

Higher Education & Workforce Subcommittee

**Wednesday, September 16, 2015
4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
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Meeting Packet

**Steve Crisafulli
Speaker**

**Elizabeth Porter
Chair**



AGENDA

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- I. Call to Order and Roll Call

- II. Opening Remarks

- III. Overview of Adult General Education
Rod Duckworth, Chancellor, Career and Adult Education

- IV. Closing Remarks and Adjournment



Overview of Adult General Education

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Rod Duckworth, Chancellor of Career and Adult Education



What is Adult General Education?

- Instructional programs that help adults get the basic skills they need to be productive workers, family members, and citizens

Grades 0 – 8

Grades 9 - 12

Adult Basic Education

GED

English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)

Adult High School

Adult General Education Programs are Available to

- Individuals who are:
 - At least 16 years of age and have legally left the secondary school system
 - Do not have a high school diploma or its equivalent
 - Want to learn to speak, read, and write in English

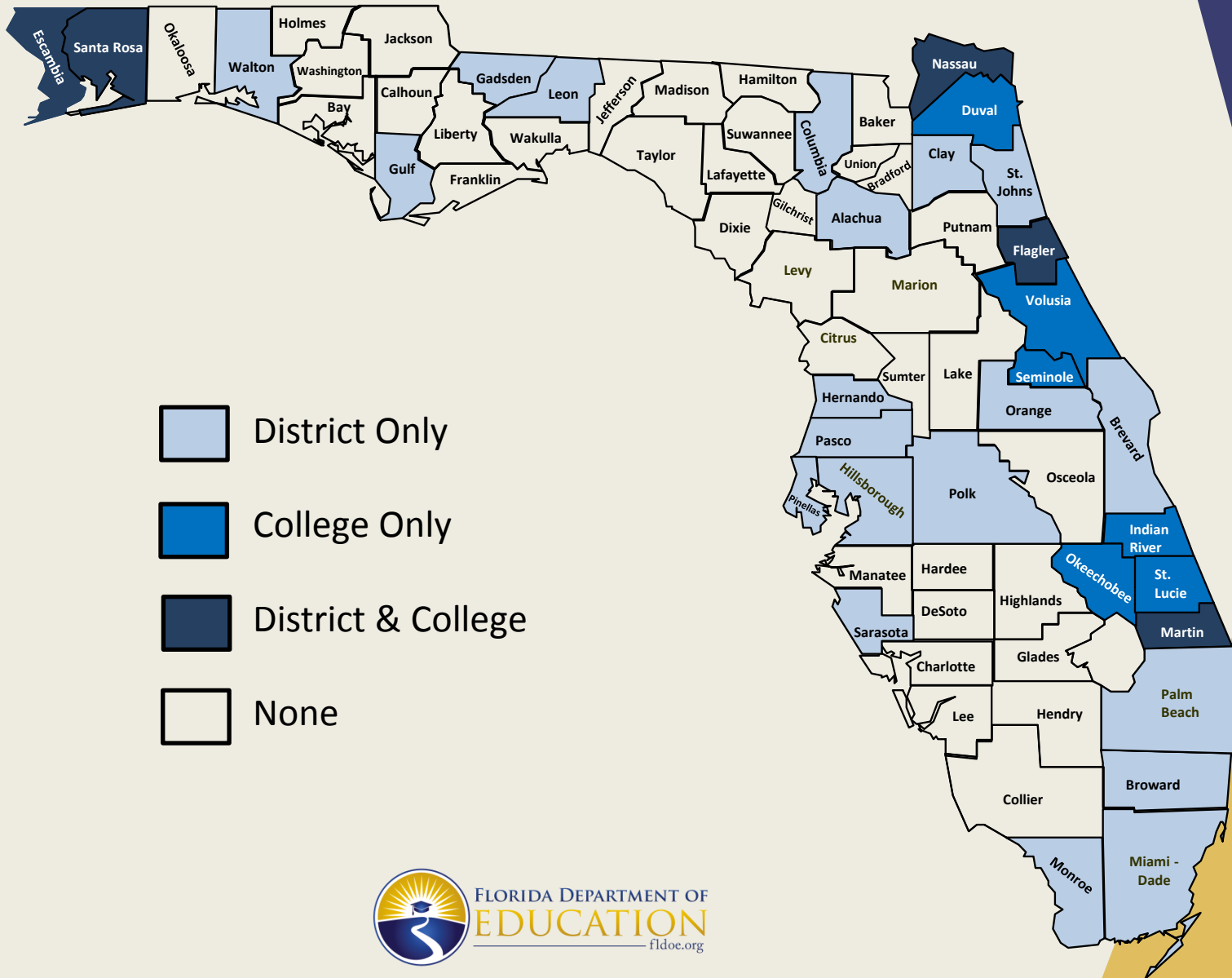
Adult Standard High School Diploma Options





- Adult Standard High School Diploma issued by a school district or Florida College System institution with either of the following:
 - 24 Credit Diploma option
 - 18 Credit ACCEL (Academically Challenging Curriculum to Enhance Learning) Option

Adult Standard High School Diploma Requirements

- Adult high school students must complete the same courses and state assessments required to earn a standard high school diploma in the K-12 system. An adult high school student is awarded a standard high school diploma if the student meets the requirements. The following exceptions are allowed:
 1. One elective credit may be substituted for the one-credit requirement in fine or performing arts, speech and debate, or practical arts.
 2. The requirement that two of the science credits include a laboratory component may be waived by the district school board.
 3. The requirement for one credit in physical education may be substituted with an elective credit.

