



Adult Education

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Management Team

Eduardo Honold – Senior Director

Bill Medina – Director

Angelica de Leon – Virtual ESL/North Manager

Denesse Bolanos – Virtual GED/West Manager

Briggett Bentley – Budget Compliance Manager

Denise Orand – Manager (IELCE)

Jessica Silva – Quality Assurance Coordinator

San Juanita (Janie) Montes - Secretary

The Adult Education Division empowers underprepared adult learners in Harris and Liberty counties by advancing literacy, numeracy, technology, and vocational skills for success in the workforce, higher education, and community life—through cost-effective, learner-centered instruction and strong community and business partnerships.

Key Grant Positions

Asmaa Benajar – PD and Digital Learning Coordinator

Deena Houg and Tiana Escobar – Curriculum and Instruction Coordinators

Olga Demina – Workforce Coordinator

Cristina Garza, Christina Cao and Anteniece Hodges - Career Navigators

Maria Kirtland and Claudia Estrada -- Lead Teachers

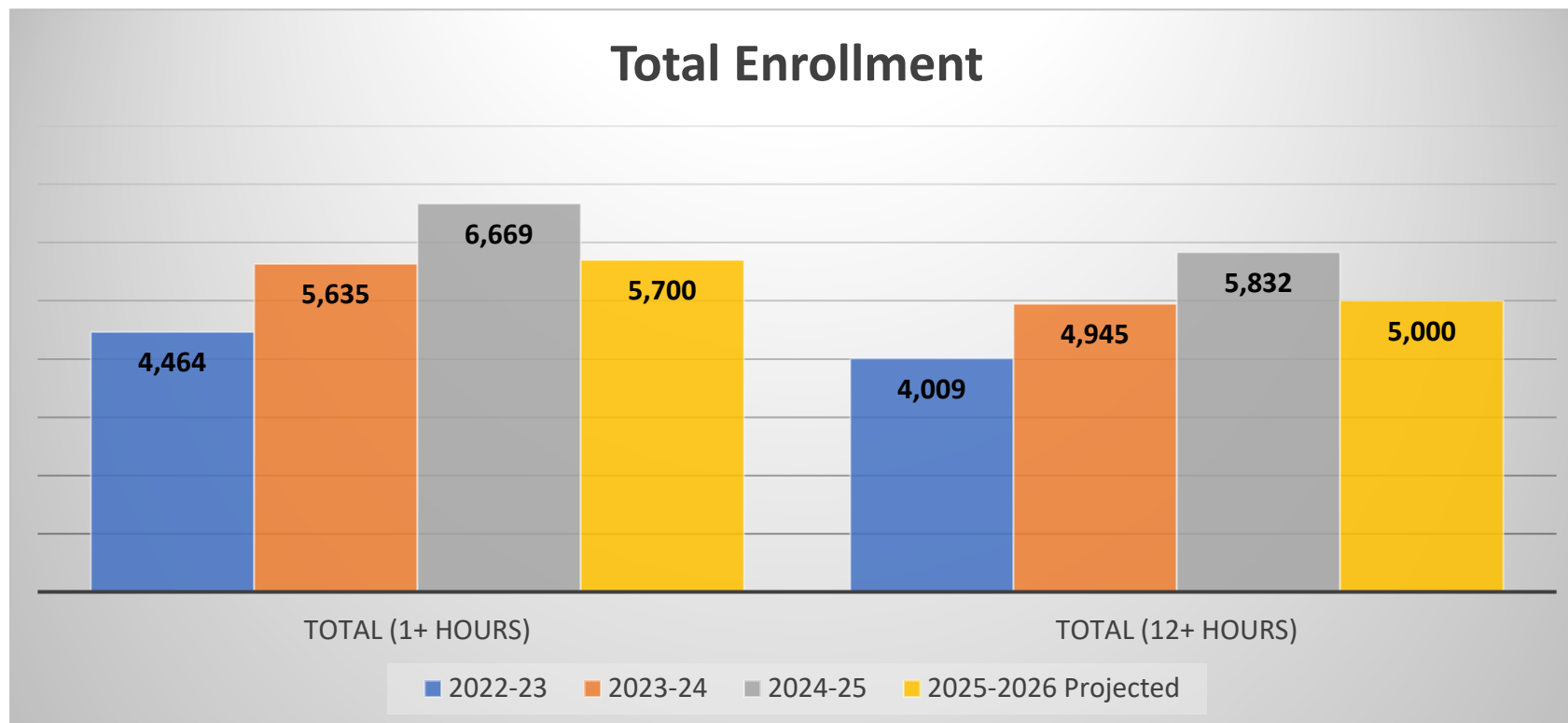


Other Positions

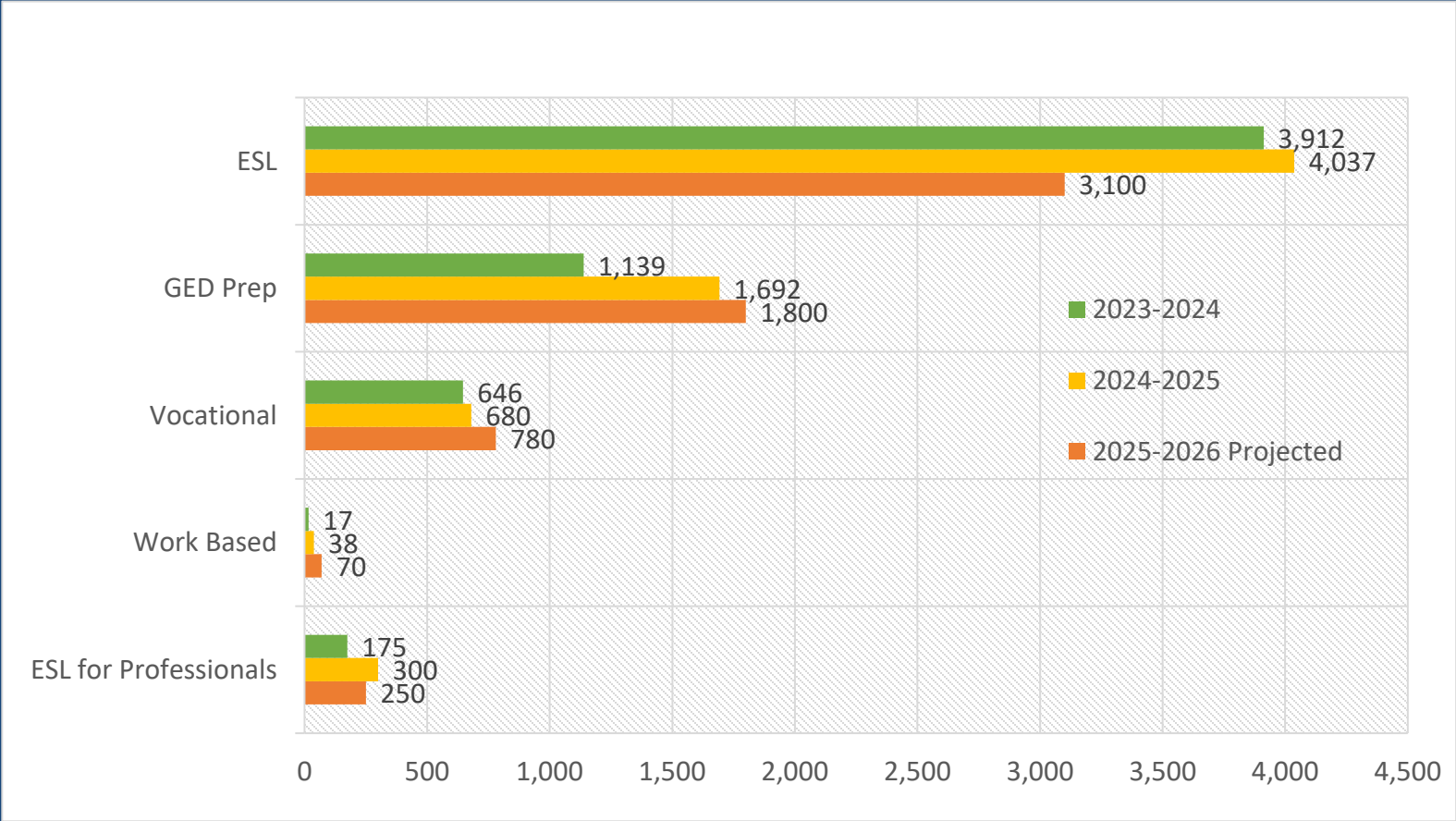
- 16 FT support staff
- 109 PT Teachers
- 12 PT Program Assistants
- 16 PT Aides



