

Executive Summary

Prepared for Board of Trustees Meeting

October 25, 2016

Adult Education and Literacy Program Update

Board Goal: (Identify the Board Goal this agenda item relates to)

Adult Education and Literacy Programs at Denton ISD.

Purpose of Report (A **brief** statement of the purpose or intent of the programs or activity for which the report is written)

To update the Board about new initiatives regarding Adult Education and Literacy Programs at Denton ISD.

Objectives (One sentence, bulleted statements of the objectives of the programs or activity for which the report is written)

- Key provisions of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity ACT (WIOA)
- Program service delivery areas
- Program performance
- Program goals
- Vision and strategies for the future
- Role and impact of adult education and literacy

Operational Impact (Include facts and figures as to personnel needs, budget impact, facilities impact, and time frame, commitment(s) required from the District, etc. Report “bottom line” in this section.)

Grant Funded (Indirect and Admin Cost)

- Facility usage
- Utilities
- Technology
- Human Resources
- Accounting

Results (A brief summary of what the program or activity for which the report is written can be expected to accomplish. Discuss the advantages *and* disadvantages of the proposal. Include in the report (but not in this summary) any evaluative data which may help illustrate program status or progress.)

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Provision of quality and effective literacy program means:

- Participating parents can help their children with homework, communicate with their child's teacher and improve their employment opportunities
- Delivering on-site literacy instruction at forward thinking businesses resulting in improved safety, productivity and retention
- Assisting eligible adult learners with basic literacy skills and technology to lift themselves out of poverty
- Make our economy grow and develop (Rise in in literacy scores (1%) leads to rise in productivity (2.5%) and rise in GDP (1.5%))
- More educated and skilled workforce
- Reduced health care costs
- Reduced incidents of violence and recidivism
- Active participation in the community and civil society
- Support and respect people with different cultural beliefs and abilities

Other Options (List all other options that are available for the Board to consider.)