Delivery of Adult High School

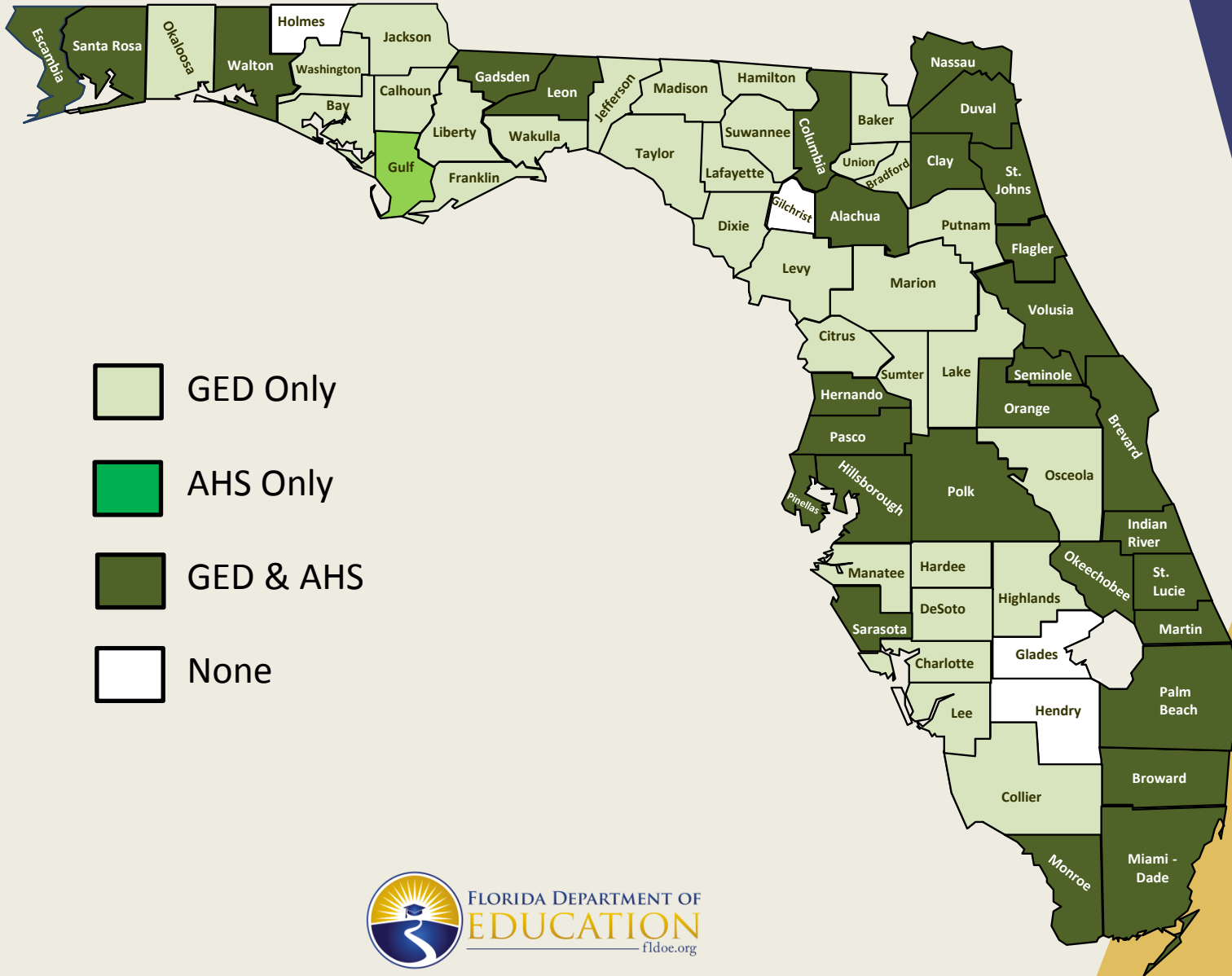


-  District Only
-  College Only
-  District & College
-  None

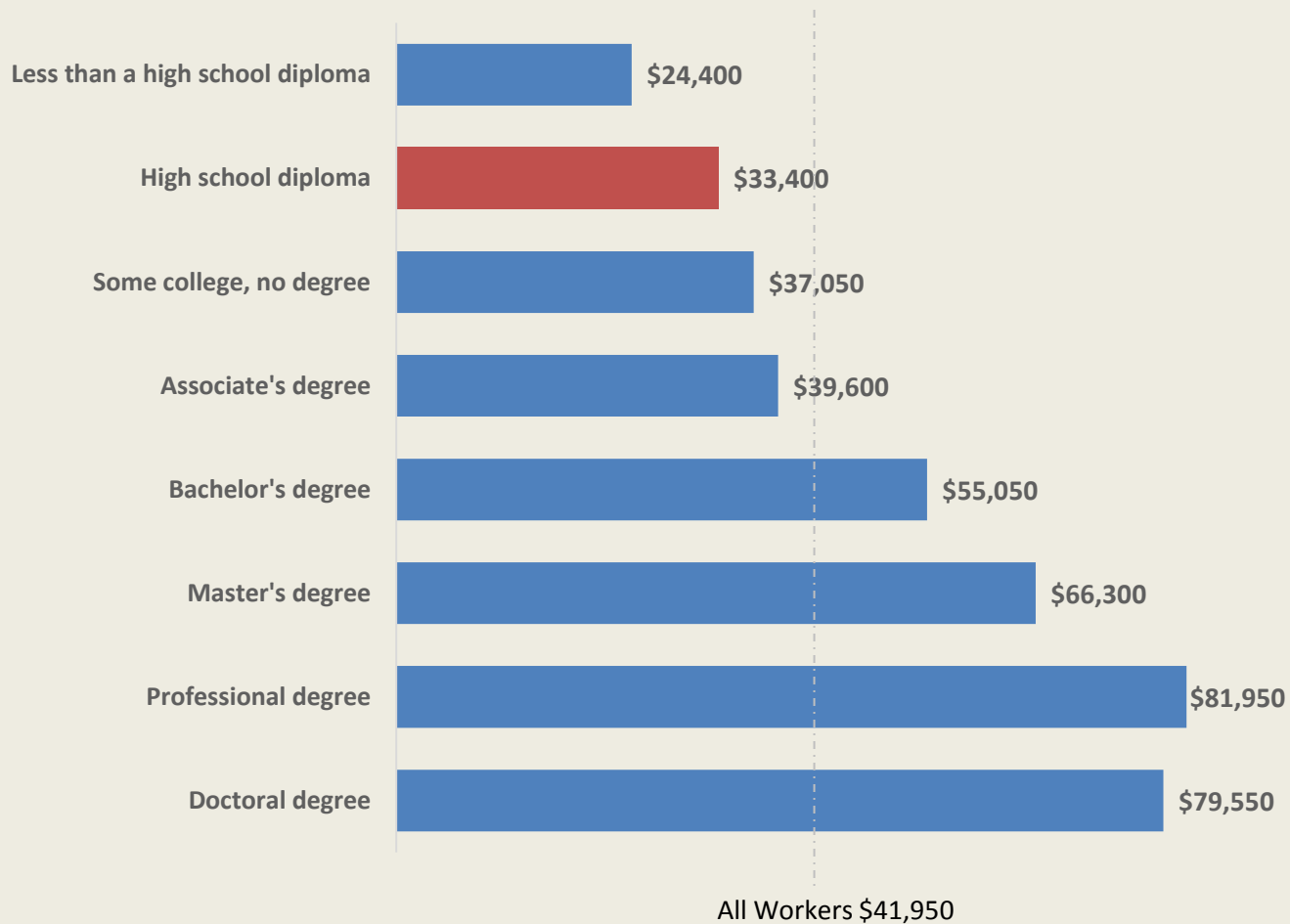
High School Equivalency Diploma

- Section 1009.435, F.S., authorizes the State Board of Education to establish standards to administer and award high school equivalency diploma examinations
- Sets age restriction to 18 years of age
 - Individuals 16 and 17 years of age may test under extraordinary circumstances with school district approval
- Satisfies the high school diploma requirements for admission into state universities or Florida College System institutions
- The Department of Education issues the State of Florida High School Diploma based upon successful completion of the 2014 GED® Test

Delivery of Diploma Programs: Adult High School and GED



Yearly Earnings by Educational Attainment in 2014



Note: Data are for persons age 25 and over. Earnings are for full-time wage salary workers. Based on median weekly earnings.
Source: Current Population Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor

Closing Florida's Skill Gap

Florida's Integrated Career and Academic Preparation System (FICAPS)

- The goal of FICAPS is to increase the number of adult education students who earn their high school diploma or equivalent and enter postsecondary education to earn a degree, certificate, and/or industry credential

Florida's Integrated Career and Academic Preparation System (FICAPS)

- Pilot project – Grant awards of \$25,000 each to eight adult education programs
- Purpose – To plan, design, and/or implement an integrated education and training program for 2015-2016
- Combines GED® Preparation with a career and technical program that leads to an initial certificate
- Includes acceleration strategies to motivate and move students more quickly to meet their goals
- Selected career and technical program prepares student for a high demand/high wage job

Online Preparation with District and College Programs

- Florida Adult and Technical Distance Education Consortium (FATDEC) delivers curricula for adult education online
- A consortium of thirty member institutions (school districts and colleges)