Data Highlights: Enrollment

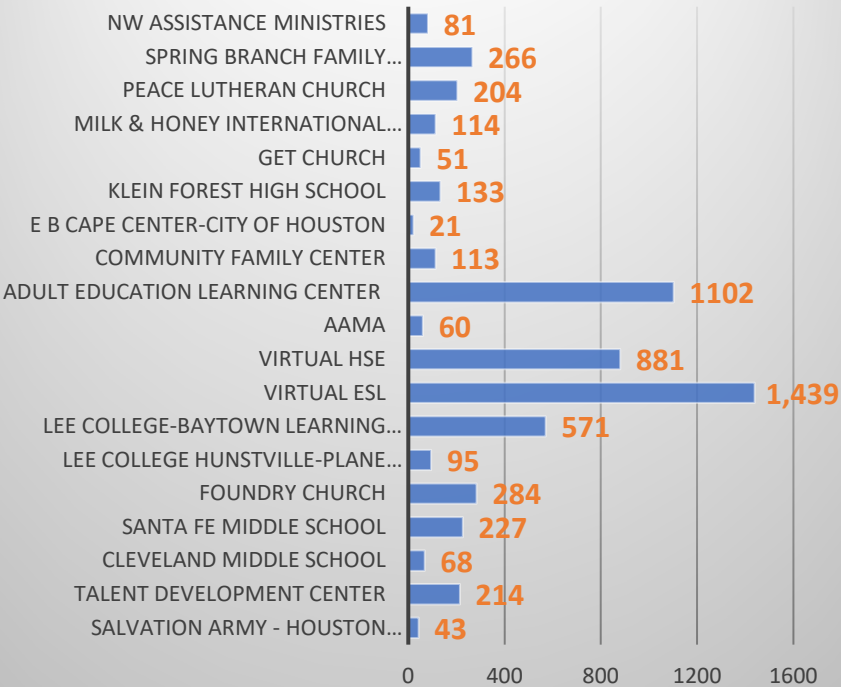


Services Provided

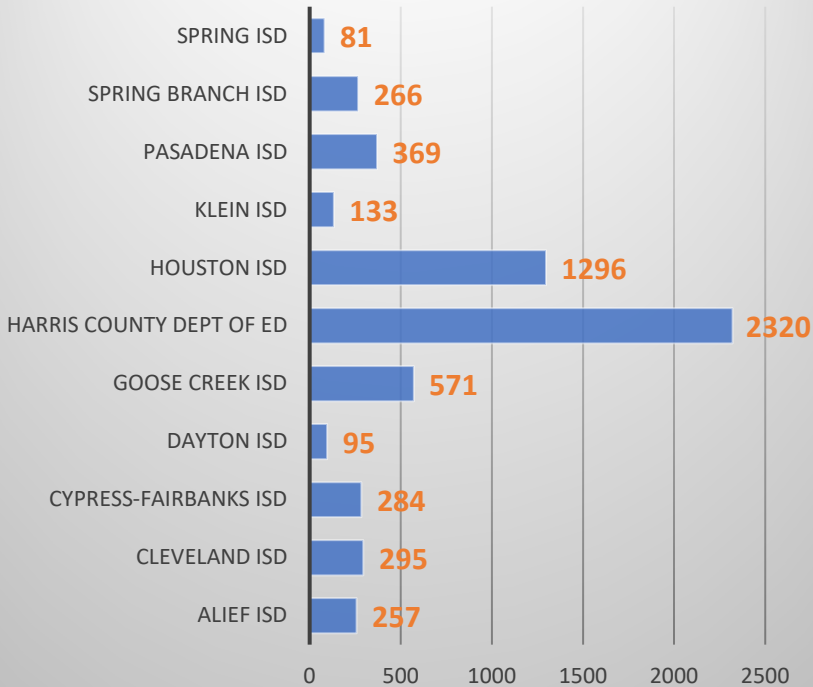


