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<p>At Home / Independent</p> <p>You can choose to study for the GED on your own. One method is to follow a GED preparation book, which typically includes several practice tests, and is divided into the different test categories.</p> <p>Additional tips, including hints and test-taking strategies, are listed online at the Independent Learning Centre's website: http://www.ilc.org/ged/prep_main.php</p>	<p>There are currently two books recommended by the ILC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete Canadian GED Preparation Handbook • Barron's GED Canada <p>Either book can be purchased new for under \$20. (Be sure to get a Canadian version, as the American version could be quite different.)</p>	<p>Completely self-directed.</p> <p>This option is best for people who can continue to motivate themselves without the structure of a class, and find the book easy to follow without the help of a teacher.</p>
<p>Conestoga College www.conestogac.on.ca</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Waterloo Campus (free)</i> 108 University Avenue East Waterloo, Ontario N2J 2W2 Tel: 519-885-0300 ext. 5353 (Margaret) • <i>Doon Campus (evenings)</i> 299 Doon Valley Drive Kitchener, Ontario N2G 4M4 Tel: 519-748-5220 ext. 3681 (Niki Lang) 	<p>Day-time preparation classes at Waterloo Campus are FREE with \$30 GED pre-test</p> <p>Continuing Education (evening) classes at Doon Campus are \$223.28 per 12-week block, plus \$30 GED pre-test</p> <p>Note: A fully-refundable deposit is required while using course materials (i.e. \$10 for Math supplies)</p> <p>To register, apply on-line or in-person for GED pre-test. Once you have the receipt of payment, contact the Preparatory Program office and they will book a specific time for you to take the pre-test. The same week you take the test, they will book an appointment to go over the results</p>	<p>Self-directed booklets with teacher available for questions</p> <p>Day-time classes are approximately 3 – 4 months, dependent on individual progress</p> <p>Evenings are 1 night per week, Monday - Thursday (flexible), at 6-9pm. It can be expected to take about 18-24 weeks, but is dependent on individual progress</p> <p>Online course is also available after taking a 20-hour "Learn to Learn" distance learning class at www.acedistancedelivery.ca. Once complete, can sign up for "OLRN 1405" course on Conestoga's Student Portal.</p>

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<p>Legacy 5 Consultants Inc. www.legacy5.ca</p> <p>Tel: 519-570-4904</p> <p>E-mail them from their website at http://www.legacy5.ca/contact.php</p> <p>In-person locations include: Kitchener Kuntz Training Centre 851 Wilson Avenue, Kitchener, ON N2C 1J1</p> <p>Waterloo Alternative Programs and Continuing Education - Waterloo Region District School Board 151 Weber Street South, Waterloo, ON N2J 2A9</p> <p>Cambridge 1575 Bishop Street North, Suite 100 (Upstairs), Cambridge, ON N1R 7J4</p>	<p>\$225.00 for the 5-night course</p> <p>Register by E-mail – Download the registration form from http://www.legacy5.ca/ged.php, open the file in MS Word, fill in the various form fields, save it, and then e-mail it as an attachment to legacy5@golden.net.</p> <p>Register by Telephone – Call 519-570-4904 for assistance with registration and payment.</p> <p>Register By Fax – Download the registration form at http://www.legacy5.ca/ged.php fill in the various form fields, save it, print a clear copy of the completed file and then Fax a copy to 519-570-3730.</p> <p>Register in Person – at the locations listed on their website at http://www.legacy5.ca/ged.php</p> <p>Can also register in person on the night of the first class, at least one half hour before that class begins. Recommended that you phone ahead to ensure there is space.</p>	<p>5 Night, 16 hour course.</p> <p>Adults receive feedback with each test written. The course is taught in an open and inviting manner to encourage discussion and academic success. The course is generally offered in small class settings in adult centres or on company premises so that classes can be offered in an environment familiar to the adults, thereby alleviating the stress some GED candidates encounter when returning to school.</p>
<p>Laurel College www.laurelcollege.ca</p> <p>145 Union Street East Waterloo, ON N2J 1C4 Tel: 519-725-0597 Fax: 519-725-1659</p>	<p>Weekly Instructional Fees based on \$25/hour +HST (includes textbooks and supplies)</p> <p>Academic Assessment – no fee</p> <p>Contact Erin Brinn erin.brinn@laurelcollege.ca</p>	<p>Integrates independent study with instructed lessons</p> <p>Option to Attend 3-hour, 4-hour, 5-hour or 6- hour daily classes Offers flexible graduated schedule for work- adjustment</p>

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<p>Grade Expectations Learning Centres</p> <p>Website: http://gradelearning.ca/specialized-training/academic-services/ged-preparation/</p> <p>1360 Weber Street East, Kitchener, ON N2A 1C4 Tel: 519-745-8798 or Toll Free: 1-800-208-3826 Fax: 519-745-2720 E-mail: kitchener@gradelearning.ca</p>	<p>\$300.00 plus HST (pre-test is \$50 and is deducted from the \$300 cost). Approx. \$25 for the book. Willing to offer a group rate if there is a group that is interested from TWC.</p> <p>Can Register by calling Dana Currie, Centre Education Director at 519-745-8798. Dana likes to meet with people first and possibly do a pre-test to assess one's needs.</p>	<p>There is no specified length. It is an individualized timeline, based on assessment results and current level of academic functioning. The program takes about 20 hours in total time.</p> <p>If they do not pass the pre-test, there may need to be some pre-teaching. Rates are typically \$50/hour for this. This is not mandatory though and participants may elect to simply purchase the Canadian GED book and bring themselves up to speed.</p> <p>Small class sizes. Typically 4-5 people maximum. There is a lot of self-directed work so participants should be very motivated. Instructors use practice tests throughout the course to assess progress and ease any test anxiety.</p>