



Ability to Benefit (ATB) Form

Student's Name: _____ UH ID/ SSN / UH Username: _____

To be eligible for financial assistance, students must have a high school diploma, GED certificate, pass an U.S. Department of Education approved test (e.g. COMPASS test), have completed home schooling that state law treats as a home or private school or satisfactorily completed six credit hours that are applicable toward your degree or certificate (effective 8/14/2008). **Please complete the following and return this form to our office.**

A. Graduation from high school, completion of GED, or completion of home schooling. Check one box only:

- I received a high school Diploma/GED Certificate from _____ in _____
(Name of school/institution) (Month/year)
- If the above school is outside of the U.S. please complete the following:
Name of country: _____
Did you attend college in that country? (Circle) Yes / No
What is the name of the college? _____
How many years did you complete? _____
- I self-certify that I completed secondary school through home schooling as defined by state law from _____.
(Name of state) Additional documents may be requested.
- I have not received my high school Diploma, GED Certificate, or completed home schooling. **If you checked this box, go to section B.**

B. Satisfactory completion of six (6) credit hours that is applicable toward your degree or certificate.

- I self-certify that I have satisfactorily completed at least six (6) credits hours that are applicable toward my degree or certificate. If this includes transfer credits that have not yet been evaluated you must submit official academic transcripts and request a Transcript Evaluation to the Kekaulike Information and Service Center (KISC) `Ilima 102.
- I have not received my high school Diploma, GED Certificate, completed home schooling or completed 6 credit hours. **If you checked this box, go to section C.**

C. COMPASS Testing:

If you did not receive a high school diploma, GED certificate complete home schooling or at least six credits toward your degree/certificate, you must pass the COMPASS or the COMPASS/ESL* (placement) test and achieve a minimum score on each section of the test to be eligible for financial aid. Once you have completed the test, see the attendant on duty for your results (passing scores must be above the following): COMPASS: Reading: 62, Writing: 32, and Pre-Algebra: 25; COMPASS/ESL*: Reading: 70, Grammar/Usage: 64, and Listening: 70). Submit this form and your results to the Kekaulike Information and Service Center (KISC). * approved only for certain students whose native language is not English and who are not fluent in English

- I have completed the COMPASS or COMPASS/ESL test (please attach passing scores)

Complete and sign this form and return it to the Kekaulike Information and Service Center (KISC) at the address listed below.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Office Use Only:	
Foreign Schooling Equivalent to U.S. High School?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> N
Initials: _____	Date: _____