Services Provided: Location

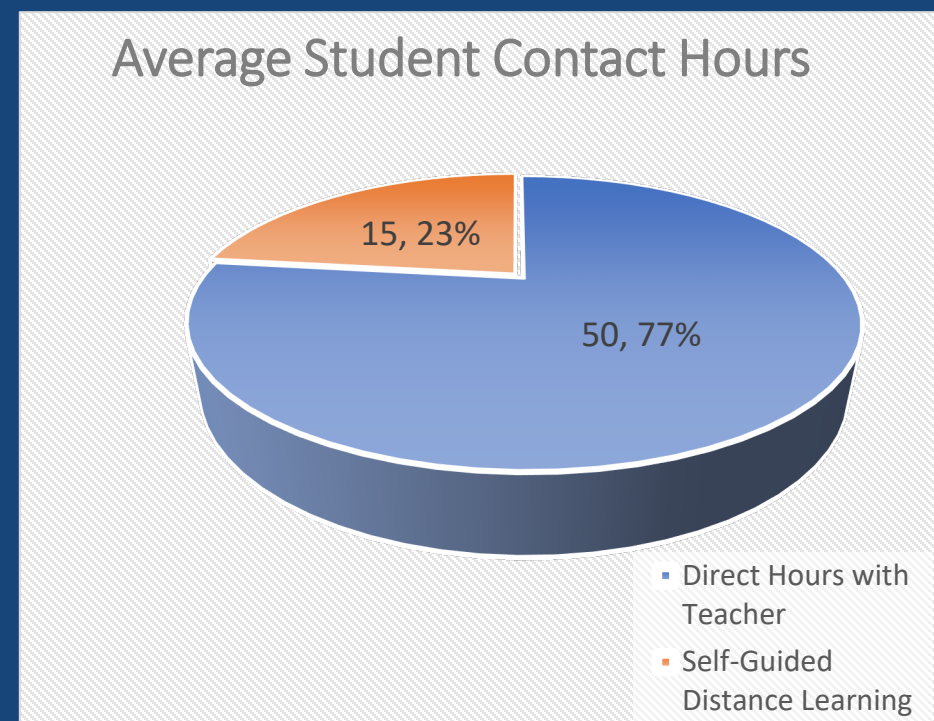
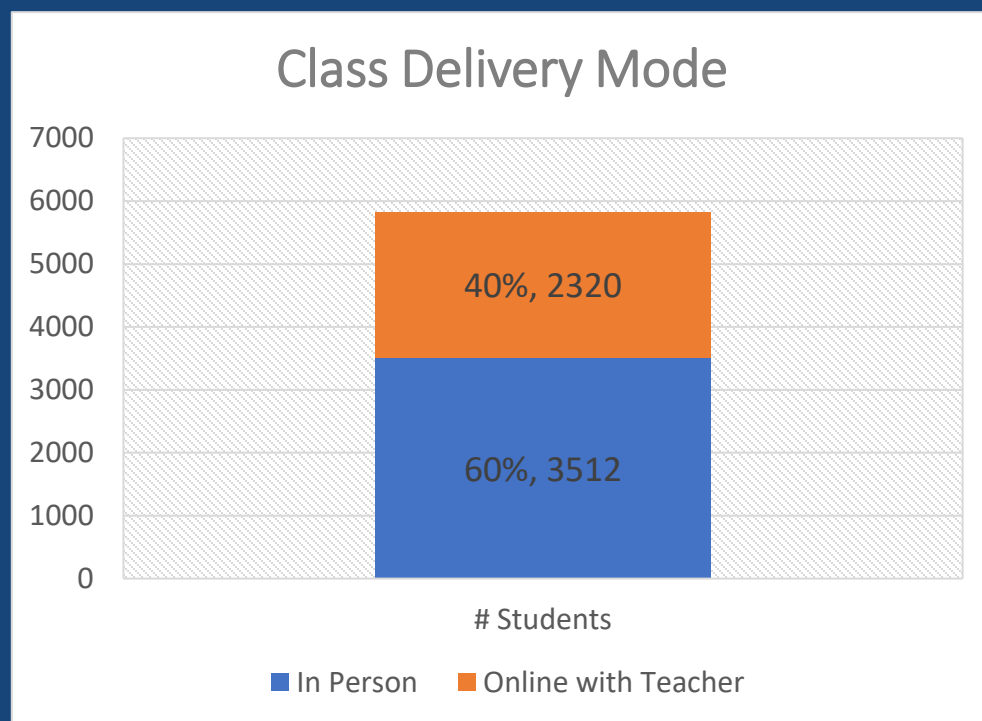
Students by Site 2024-25



