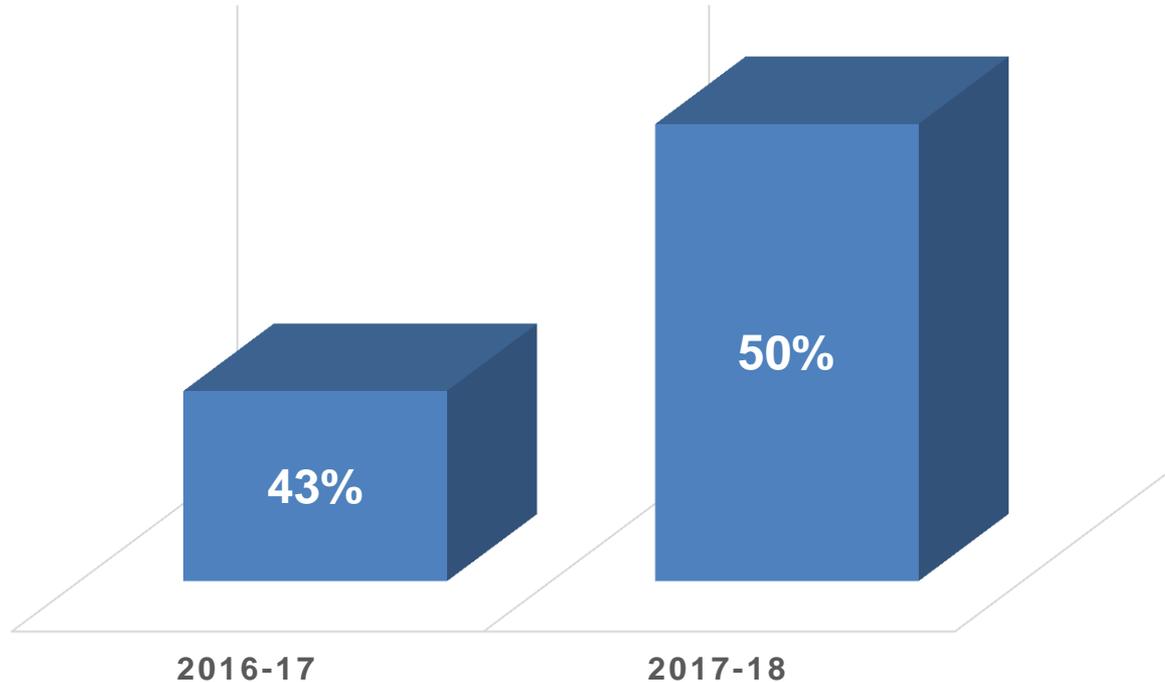


Adult Education WIOA Implementation Status Update

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Performance

Measureable Skill Gains



**Highest recorded percentage for skills gain
in recorded history...**

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Evaluation

Office of Career, Technical and Adult Education (OCTAE) conducted a technical assistance visit June 25-28, 2018.

No Findings

Many thanks to our partners

SNAP E&T

- Adult Education currently serves as a provider of services to SNAP recipients in 58 counties
- First state to offer VR case management – Currently, 4 Adult Education programs are piloting the program.

Entrepreneurship Training

- Received a \$125,000 Rural Business Development Grant (RBDG) from USDA to support an Entrepreneurship online program through UA-Pulaski Technical College and NorthWest Arkansas Community College
- Grant provides:
 - Free Tuition, Books and Fees related to courses for up to 25 students enrolled in Entrepreneurship classes.
 - Workshops by the Arkansas Small Business and Technology Department Center (ASBTDC)

Policies

Proposed changes to Adult Education Program Policies include:

- Addition of a Policy concerning Civics Test Requirement
- Policies indicating score requirements updated due to the for the TABE 11/12
- Updating requirements for Adult Education Director

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