

Georgia Homeschool Graduation Requirements

At a glance · facts last reviewed August 28, 2026

State notification	Declaration of intent to the Georgia Department of Education within 30 days, then by September 1 yearly
Legal basis	Home study program under O.C.G.A. 20-2-690(c); the teaching parent needs a high school diploma
Required subjects	Reading, language arts, mathematics, social studies, and science
Instructional time	180 days of at least four and one half hours each, per 12 month period the family designates
Testing / evaluation	Nationally standardized test at least every three years from the end of third grade; scores stay home
Recordkeeping	Annual written progress report for each subject, kept at least three years, submitted to no one
Graduation requirements	None. The parent administering the program decides when the student has graduated
Who issues the diploma	The parent, in the name of the family's home study program; the state issues none
College admissions	University System of Georgia admits home study graduates on the parent transcript, diploma, and scores

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

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