

## **Adult Basic Education (ABE)/Pre-GED Program**

We offer a General Educational Development (GED) diploma. Our GED program focuses on improving reading, writing, mathematics and problem-solving skills. Classes are available in English and Spanish, and are supported with a wide range of computer software, printed materials, and audio-visual aids.

*You may register any time from September through June. You must bring the following with you:*

- *A photo I.D. card*
- *Proof of residency in Jersey City*
- *Your Social Security card.*

To qualify for the GED test, you must:

- Be at least 16 years old. If you are 16-17 years old, you must have your parent/guardian sign and submit a Certificate of Consent to Participate. (If you have a legal guardian, you must bring a copy of the Court document.)
- Not have graduated from an accredited high school or received a high school equivalency certificate or diploma.
- Not be currently enrolled in a regular high school.

*The official GED test is given in English and Spanish every month.* Students are encouraged to stay in the GED program until their diplomas arrive.

*Daytime ABE and Pre-GED* classes are available Monday through Friday at

**The Adult Education Center**, 70 Bright Street. Phone: 201-915-6783 or 201-915-6615.

*Evening ABE/Pre-GED classes* are available Monday through Thursday from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. at:

**P.S. #8**, 96 Franklin Street. Phone: 201-714-4320.

**P.S. #11**, 886 Bergen Avenue. Phone: 201-915-6521.

**The Adult Education Center** (Monday through Wednesday), 70 Bright Street. Phone: 201-915-6783 or 201-915-6615.

*All of our Adult Education programs are offered **FREE** of charge,  
and **FREE** childcare is available.*