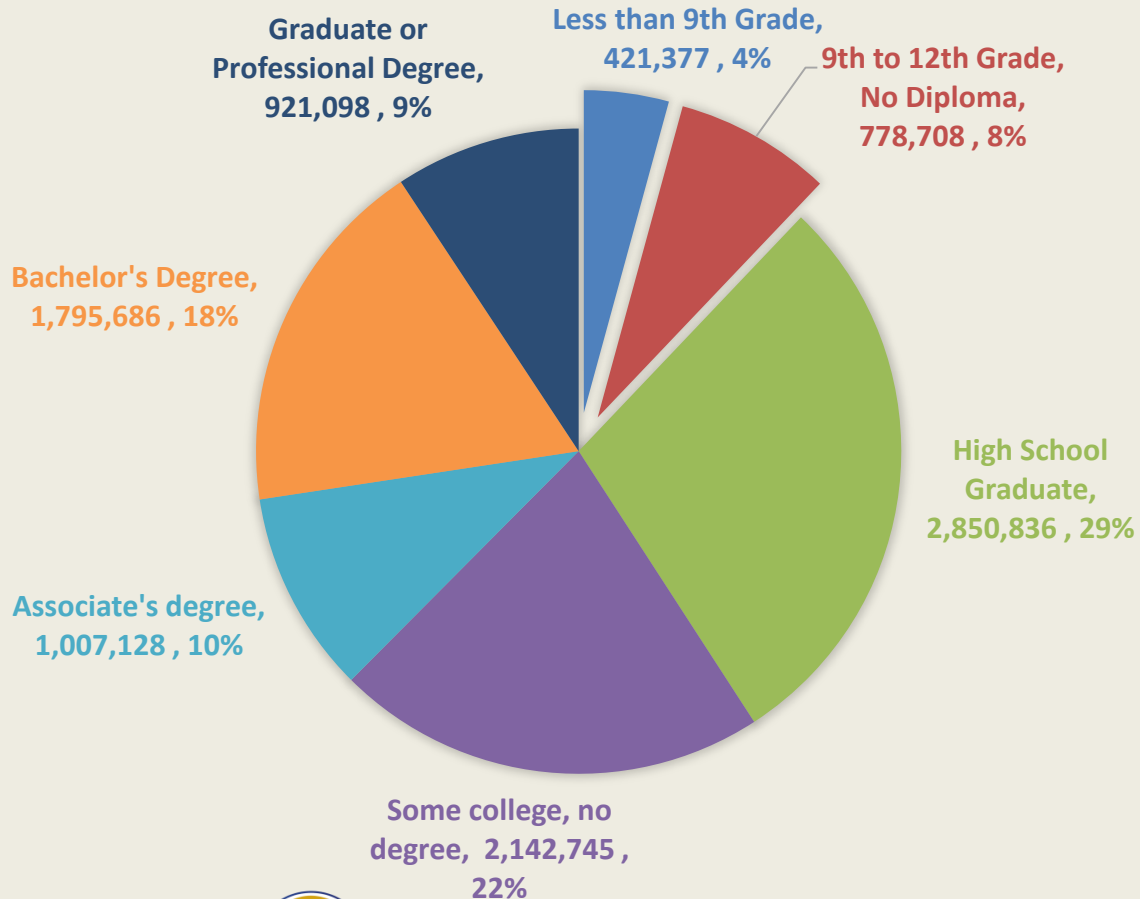
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Florida Adult and Technical Distance Education Consortium Instructional Programs/Courses

Adult ESOL	English Discoveries Online
ABE	Instruction Targeted for TABE Success (ITTS)
GED® Preparatory	Aztec GED®: The Key to Success Educator
Adult High School	Twenty-six (26) courses, including business technology, health, English, mathematics, science, social studies and foreign language that are based on frameworks/standards approved by the FDOE

About 12% of Florida's Working Age Population Does Not Have a High School Diploma

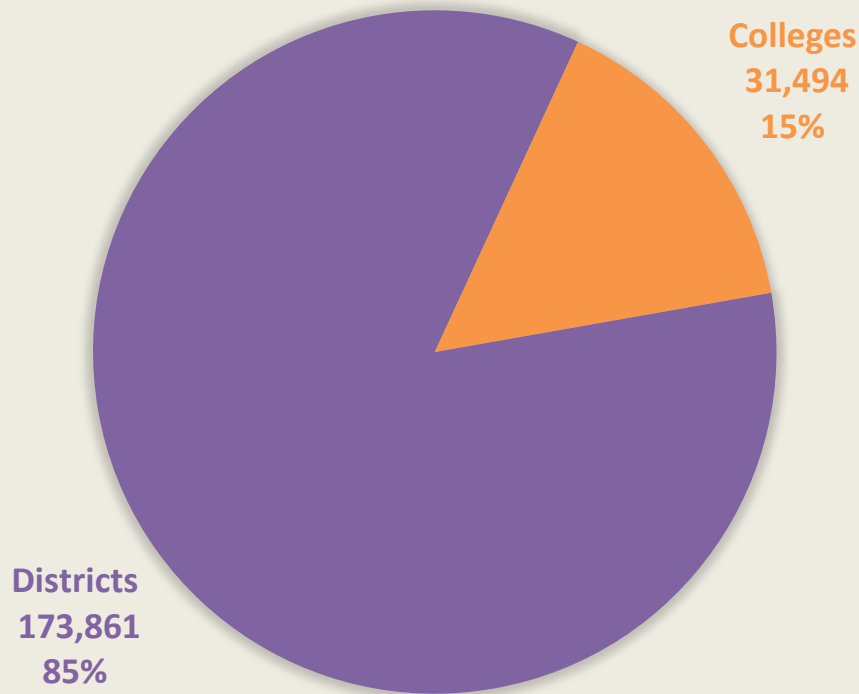
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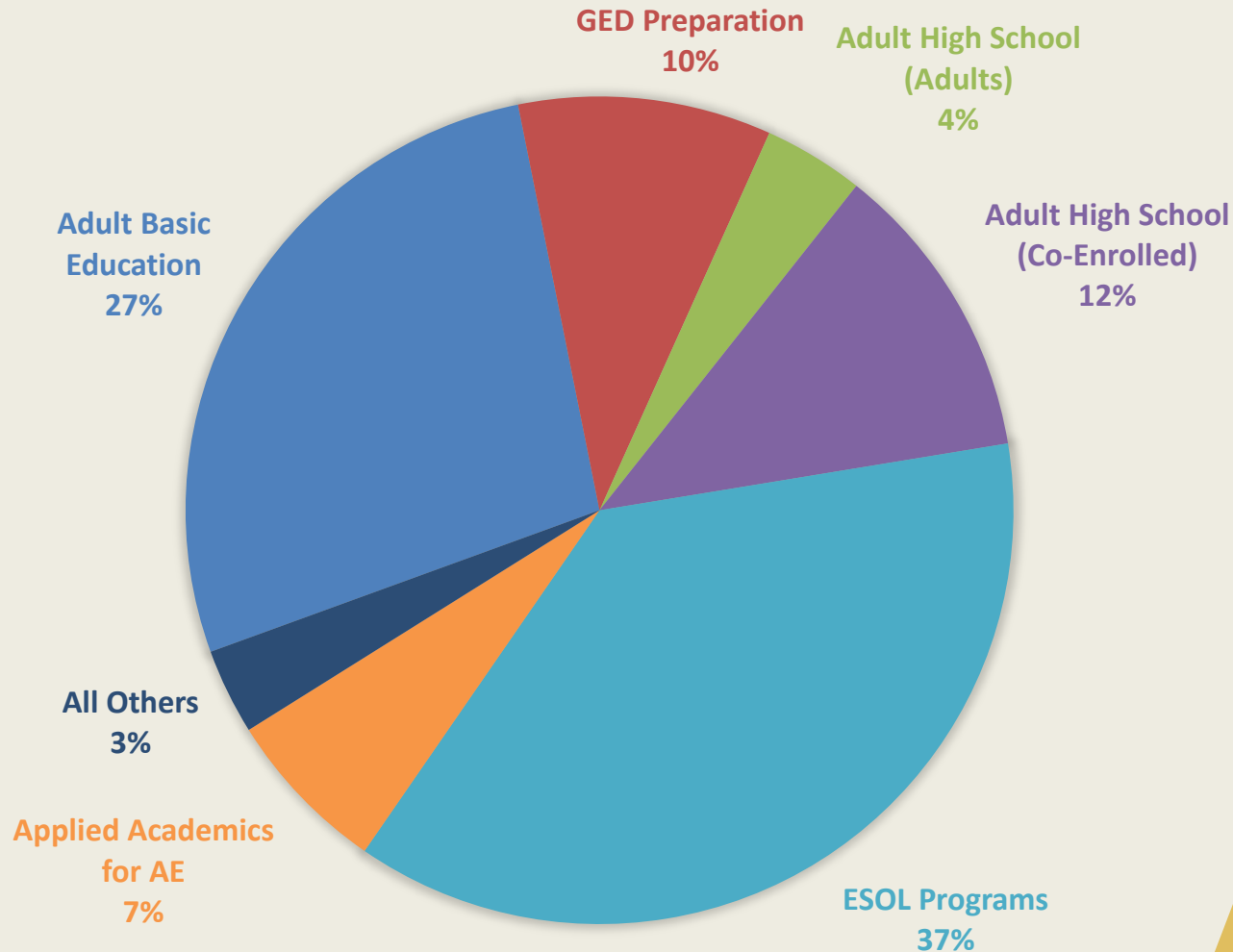
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Adult General Education Total Enrollment By Sector 2014-15

