

Foothills Adult & Continuing Education Program Profile for 2009

Program Information

Program/District: Education Connection	Director: Anthony Sebastiano
Cooperating Districts: BARKHAMSTED, COLEBROOK, HARTLAND, LITCHFIELD, NEW HARTFORD, NORFOLK, PLYMOUTH, REG DIST #1, REG DIST #14, REG DIST #15, REG DIST #6, REG DIST #7, SHERMAN, THOMASTON, TORRINGTON, WINCHESTER	
Total Grant Funds State / Local : \$867,654 Federal : \$310,000	Number of Program Sites : 18

Community Needs

Number (Percent) of Adult Population, 18 or older, without a high school diploma :	17296	(14.28%)
Number (Percent) of Adult Population, 18 or older, who do not speak English well :	1179	(0.97%)

Program Enrollment and Student Demographics

Program Area	Total Instructional Hours Offered	New Students	Returning Students	Total Students	Total Enrollments
Adult Basic Education (ABE) / General Educational Development (GED) Preparation	1,298	108	32	140	255
Citizenship	234	11	3	14	34
English as a Second Language (ESL)	1,203	82	97	179	307
Adult High School Credit Diploma Program	2,390	40	24	64	244
National External Diploma Program	450	13	12	25	65
Total:	5,575	254	168	422	905

Note - 'Total Enrollments' represents all the enrollments, regardless of program area, for students classified in the reported program area.

Age	Females	Males	Total
16 - 18	41	34	75
19 - 21	21	29	50
22 - 24	13	18	31
25 - 44	122	65	187
45 - 59	51	17	68
60+	6	5	11
Total:	254	168	422

Ethnicity	Females	Males	Total
American Indian/Alaskan Native	2	0	2
Asian	20	13	33
Black-African American	16	7	23
Black-Non African American	3	1	4
Hispanic/Latino	98	59	157
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1	0	1
White	114	88	202
Total:	254	168	422

Student Characteristics at Entry

Entry Status	Number
Employed	227
Unemployed - Seeking Employment	129
Unemployed - Not Seeking Employment	66
On Public Assistance	13
Homeless	0
Immigrant	17
With a Disability	9
Even Start	0
Parent of Child(ren)	
5 years of age or younger	72
6 to 10 years of age	52
11 to 18 years of age	62

Goals/Reasons For Enrollment	Number
Enter Employment	48
Retain Employment	78
Earn a Diploma	85
Enter Postsecondary	25
Improve Basic Skills	270
Progress Towards Diploma	116
Enhance Family Literacy	37
Earn Citizenship	19
Vote	12
Use Community Services	409
Enter Military	1
Court Ordered	1
Required for Public Assistance	2

Student Performance by Program Area

Adult Basic Education (ABE)/General Educational Development (GED) Preparation

Performance of Students Retained for at least 12 hours and with a Pre-Test

Educational Functioning Level at Entry	Number of Students	Mean Hours Attended	% of Available Instruction Used	% with at least One Matched Pair	% Making Gains	% Completing Level	% with at least One Achievement
Beginning Literacy	12	47	73.35%	91.67%	66.67%	75.00%	100.00%
Beginning	21	43	64.28%	90.48%	57.14%	85.71%	100.00%
Low Intermediate	14	33	47.78%	71.43%	57.14%	71.43%	100.00%
High Intermediate	40	36	59.95%	97.50%	52.50%	40.00%	100.00%
Low ASE	13	27	47.96%	92.31%	76.92%	69.23%	100.00%
High ASE	6	29	80.45%	83.33%	0.00%	50.00%	100.00%
Total:	106	37	60.01%	90.57%	55.66%	61.32%	100.00%

