ADULT EDUCATION
PROGRAM FACT SHEET
REPORTING PERIOD: JULY 1, 2018 - JUNE 30, 2019

Purpose: Adult education programs in Wyoming assist in building skills and earning
credentials that lead to postsecondary education, sustainable employment, and economic
self-sufficiency.

Employer Skill Needs: In 2020, 65% of all jobs in the United States will require some level of
postsecondary education. It is projected that, in 2020, the United States will be short an
estimated 7.5 million private sector workers across all skill levels.

OUR PERFORMANCE

High School Credentials awarded to those enrolled in our program 427
Individuals improving one or more skill levels 805

INDIVIDUALS IN NEED OF ADULT EDUCATION SERVICES

27,506 Number of working-age adults (18-64) in the state without a high school credential
4,727 Number of adults in the state who do not speak English well or at all
1,927 Working-Age Adults (18-64) Without High School Diploma and Unemployed

FEDERAL FUNDS PER ADULT LEARNER

$413 Federal funds per adult learner
Our learners have the most barriers to employment and literacy, yet we receive limited funding compared to the $10,000 per pupil received by elementary education.

OUR FUNDING

831,371 FEDERAL

OUR ENROLLMENT

2,015

336 ELA
405 Adult Secondary Education
1,274 Adult Basic Education

Adopted 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: 428

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