Total System Enrollment = 205,355



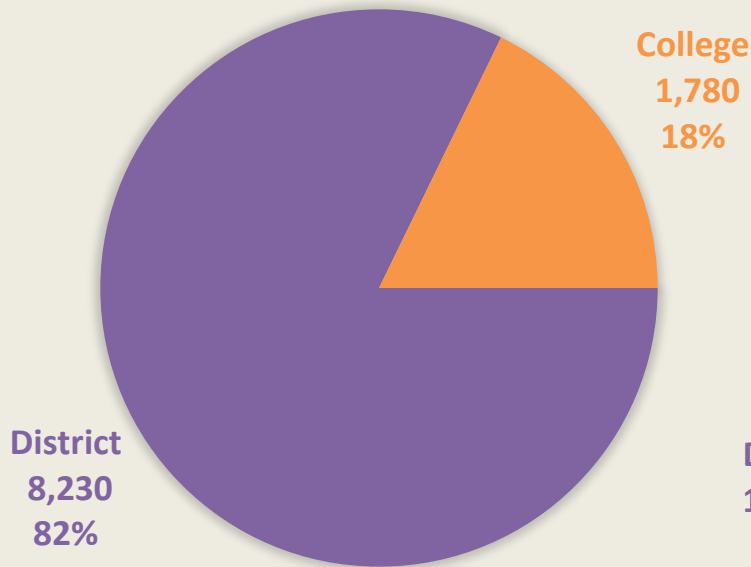
Adult General Education Enrollment by Program Type, 2014-15



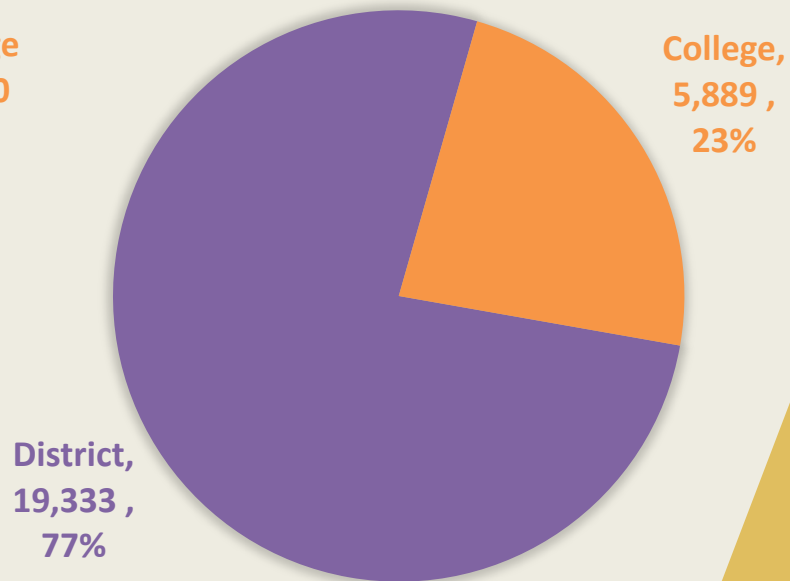
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Adult High School and GED Preparation Enrollment by Sector, 2014-15

