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Youth Employment Project (YEP) 2024 Update

Analysis:

YEP 2024 goals and Year-to-Date measures as of 4/1/2024 are below:

•••	2024	2024	2023	2022
Measure	Actual	Goal	Actual	Actual
Total Young Adults Served	4091	6000	5,732	3,583
Workshop Participation	240	1000	858	913
Badges Awarded	477	2000	1,545	2,151
ESC Certificates Earned	240	800	515	717
Total Employment	246	2,500	2,392	2,261
Camp HYPE Participation	TBD	200	164	92
Employer Engagement	199	450	435	244
Job Fairs	13	25	20	11
Wages Paid	TBD	\$3,500,000	\$3,444,480	\$2,913,120
Job Fair Attendance by Young Adults	1,748	3,000	2,653	1,833
Job Fair Attendance by Employers	205	250	248	207
Events (Outreach, Job Fair, Workshop)	105	150	115	42
Schools and Districts Engagement	24 schools in	30 schools	27 schools	20 schools
Schools and Districts Engagement	15 districts	16 districts	16 districts	14 districts
Counties Engaged	7	6	6	6
WIOA Referrals	11	50	30	N/A

2024 YEP Employment Outcomes

Employment Type	Total
WIOA	TDB
YEP Employer Funded	243
YEP Subsidized	TBD
Youth Self-Reported	3
Total	246

Employer Engagement

The WA rolled out the Easy as Pie campaign and Employer Survey to encourage employers to host high school interns. Meetings were held on March 13 (zoom) and March 30 (in person) to assist employers with developing internships. The survey is can be found at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/YEPEmployerForm











The Workforce Alliance will assist your company to develop a high school internship program through the Youth Employment Project. In partnership with local schools and teachers, YEP provides pre-employment soft skill and workplace etiquette training for students before the internship begins, can assist with promotion, screening, and hiring of interns.

Get your piece of the pie at: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/YEPEmployerForm



To date, 37 employer inquiries have been received to date from the Easy As Pie outreach efforts.

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Upcoming YEP Events

Date	Event
04/09/2024	Southeast Senior tour days
04/10/2024	El Dorado Middle School Presentation
04/10/2024	Chaparral Career Fair
04/13/2024	Internship Interview Day Part 2
04/16/2024	USD 259 Senior Job Fair
04/17/2024	Virtual Reality El Dorado High School
04/17/2024	Butler County ESC workshop
04/18/2024	Wellington High school Career Day
04/24/2024	West High Job Fair
05/09/2024	Summer Student Job Fair
05/21/2024	Curtis Middle School Career Day

Camp HYPE Schedule and Registration Updates

Date	Camp HYPE Session	Location	Registration
6/3- 6/6/2024	Sumner County	Sumner County	0
06/10-06/13/2024	Wichita Crime Commission Public Safety	Wichita WFC	0
06/17-06/20/2024	Via Christi	Urban League	0
06/24-06/27/2024	Trade Skills	Wichita WFC	12
07/08-07/11/2024	FlagshipKansas.Tech Technology	Groover Labs	0
07/15-07/18/2024	Spirit	Wichita WFC	11
07/22-07/25/2024	Bombardier	Wichita WFC	0
07/29-08/1/2024	Textron Aviation	Wichita WFC	7
08/05-08/08/2024	McConnell	McConnell	0

Recommended Action

Receive and file.