Information for Colleges and Employers

Students who are home-educated do not receive diplomas from the State Board of Education in Ohio. Recent changes in Ohio law allow home-educated students who complete their high school curriculum to receive diplomas from their parents or guardians. The parent-issued diploma recognizes completion of a student's secondary education in accordance with home education laws and regulations. In Ohio, this diploma serves as proof that the home-educated student completed his or her high school education. Please see section <u>3313.6110</u> of the Ohio Revised Code for additional details.

The Ohio Department of Education and Workforce does not have access to data regarding the graduation status or graduation credentials of home-educated students who receive parent-issued diplomas. If you have questions regarding the graduation status or graduation credentials of an individual student, please contact the local public school district within which the student resided.

