Iowa Senate File 369

Civics Assessment for Grades 9-12

Iowa Senate File 369 requires students in grades 9-12 to pass a **civics assessment** as a condition of graduation.

The assessment is provided by the Iowa Department of Education and is based on questions from the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) civics test.

To help students prepare, we encourage them to review the **digital study guide** before taking the assessment.

What to Know:

- Students must earn a score of **60% or higher** to pass.
- The assessment is **not timed.**
- Students may retake the assessment **as many times as needed** to earn a passing score.
- Testing opportunities will be available throughout **grades 9-12.**

For questions about testing schedules or graduation requirements, please contact your school counselor or building administrator.

Additional Resources

Additional information about the assessment and testing process can be found below.

Frequently Asked Questions

Iowa Civics Test Study Guide

Iowa Civics Test Questions

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