












**FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
DOE INFORMATION DATA BASE REQUIREMENTS  
VOLUME I: AUTOMATED STUDENT INFORMATION SYSTEM  
AUTOMATED STUDENT DATA ELEMENTS**

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Element Name: Diploma Type (Continued)

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Standard diploma awarded to students who have satisfied the graduation test requirement through an alternate assessment, successfully completed the minimum number of academic credits as identified in Section 1003.43, F.S. and successfully completed any other requirements prescribed by the state or the local school board.

Standard Diploma using the GED Exit Option Model:

Standard diploma awarded to students who have passed the GED Tests and the Graduation Test. These Standard diplomas are to be recorded as W10 for high school students.

**Differentiated Diploma:**

Diploma awarded in lieu of the standard diploma to those students exceeding the prescribed minimums. Differentiated diplomas are to be recorded as **standard diplomas (W06)**.

**Special Diploma:**

Diploma awarded to students who have been properly identified as educable mentally handicapped, trainable mentally handicapped, hearing impaired, specific learning disabled, emotionally handicapped, physically impaired, or language impaired.

Effective with the 1994-95 school year, school boards may award Special Diplomas based on two (2) options.

- a) Option one shall include procedures for determining and certifying mastery of student performance standards for exceptional students as prescribed in Rule 6A-1.0996(3)-(10), FAC.
- b) Option two shall include procedures for determining and certifying mastery of demonstrated employment and community competencies in accordance with Rule 6A-1.0996(12), FAC.

**State of Florida Diploma (GED):**

Diploma awarded to students based on the student's satisfactory completion of the General Education Development Test.

- a) Diploma (WGD) awarded to high school students who participated in the GED Exit Option Model, successfully completed the GED, but did not pass the Graduation Test.
- b) Diplomas awarded to adult students should be recorded as W45.

NOTE: This information can be derived from the attendance system.