbell
(US Senator)
- More than **95%** of US employers consider GED graduates the **same** as high school graduates in regard to hiring, salary & opportunity



*Building Educational Foundations
for Lifelong Success!*

Adult Education & Family Literacy Center

Prepare for a better FUTURE!

Earn a GED or high school diploma

Learn & Improve:

- English as a 2nd Language
- Reading
- Writing
- Math
- Social Studies/Government
- Science
- Computer Skills
 - Microsoft Office
 - Keyboarding
 - Internet
- Accounting

History

Peoria Adult Education began April 25, 1966. Adult Education is provided by Peoria Public Schools under the governance of the Illinois Community College Board (ICCB).

Adult Basic Education (ABE), General Education Development (GED), English as a 2nd Language (ESL) and vocational education classes are offered.

We are one of two adult education programs serving Central Illinois. Thousands of GED graduates have been served here.

Our program follows Peoria Public School District 150's calendar with daily classes from 8:50 am – 2:45 pm.

Funding

Peoria Adult Education & Family Literacy Center and Even Start are funded annually by state and federal monies.

Locations

Peoria Adult Education and Family Literacy Center

839 West Moss Avenue
(309) 672-6702

Additional GED Sites

Tri-County Urban League
317 South MacArthur Highway
(309) 673-7474

Harrison Primary School
2702 West Krause Avenue
(309) 672-6522

Valeska Hinton Early Childhood Education Center
800 West RB Garrett Avenue
(309) 672-6810

Additional English as a 2nd Language Sites

Lincoln Middle School
700 Mary Street

GED Accommodations

Accommodations in testing are available for adults with documented physical disabilities as well as learning disabilities, attention-deficit or hyperactivity disorder, and emotional or psychological disabilities. **Each request is considered on an individual basis.**

S.T.A.R. Program

Three to five year old children, with their parents and teachers, interact in a child-oriented setting that promotes active learning, caring and development of the child. They meet 4 days a week, Monday through Thursday 8:55 to 2:30 or 8:55 to 12:30.

Even Start Program

Even Start program is a comprehensive program for educationally disadvantaged parents to become more involved in and supportive of their children's learning by providing childhood education, 0-8 years old, parent education, parent-child together activities, and adult education.