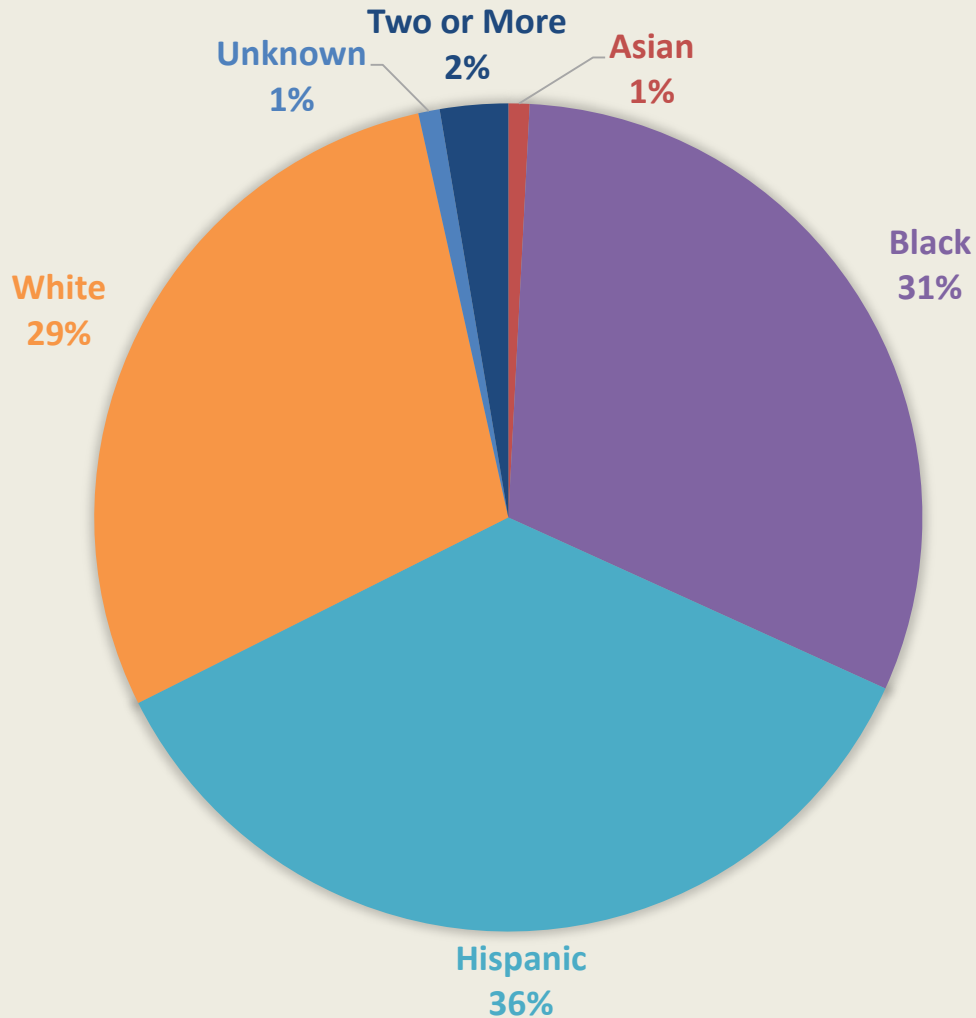
Adult High School



GED Preparation



Adult High School Enrollment* by Race/Ethnicity, 2014-15

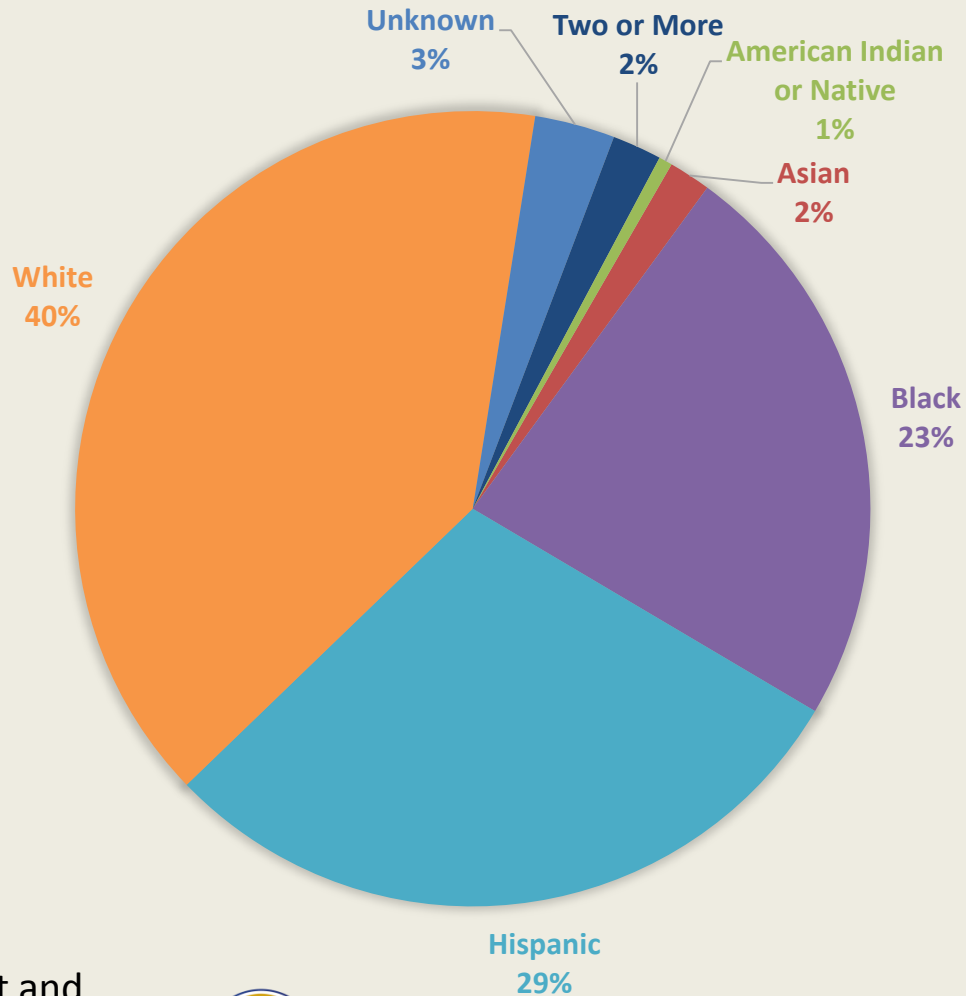


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Note: The following populations had less than 1% of the overall population and were not included in the chart: American Indian or Alaskan Native, Pacific Islander