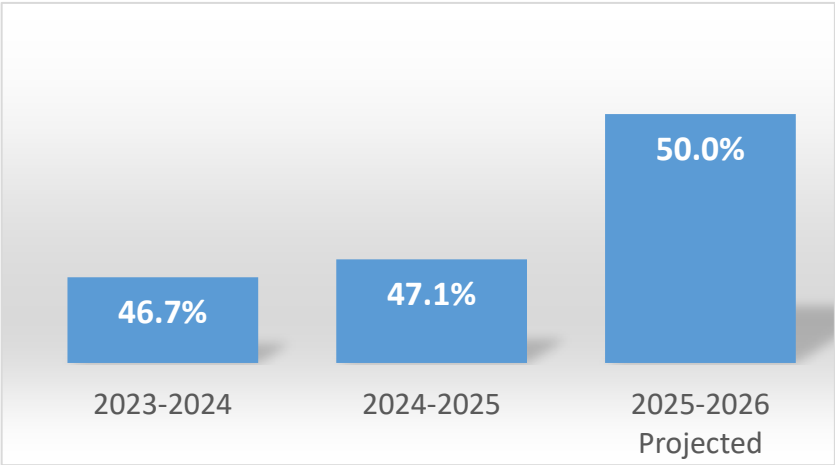
Students by District 2024-25



Services Provided PY 24-25: Modality



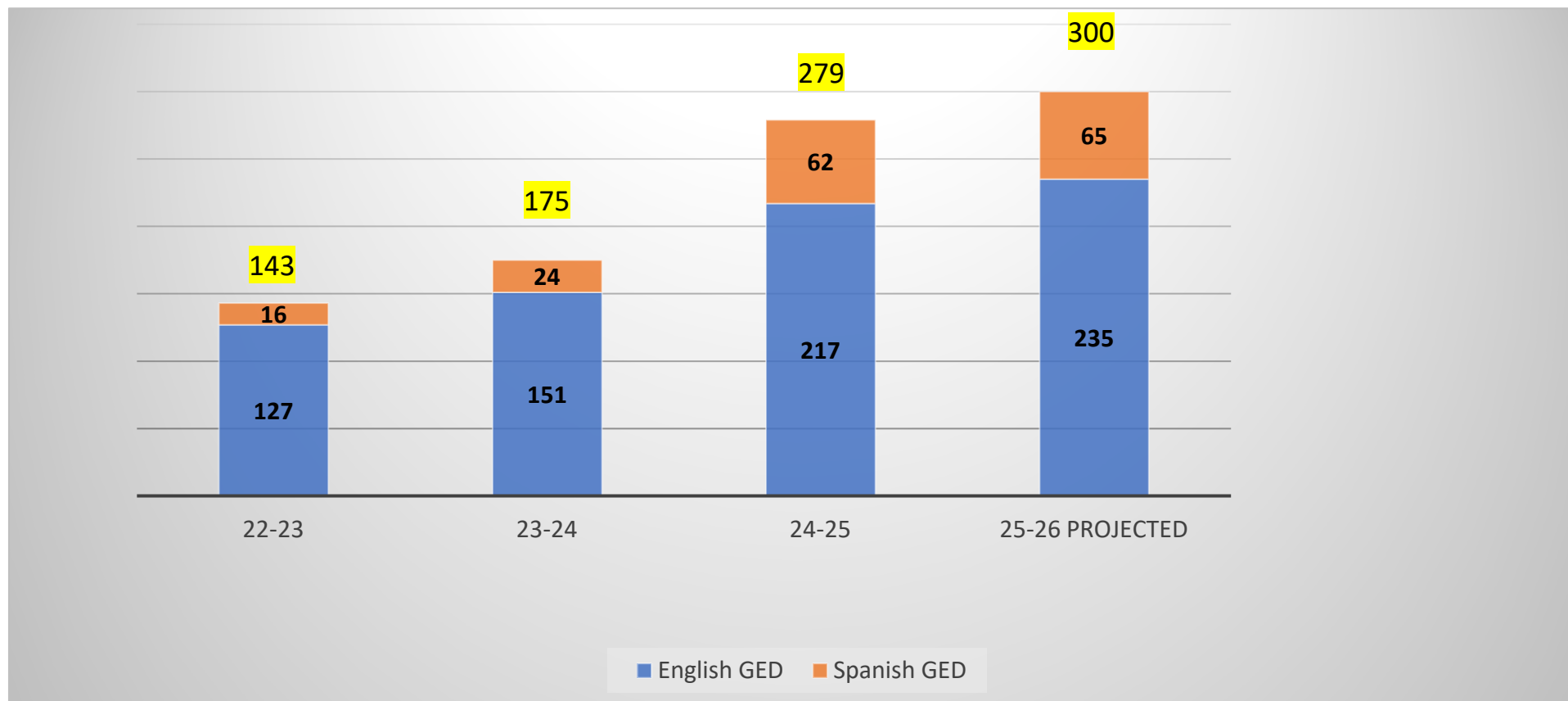
Data Highlights: Measurable Skills Gains (MSG)



	Participants	MSGs	% MSG	State Target	% State Target
2023-2024	4,940	2,308	46.7%	44.5%	105.0%
2024-2025	5,832	2,746	47.1%	39.0%	120.7%
2025-2026	5,000	2,500	50.0%	42.5%	117.6%



