





Which Program Is Best For Me? Adult High School (AHS) or High School Equivalency (GED)

ADULT HIGH SCHOOL (AHS)	HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY (GED)
Age to enroll: 16 or older	Age to enroll: 16 or older
Length of Program: Varies depending on number of credits transferred from previous high school attended	Length of Program: Varies depending on entry level placement test scores
100% online	Seated and Online classes available
Adult High School (AHS) diploma is earned by completing all required NC high school credits and is issued by Gaston College through an agreement with the NC Department of Public Instruction and the Local County School System	High School Equivalency (HSE) Diploma is earned upon satisfactory completion of GED tests in the subjects of Math, Language Arts, Science and Social Studies and is issued by the NC Community College System
Accepted by: Community Colleges, State and Private Colleges and Universities Employers US Military (Tier 1)	Accepted by: Community Colleges Employers
To apply go to gaston.edu/ahs and complete the Contact Form 	To apply go to gaston.edu/hse and complete the HSE Interest Form: 
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