

Adult Education Program Fact Sheet

Reporting Period: July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018

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PURPOSE: To provide accessible, quality instruction that develops life, work, and literacy skills.

EMPLOYER SKILL NEEDS:

It is projected that, in less than five years, nearly 70% of jobs will require education beyond high school. For Iowa to be competitive and attract business to our state, we need to significantly increase the number of individuals who are equipped with a high value professional certificate or degree.

OUR ADULT EDUCATION POPULATION

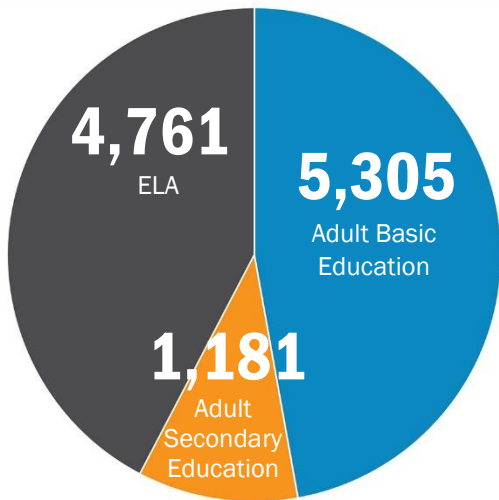
144,445

Number of working-age adults (18-64) in the state **without a high school credential**

38,728

Number of adults in the state who **don't speak English well or at all**

OUR ENROLLMENT: 4,761



Adult student populations, as defined by the National Reporting System (NRS):

Adult Basic Education (ABE):
Grade Levels 0-8.9

Adult Secondary Education (ASE):
Grade Levels 9-12

English Language Acquisition (ELA)
ELA students are those for whom English is not their native language.

Number of enrolled students served in **correctional educational programs:** **1,612**

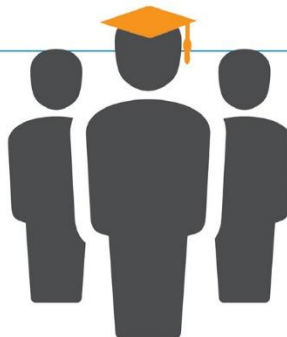
Number of enrolled students **exhausting TANF within two years:** **32**

OUR PERFORMANCE

High School Credentials awarded to those enrolled in our program: **1,363**

Postsecondary Credentials awarded to those enrolled in our program: **27**

Individuals improving one or more **skill levels:** **5,430**



CHALLENGES FACING OUR POPULATION

8,755

Working-Age Adults (18-64) Without High School Diploma and Unemployed

50,884

Working-Age Adults Without High School Diploma and Not in Labor Force

4,461

Working-Age Adults Without High School Diploma on Public Assistance

2,123

Youth (16-24) Without High School Diploma, Not Enrolled in School and Unemployed

9%

Percentage of Children Living in Household Headed by Adult Without High School Diploma

OUR FUNDING



3,450,141
FEDERAL

5,008,814
NON-FEDERAL

Sources: American Community Survey, 2013-17, 5-year estimate; National Reporting System; Recovery by Georgetown University Center on Education and the Workforce; Annie E. Casey Foundation Kids Count Data Center



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