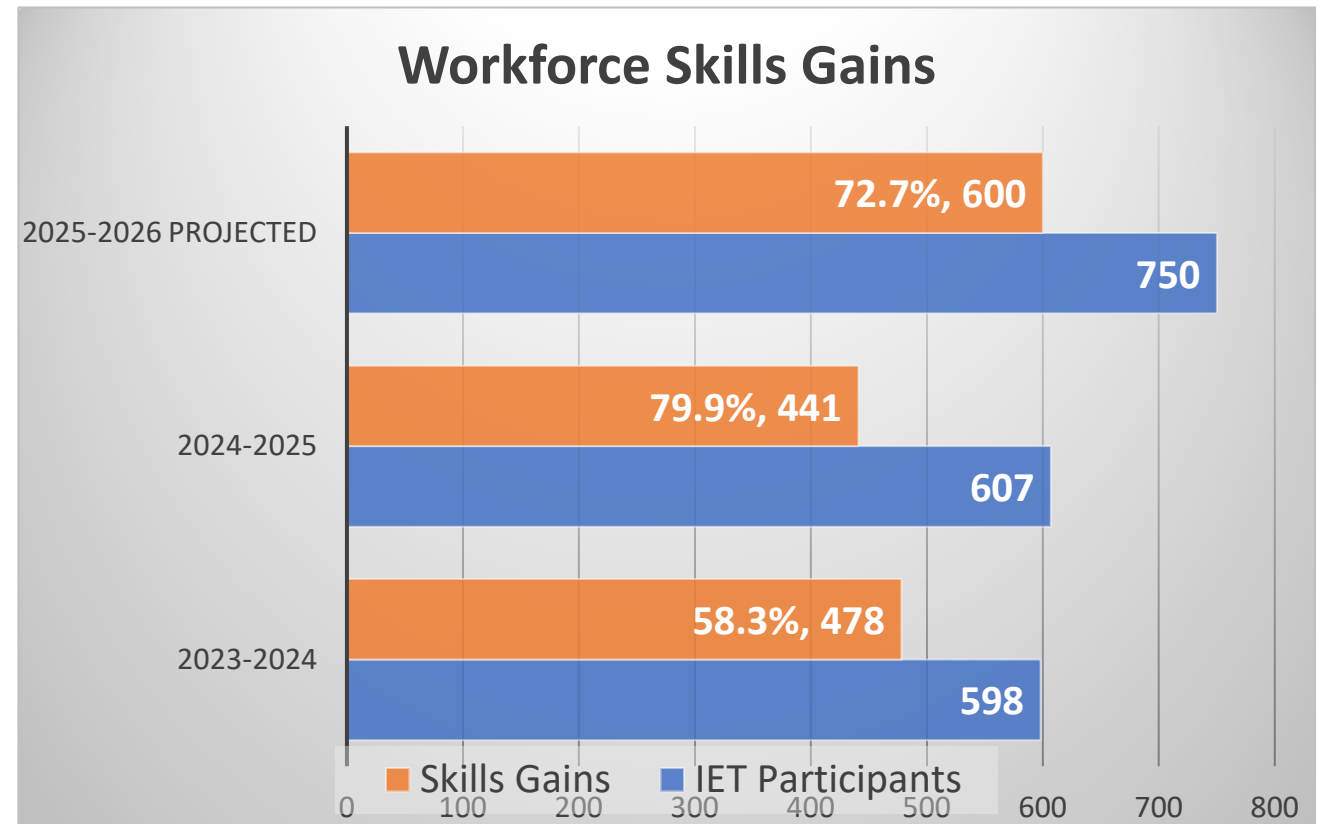
Data Highlights: GED Attainment



Data Highlights: Workforce Certification Training

PY 24-25 Programs Offered

- Certified Nursing Assistant
- Phlebotomy
- EKG Tech
- Medical Billing and Coding
- CompTIA Help Desk
- Business Office Technology
- NCCER Core Construction



Key Highlights

- Exceeded all TWC enrollment and performance targets for PY 2024-25
- Increased GEDs by 104 to a record 279 graduates



Key Highlights

- 441 (73%) of vocational students obtained or made progress toward certification
- Signing Day Events in October and April celebrated 140 vocational students getting job offers from 17 employer partners



Trends

- Vocational Training increasingly valued over degrees
 - Increase vocational enrollment by 15% to 750 in PY 2025-2026
 - Skill-based training for jobs in healthcare and trades less likely to be affected by IA
- Uncertainty in federal funding
- Citizenship and immigration eligibility requirements will continue to reduce ESL enrollment
- Impact of AI on the delivery of services
 - Enhanced lesson planning and materials development
 - AI tutors for personalized modular learning
- Emphasis on digital literacy, career navigation and wraparound services for all adult learners

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Questions?