English as a Second Language and Citizenship

Performance of Students Retained for at least 12 hours and with a Pre-Test

Educational Functioning Level at Entry	Number of Students	Mean Hours Attended	% of Available Instruction Used	% with at least One Matched Pair	% Making Gains	% Completing Level	% with at least One Achievement
Beginning Literacy	10	35	47.58%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
Low Beginning	30	46	52.83%	93.33%	73.33%	66.67%	100.00%
High Beginning	36	49	52.76%	94.44%	80.56%	77.78%	100.00%
Low Intermediate	56	49	57.60%	85.71%	58.93%	62.50%	98.21%
High Intermediate	22	46	60.74%	81.82%	59.09%	54.55%	100.00%
Advanced	23	37	56.09%	91.30%	21.74%	8.70%	95.65%
Total:	177	46	55.35%	89.83%	63.28%	60.45%	98.87%

Adult High School Credit Diploma Program

Performance of Students Retained for at least 12 hours

Educational Functioning Level at Entry	Number of Students	Mean Hours Attended	% of Available Instruction Used	% Earning at Least 4 Credits	% Completing Level
Students with < 11 credits	15	193	67.57%	40.00%	0.00%
Students with 11 or more credits	49	123	80.00%	24.49%	44.90%
Total:	64	140	75.50%	28.13%	34.38%

National External Diploma Program

Performance of Students Retained for at least 12 hours

Educational Functioning Level at Entry	Number of Students	Mean Hours Attended	% Completing at least 3 Tasks	% Completing Level
High ASE	25	28	92.00%	64.00%
Total:	25	28	92.00%	64.00%

Supplemental Information

Percent Functioning Below Intermediate Level at Entry

	Reading	Math
Adult Basic Education	55%	81%
	Listening	Reading
English as a Second Language	42%	97%

Percent Functioning Below Adult Secondary Level at Entry

	Reading	Math
Adult High School Credit Diploma Program	27%	86%
National External Diploma Program	20%	88%
General Educational Development	44%	94%

Retention Summary

Program Area	Attendance	Students	Students with Pre Test
ABE/GED (Combines ABE and GED)	1+ Hours	233 (100%)	170 (73%)
	12+ Hours	140 (60%)	106 (76%)
ESL (Combines ESL and Citizenship)	1+ Hours	262 (100%)	199 (76%)
	12+ Hours	193 (74%)	178 (92%)
Credit Diploma Program	1+ Hours	71 (100%)	N/A
	12+ Hours	64 (90%)	N/A
National External Diploma Program	1+ Hours	40 (100%)	N/A
	12+ Hours	25 (63%)	N/A

State Goal for Students with Pre test and 12 Hours is 90%.

Performance by Skill Area

	Students with Pre and Post Test Scores	% Making Gains
Reading	72	50%
Math	70	57%
Writing	30	100%
Listening	154	69%

Total CDP Credits Awarded (CDP Programs Only)

	Classroom	Curriculum Packet	Independent Study	Documentation Credit	Total
English	51.00	3.50			54.50
Math	21.50	5.00			26.50
Science	0.00	1.00			1.00
Social Studies - Civics	14.00	1.00			15.00
Social Studies - US History	16.00				16.00
Social Studies - Other	4.50				4.50
Voc Ed / Art	8.00	6.00		2.00	16.00
Electives	17.50			4.00	21.50
Total:	132.50	16.50		6.00	155.00

Staff Information

Program Area	Number of Staff
Citizenship	2
ABE	7
ESL	10
GED	11
CDP	25
NEDP	7
Counselors	6

GED Test Summary

	Taking Entire Test	Passed	Passed with Honors	No Show	Failed	Incomplete
Prepared in Foothills Adult & Continuing Education	46	21	2	13	23	5
Total:	46	21	2	13	23	5

Total Diplomas Awarded

Hours Attended	Credit Diploma	External Diploma	CT GED	Provider Reported GED
Under 12	0	1	7	0
12 or More	22	21	23	0
Total:	22	22	30	0

Data Date :
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Filters Used :
Hours of Attendance : (12PLUS) High School Code : (ALL) City of Residence : (ALL)

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