GED Preparation Enrollment* by Race/Ethnicity, 2014-15

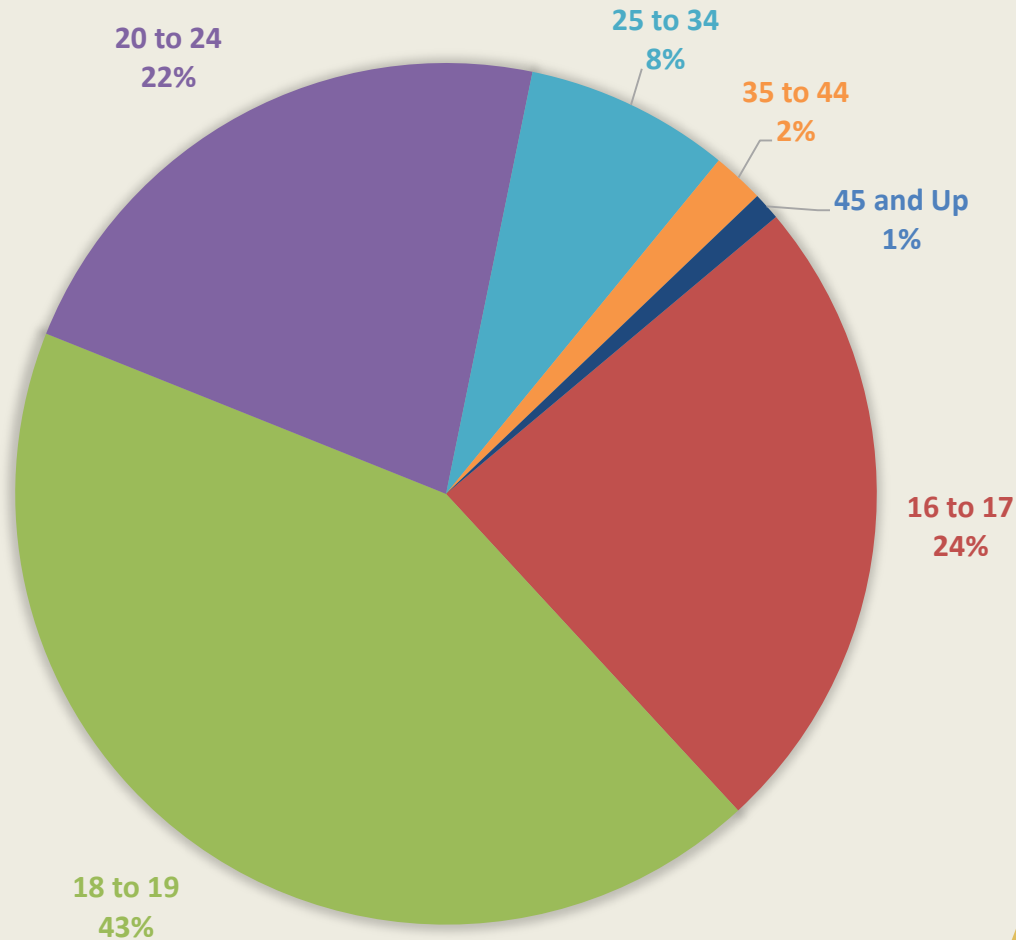


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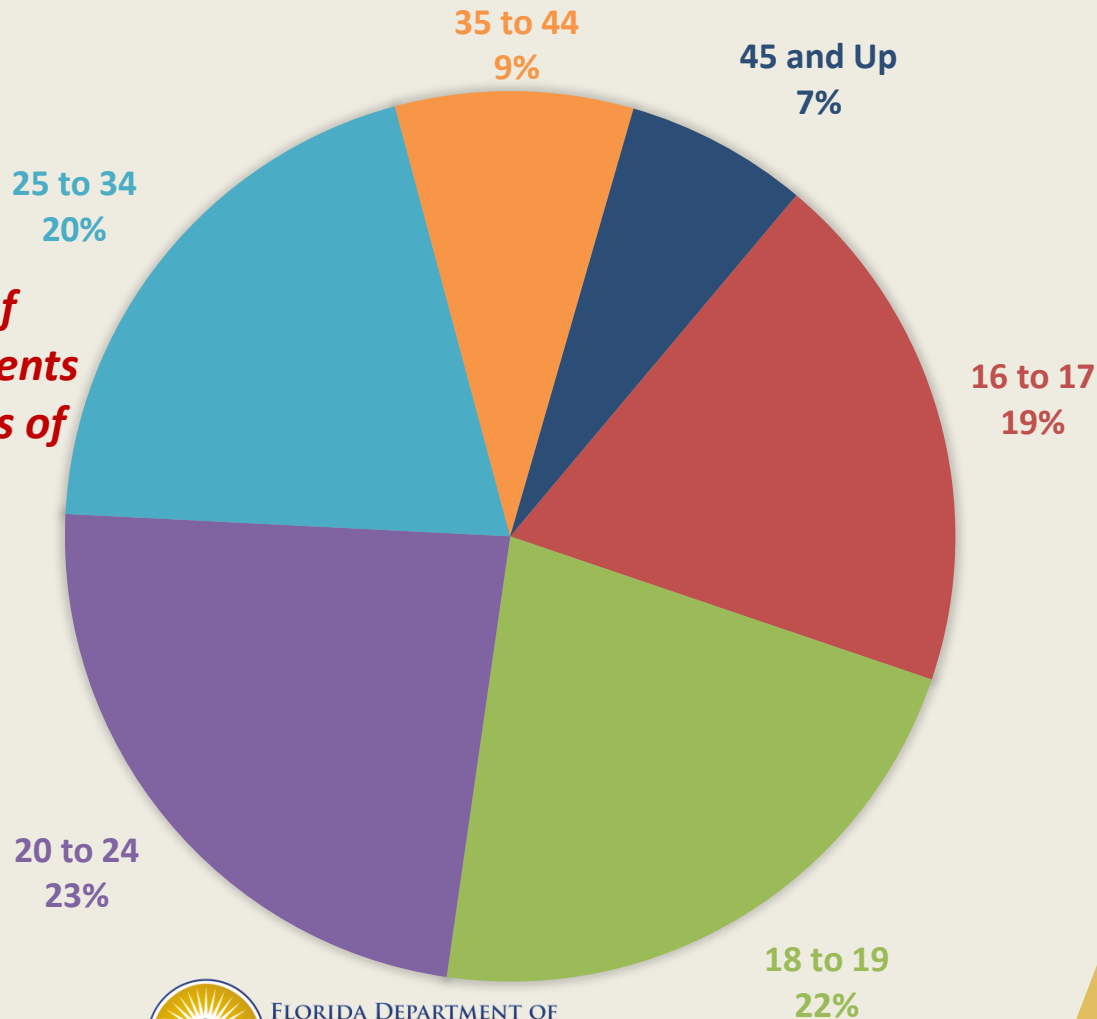
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Adult High School Enrollment By Age Range, 2014-15



Almost 90% of the enrolled students are 16 to 24 years of age.

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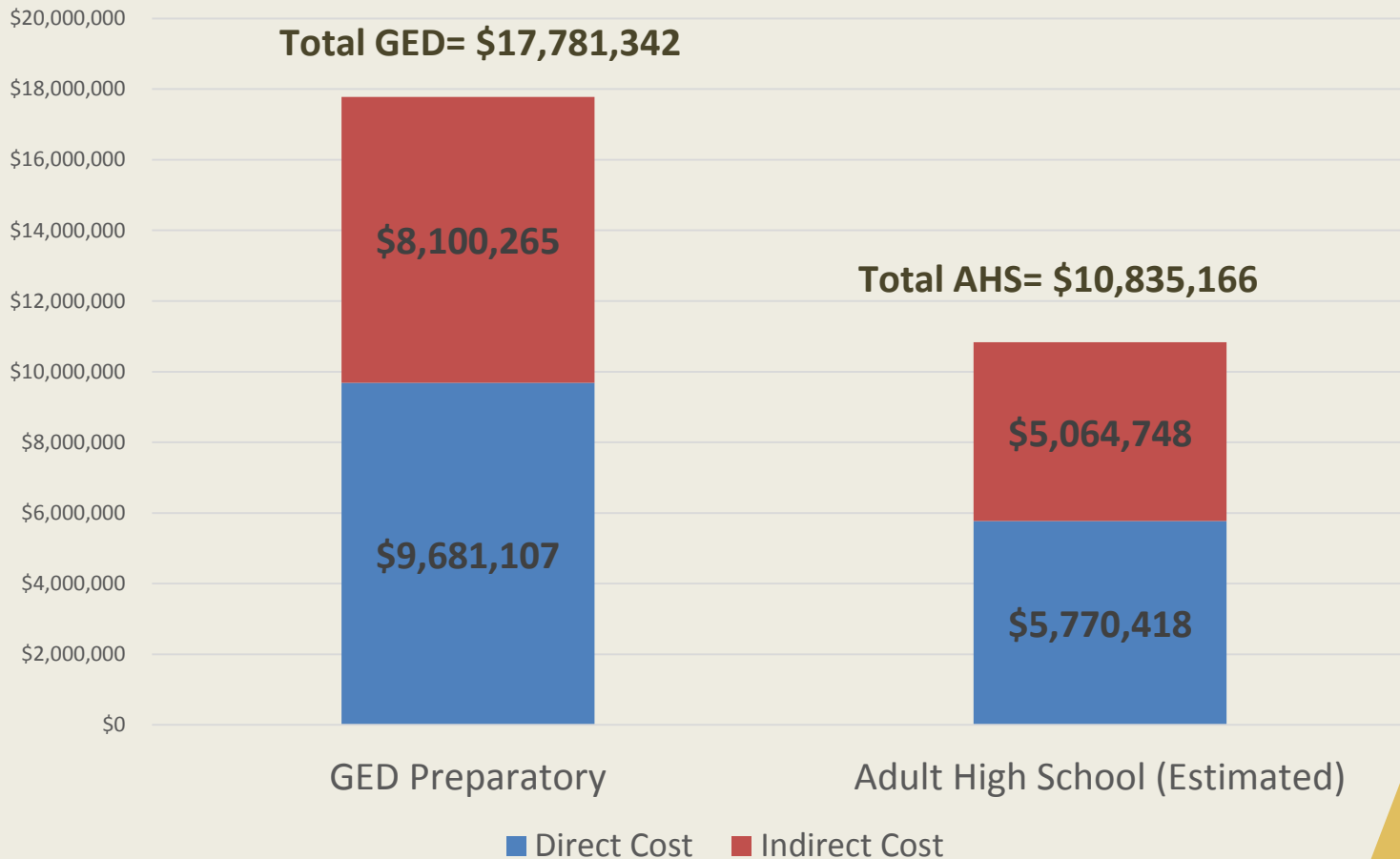
More than 60% of the enrolled students are 16 to 24 years of age.



