

ADULT LEARNER SUCCESS STORY

Jayne Munoz | Wyoming



Adult education came through for Jayne when he decided to fulfill a promise he had made to his mother long ago. He had fallen into a bad crowd in Denver, and one day he knew he needed to get his high school equivalency, just as he had always said he would if he ever wanted a successful career for himself.

His first step was to enroll in Eastern Wyoming College (EWC) in Torrington where he began working hard taking GED® classes. As he studied, he realized the positive impact this life change would have not only on him, but as a role model for his brothers and sisters. He states, “I wanted to get my life back on track and be an example to my eight younger siblings.”

Three months later, Jayne completed his GED® classes and passed all sections of the exam. This new excitement for education led him to participate in a workforce training program which he thoroughly enjoyed.

Today, Jayne is enrolled as a student in barbering school at EWC. He states, “I hope to not just be the owner of a barbershop; I want to be the owner of THE barbershop and give back to my community.” Receiving his high school equivalency diploma has turned Jayne’s life around and allowed him to step forward as a role model to his family while keeping his promise to his beloved mother. ■

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