

Alabama Homeschool Graduation Requirements

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Legal routes	A church school home program, a private school home program, or a state-certified private tutor
Legal basis	Alabama Code Title 16, Chapter 28; the church and private school definitions include home programs
State notification	One enrollment form to the local superintendent, countersigned by the church school; not annual
Required subjects	None for church school students; the private tutor route must teach the public school branches
Testing / evaluation	None. No state testing, portfolio, or minimum days for church school families
Graduation requirements	None. The church school, meaning the family running the home program, decides when it is complete
Who issues the diploma	The church school, in its own name, signed by the parent as the program's administrator
College admissions	Code 16-1-11.4 bars public colleges from discriminating against nonpublic school graduates
Compulsory attendance ages	6 to 17, but church school attendance satisfies the law only to the student's 16th birthday

Full guide with statute citations and sources: <https://hsdiplomas.com/resources/state-graduation-requirements/alabama>

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