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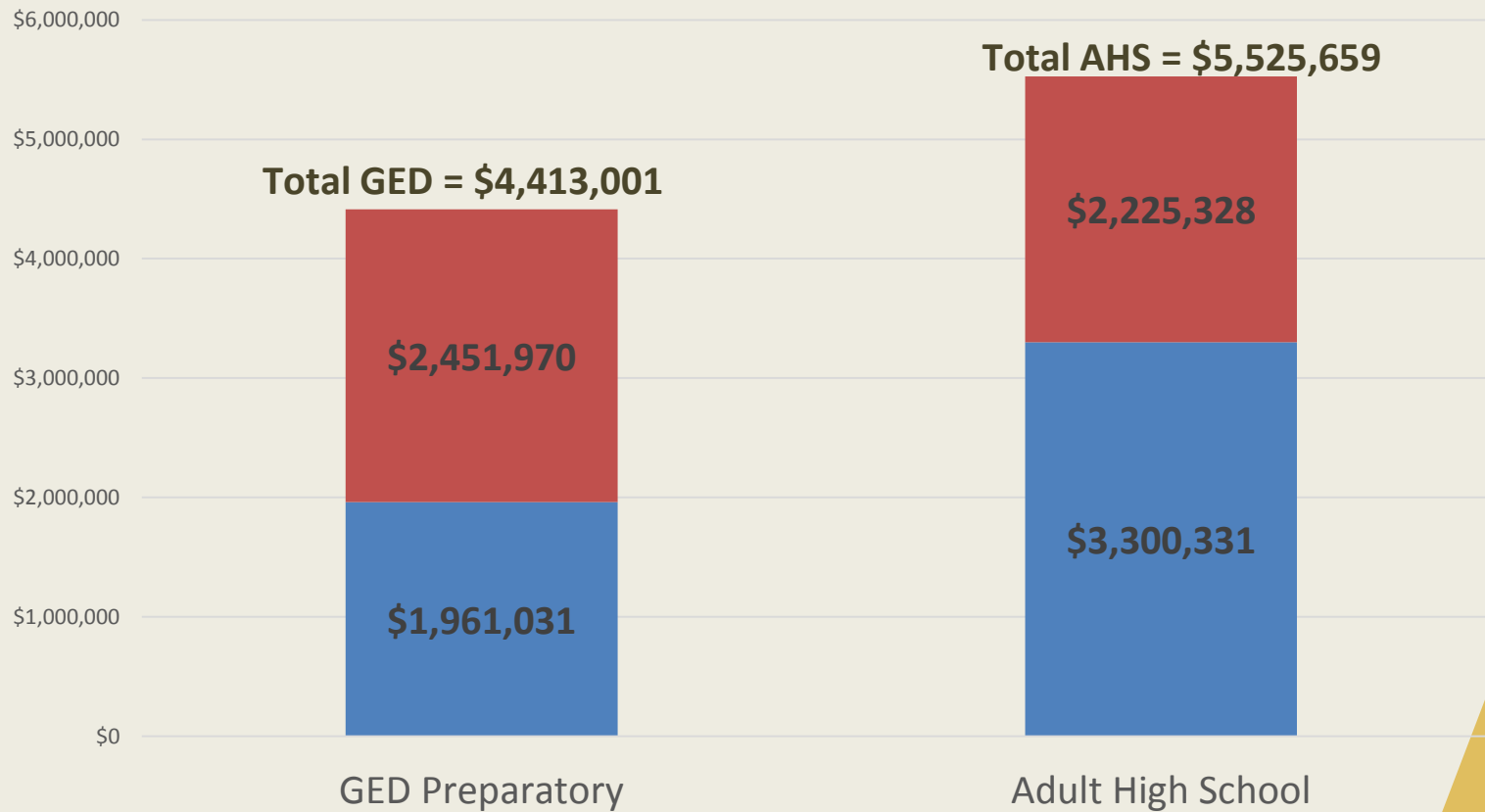
School District Program Costs for Adult High School and GED Preparatory



NOTE:
Cost data is for 2013-14.



Florida College System Program Costs for Adult High School and GED Preparatory



■ Direct Instructional ■ Support Costs



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NOTES:

Cost data is for 2013-14.

AHS costs include those for co-enrolled students.

Summary of Expenditures, Enrollments and Outcomes (2013-14)

	District	College	Total
GED and Adult High School Estimated Expenditures*	GED= \$17,781,342 <u>AHS= \$10,835,166</u> Total=\$28,616,538	GED= \$4,431,001 <u>AHS= \$5,525,659</u> Total=\$9,938,660	GED= \$22,194,373 <u>AHS= \$16,360,825</u> Total=\$38,555,198
FTE in GED and AHS	GED: 2,532 <u>AHS: 1,594</u> TOTAL: 4,126	GED: 607 <u>AHS: 702</u> TOTAL: 1,309	GED: 3,139 <u>AHS: 2,296</u> TOTAL: 5,435
High School Equivalency Diplomas Issues (GED)	10,363	3,479	13,842
Adult High School Diplomas Issued**	556	384	940

*AHS college costs and FTE include co-enrolled adult high school students; performance data does not include co-enrolled students

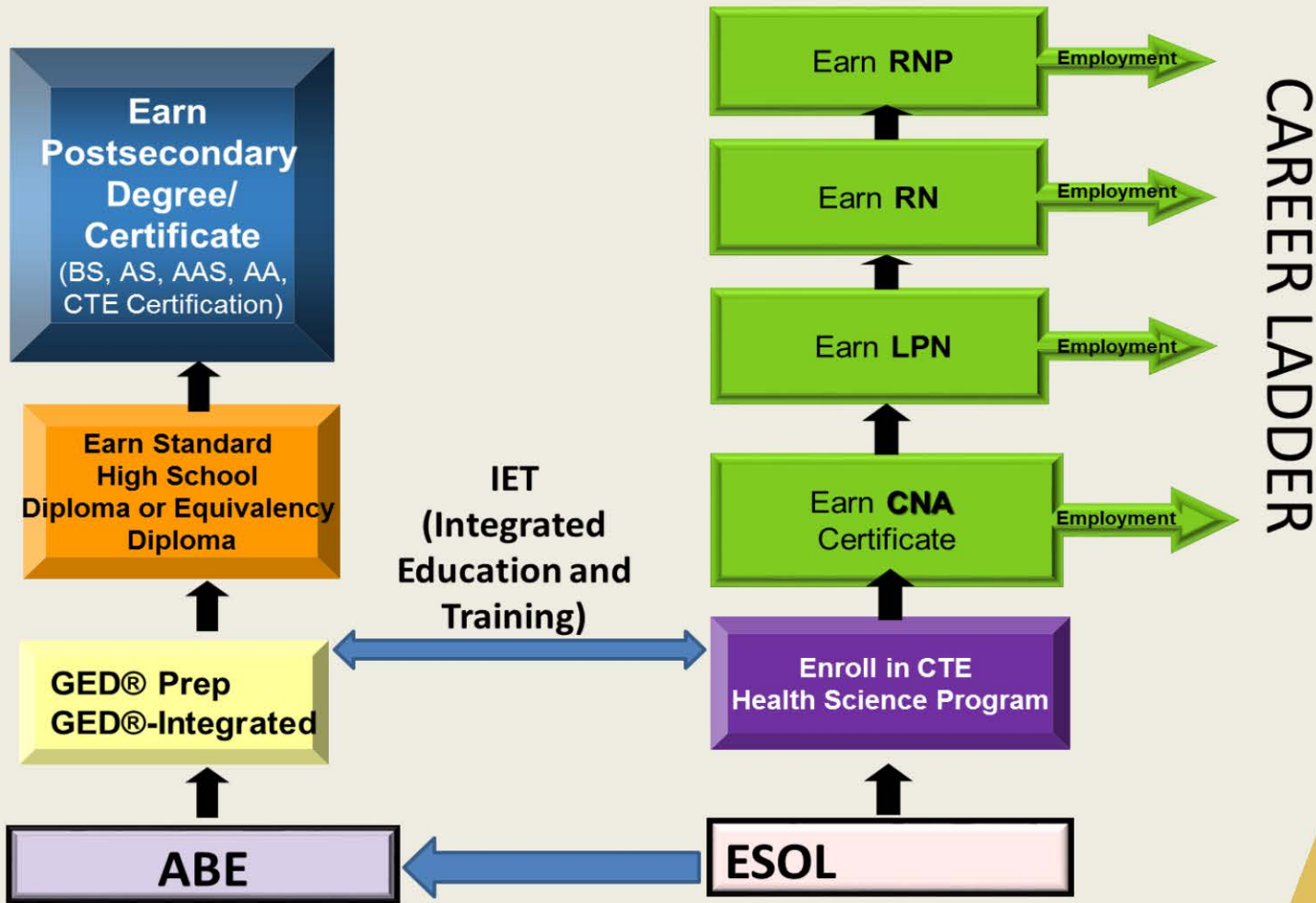


**AHS diplomas for college programs are under-reported; some diplomas for AHS are issued by the district based on local agreements.

