



Earning a Diploma after GED completion

Question:

Does a student who lives in the district, and has earned a GED, have the right to enroll in high school to earn a regular diploma?

Answer:

There is nothing in the Idaho Code nor the Idaho Administrative Procedures Act that prevents a student who lives in the District and has earned a GED from enrolling in the high school to earn their diploma. For some reason, this is an occurrence that is becoming more common and we are receiving this very same question from many districts multiple times each year. Due to that fact, we have also confirmed this with the State Department of Education. The only reasons that such a student could be prohibited from enrolling to earn their diploma would be if the student was at the 21 age limitation or if there were other grounds to deny enrollment pursuant to Section 33-205, Idaho Code. If the denial of enrollment is going to be based on Section 33-205, Idaho Code, such reason needs to be the same considerations as would be given to a student without a GED and the same process before the Board must be conducted.

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