

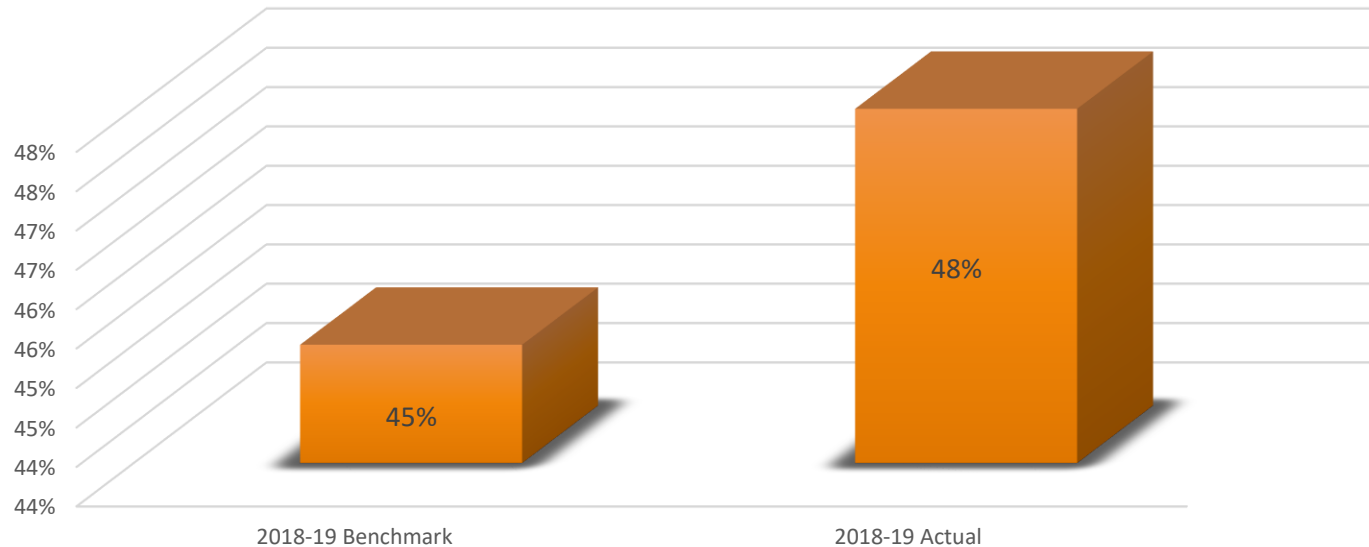
Adult Education WIOA Implementation Status Update-Fall 2019

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Performance

Adult Education in Arkansas exceeded the 2018-19 federal benchmark for Educational Gains



Central Arkansas Adult Education Graduation

Recognized nearly 300 GED[®] recipients from the Arkansas Baptist College, Little Rock School District, Pulaski County Special School District, and UA-Pulaski Tech Adult Education Centers.



Teaching Skills That Matter

Arkansas was one of 5 states chosen for a national pilot program with a goal of improving the effectiveness of adult education instruction in the areas of:

- Civics Education
- Digital Literacy
- Financial Literacy
- Health Literacy
- Workforce Preparation

Teaching Skills That Matter

Participating teachers represent the following adult education programs.

- Cossatot Community College of the University of AR
- Fayetteville School District
- North Arkansas College
- Northwest Arkansas Community College

Department of Youth Services- Expanding the Model

Currently serving the Dermott Unit. Services are being expanded to include those in the Alexander, Harrisburg, Lewisville, and Mansfield locations.

Providing workplace training and certifications that will improve the participants' employability upon release.



Statewide Open House

Arkansas Adult Education centers across the state will participate in hosting the third annual Arkansas Adult Education Open House on Thursday, September 19.



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