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Northwest Georgia
In-School and
Out-of-School Youth
Program





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What is WIOA?

WIOA is a federally funded program that prepares eligible In-School and Out-of-School Youth for entry or re-entry into the workforce through work experience and/or Post-Secondary Training. The program seeks to increase the graduation rate, guarantee employment, earnings of participants, and enhance the productivity of the student by reducing unemployment and increasing the quality of the workforce.

(All services and programs are subject to availability of WIOA funds and eligibility of applicant.)

Who can apply for WIOA?

Anyone!!

Basic Eligibility Youth Requirements

In-School Youth

- Attending school AND
- Be aged 14 to 21 AND
- A resident of the 15-county Northwest Georgia service area (see map) AND
- Low Income (or receiving free or reduced lunch, living in low poverty area) AND
- Have a barrier (basic skills deficient, homeless, foster care, disabled, pregnant or parenting, an offender

Out-of-School Youth

- Not attending school or a Dropout AND
- Be aged 16 to 24 AND
- Within age of compulsory school attendance but has not attended school for at least the most recent complete school year calendar quarter OR
- Recipient of a secondary school diploma, must be low income, and basic skills deficient and in need of additional services OR
- Have a barrier (homeless, runaway, foster care, pregnant or parenting, disabled or an offender (regardless of income)

WIOA Youth Providers for the 15-County Area:

Chattooga County Board of Education Cindy Martin – 706.936.6865

Rome City Schools
Dwight Henderson – 706.853.1816

Endless Opportunities, Inc. (Catoosa, Gordon, Murray, Whitfield)

Chris Johnson - 706.275.0545

Georgia Northwestern Technical College (Catoosa, Chattooga, Dade, Floyd, Walker) Vince Stalling – 706.764.3726; Tammy Pence – 706.764.3725

Eckerd Connects | Paxen (Bartow, Haralson, Paulding, Polk) Courtney Rouse – 470.274.5231

For More Information about Training and Training Offered in Your Area, Contact One of the Above Youth Providers in the 15-County Northwest Georgia Area.

For Your Assessment Needs, Email Terri Morgan, tmorgan@nwgrc.org, to Schedule the Mobile Career Unit



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