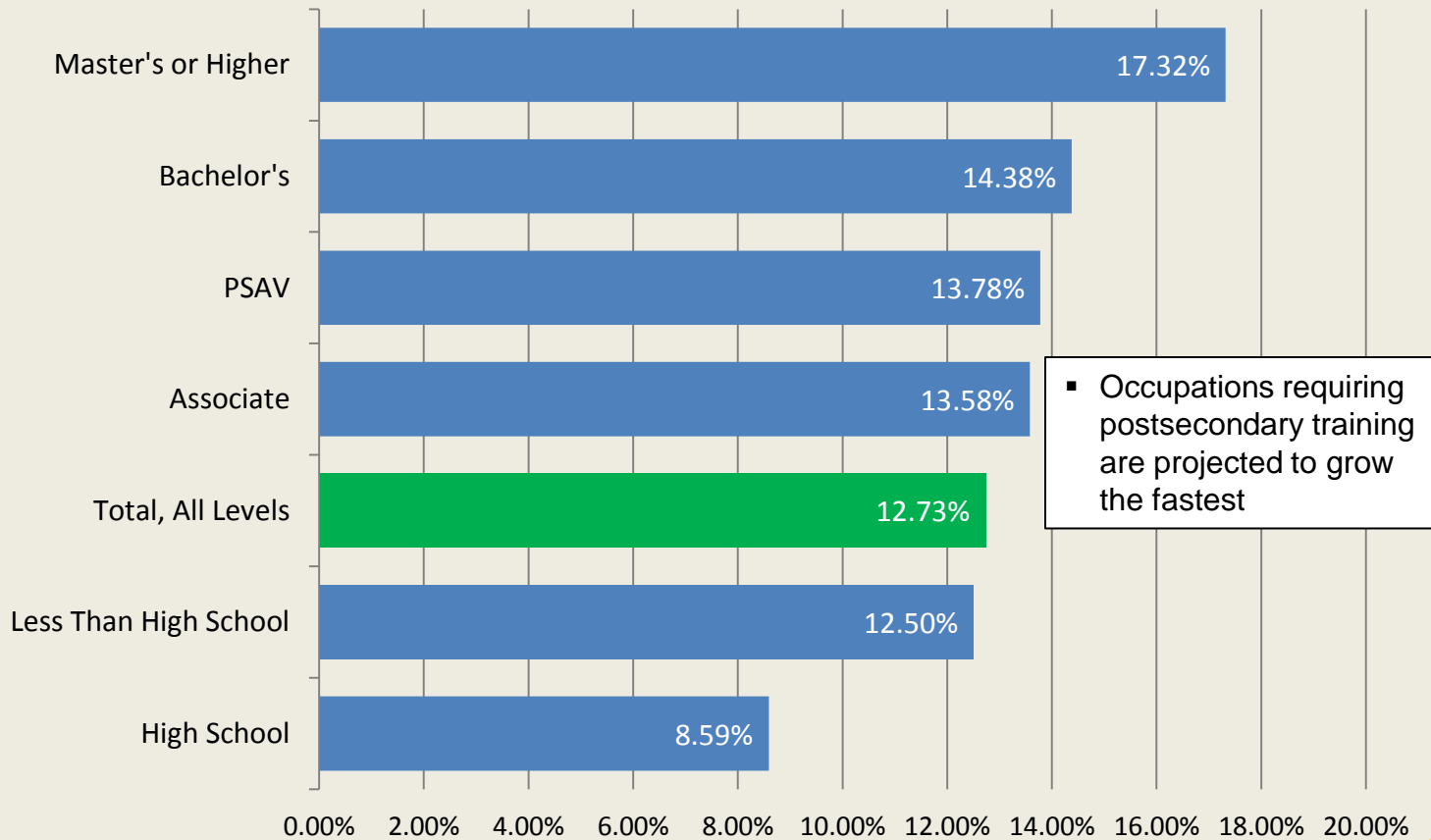
Return on Investment

- Improvement in basic and functional literacy for Florida's workforce
 - Increase in wages over time
 - Decreased reliance on public assistance programs
- Higher education levels for Florida through attainment of adult high school diplomas or high school equivalency diplomas
- Access to higher education opportunities for state recognized diploma holders

Career Pathways: The Goal of Adult Education



New Jobs by Training Level Percent Change in Employment Florida, 2015-2023



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Chart created by the Florida
Department of Economic Opportunity

Program Alumni Speakers

Christina Blankenship

**Sealey Elementary
Teacher**

Matt McHaffie

**GBGH Construction
Owner**

Panelists

Jeffrey Arnott

Brevard County Schools

Art Hoelke

Knight's Armament Company

Sherry Joseph-Dutton

Miami-Dade College

**Florida's Integrated Career and Academic Preparation System (FICAPS)
2015-16 Funded Projects**

Agency	FICAPS Site	Focus Area	Amount
Baker School District	Bridges to Independence	Patient Care Tech Certificate	\$ 25,000
Brevard School District	Brevard Public Schools Office of Adult and Community Education	Manufacturing	\$ 25,000
Hillsborough School District	The School Board of Hillsborough County	Certification Program	\$ 25,000
Lake School District	Lake Technical College	Construction	\$ 25,000
Miami-Dade College	Integrated Basic Education and Skills Training	Construction / Health Tech / Business	\$ 25,000
Monroe School District	Monroe County Career Pathway Advisory Committee	Certification Program	\$ 25,000
Santa Fe Community College	Pathways to a Brighter Future	CNA Construction	\$ 25,000
South Florida Community College	Panther Tech	Business & Comp Sci / Manufacturing & Industrial Tech	\$ 25,000
TOTAL			\$ 200,000

FLORIDA ADULT AND TECHNICAL DISTANCE EDUCATION CONSORTIUM (FATDEC) MEMBERS

A group of public schools, school districts, and community colleges working together to deliver curriculum in a web-based environment for adult education and career technical programs in Florida's postsecondary public institutions.

Baker County Public Schools, serving Baker County
Brevard County Public Schools, serving Brevard County
Broward County Public Schools, serving Broward County
Calhoun County Adult School, serving Calhoun County
College of Central Florida (CF), serving Levy County
Citrus County Public Schools, serving Citrus County
Desoto County Public Schools, serving Desoto County
First Coast Technical College (FCTC), serving St. Johns County
Flagler County Public Schools, serving Flagler County
George Stone Technical Center, serving Escambia County
Hernando County Public Schools, serving Hernando County
Hillsborough County Public Schools, serving Hillsborough County
Indian River State College (IRSC), serving Martin, St. Lucie, Indian River, and Okeechobee Counties
Lee County Public Schools, serving Lee County
Manatee Technical Center, serving Manatee County
Monroe County Public Schools, serving Monroe County
Nassau County Public Schools, serving Nassau County
Orange County Public Schools, serving Orange County
Palm Beach Public Schools, serving Palm Beach County
Pasco County Public Schools, serving Pasco County
Pinellas County Public Schools, serving Pinellas County
Polk County Technical Center, serving Polk County
Santa Fe State College, serving Alachua County
Santa Rosa County Public Schools, serving Santa Rosa County
Sarasota County Technical Institute, serving Sarasota County
Seminole State College (SSC), serving Seminole County
South Florida State College (SFSC), serving Highlands County
St. Johns River State College (SJRSC), serving Putnam County
Tallahassee Community College, serving Leon County
Washington-Holmes Technical Center, serving Washington and Holmes Counties