

WIOA YOUTH PROGRAM ELEMENTS & SERVICES

Provider: Little Rock Local Workforce Development Board & WIOA Core & Non-Mandatory Partners
 Agreement: Little Rock Local Area MOU & Partner Collaborations

Element	Providers/Partners/Resources
1. Tutoring, study skills training and evidence-based dropout prevention strategies	<p>Little Rock School District (Larry Schleicher; larry.schleicher@lrzd.org; 501-447-1854)</p> <p>Pulaski County Special School District (Carolyn Scales; cscscales2380@pcssd.org; 501-320-1724)</p> <p>Goodwill Excel (Becky Lockett; blockett@excelcenterar.org; 501-372-5100 x1169)</p> <p>TABE Academy™:/ GED®, HISET, and TASC Academies https://rescare.csod.com/</p>
2. Alternative secondary school offerings.	<p>Little Rock School District (Larry Schleicher; larry.schleicher@lrzd.org; 501-447-1854)</p> <p>Pulaski County Special School District (Carolyn Scales; cscscales2380@pcssd.org; 501-320-1724)</p> <p>Goodwill Excel (Becky Lockett; blockett@excelcenterar.org; 501-372-5100 x1169)</p>
3. Paid and unpaid work experience	<p>Equus Workforce Solutions Rani Cooksey; rani.cooksey@arkansas.gov; 501-682-0838</p>
4. Occupational skill training	<p>Diesel Driving Academy (Rakena Turner; rakena.turner@DDA.edu; 501-945-0964)</p> <p>Worldlink Trucking (Jimmie Weathersby; jrene@worldlinktda.com; 870-664-7264)</p> <p>R&L Healthcare (Lasondra McDowell; Lasondramcdowell@yahoo.com; 501-562-1029)</p> <p>Arkansas College of Health Careers (Shelia Bostic; Bostic.sr@achc.us; 501-319-7573)</p>
5. Education Offered Concurrently with Workforce Preparation	<p>Little Rock School District (Larry Schleicher; larry.schleicher@lrzd.org; 501-447-1854)</p> <p>Pulaski County Special School District (Carolyn Scales; cscscales2380@pcssd.org; 501-320-1724)</p> <p>Goodwill Excel (Becky Lockett; blockett@excelcenterar.org; 501-372-5100 x1169)</p> <p>Equus Workforce Solutions (Bernita Jones; Bernita.jones@arkansas.gov; 501-682-0228)</p>
6. Leadership development opportunities	<p>The Academy/ Computer Essentials https://rescare.csod.com/</p> <p>Just Communities of AR (Donald Wood; dwood@justcommunities.org; 501-372-5129)</p> <p>UALR TRIO Program (Howard Jackson; hjackson@ualr.edu; 501-907-2470)</p> <p>AR Foodbank (Connie Bledsoe; 501-565-8121)</p> <p>Equus Workforce Solutions (Bernita Jones; Bernita.jones@arkansas.gov; 501-682-0228)</p>
7. Supportive Services	<p>TANF (Earnest Merritt; Earnest.Merritt@arkansas.gov; 501-320-3027)</p> <p>CADC (Neta Davis; ndavis@cadc.com; 501-603-0909)</p> <p>Doublebees Exxon (Sandra Marlin; rsmarlin@doublebees.com)</p>
8. Adult mentoring	<p>Rock Region Metro (Becca Green; 501-375-6717)</p> <p>Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Pulaski County (Auna Mcfadden; 501-374-6661)</p> <p>Pulaski County Sheriffs Department (Sgt. Willie Davis; 501-580-2169)</p> <p>Teen MOPS (Mosaic Church) (Jan Jeffrey; 501-837-7334)</p> <p>GEMS (City of LR) (Takeisha Fifer tfifer@littlerock.gov; 501-414-7771)</p> <p>Pettus Foundation (Kris Pettus) pettushelpinghand@gmail.com</p>
9. Follow-up Services	<p>Equus Workforce Solutions Rani Cooksey; rani.cooksey@arkansas.gov; 501-682-0838</p>
10. Comprehensive guidance and counseling	<p>Immerse Arkansas (Kaysi Roussel; kroussel@immersearkansas.org; 501-404-9890 x716)</p> <p>Department of Human Services (SW) (Felecia Lovelace-Alexander; 501-371-1100)</p>

<p>11. Financial Literacy Education</p>	<p>The Academy/Money Essentials https://rescare.csod.com/ CADC (Neta Davis; ndavis@cadc.com; 501-603-0909) First Security Back (Andrea Lewis; andrea.lewis@fsbank.com; 501-280-3540)</p>
<p>12. Entrepreneurial skills training</p>	<p>The Academy/ Entrepreneur Skills https://rescare.csod.com/ City of Little Rock Venture Center (Ashley Jones; founders@venturecenter.com; 501-404-9875) Arkansas Regional Innovation Hub (info.arhub.org; 501-907-6570) Little Rock Chamber Small Business (Matthew Bellew; mbellew@littlerockchamber.com; 501-377-6014) UALR (http://ualr.edu/financialaid; 501-569-3035)</p>
<p>13. Services that provide labor market and employment information about in-demand industry sectors and occupations.</p>	<p>Department of Workforce Services (Dollie Fountain; dollie.fountain@arkansas.gov; 501-682-6279) UALR (http://ualr.edu/financialaid; 501-569-3035) Pulaski Technical College (Zack Fry; https://www/uaptc.edu; 501-812-2395) Job Corps (Andrea Wynne; wynne.andrea@jobcorps.org; 501-618-2528)</p>
<p>14. Postsecondary Preparation and Transition Activities</p>	<p>UALR (http://ualr.edu/financialaid; 501-569-3035) Pulaski Technical College (Zack Fry; https://www/uaptc.edu; 501-812-2395) Job Corps (Andrea Wynne; wynne.andrea@jobcorps.org; 501-618-2528) Military (Staff Sergeant Johnson; Charles.f.johnson253.mill@mill.mill; 870-665-1281) Arkansas Construction Education Foundation (Kathy Fulks; kathy@myacef.org; 501-372-1590)</p>