# Indicator 14: Post School Outcomes

Overview of PEA requirements for the 2023 Data Collection Season

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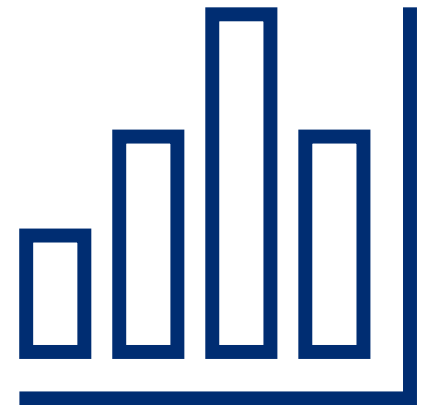Percentage of youths who are no longer in secondary school, had IEPs in effect at the time they graduated, dropped out, or aged out, and were:

- enrolled in higher education,
- competitively employed,
- enrolled in postsecondary education or training, or
- in some other employment

within one year of leaving high school.

(20 U.S.C. 1416(a)(3)(B))

**Exceptional Student Services**

# PSO Survey Protocol

- Survey is given June 1– September 30 every year
- 15 questions with skip logic
- Three sections:
  - Postsecondary Education/Training
  - Employment
  - Optional question used to measure the impact of a major event on postsecondary engagement (i.e., COVID-19-related policies)

Postsecondary Education/ Training

1. In the 12 months after leaving high school, were you ever enrolled in any type of school, job training, or education program?

   ☐ No ➡ Go to question 4

   ☐ Yes ➡ Go to questions 2 & 3

   ☐ No Answer

2. Did you complete an entire term? [NOTE: Term is individualized to the institution. This can be any complete term including quarter, semester, intersession, summer, or online. This could be an entire course.]

   ☐ No

   ☐ Yes

   ☐ No Answer

3. Describe the kind of school or job training program in which you were enrolled. [NOTE: Military service is considered employment.] (CHECK ONE OPTION)

   ☐ High school completion program (e.g., Adult Basic Education, GED)

   ☐ Short-term education or employment training program (e.g., WIOA Programs, Job Corps)

   ☐ Vocational, technical, trade school

   ☐ 2- or 4-year college or university

   ☐ Religious or church sponsored mission.

   ☐ Other (Specify): _____

   ☐ No Answer

# PSO Application

PSO survey responses **must** be collected in the PSO Application, an online tool found on the ESS Portal of ADEConnect.

Who can respond?
- The eligible former student
- A parent/caregiver or other family member
- A state agency representative

Visit ADEConnect to open the PSO Application:
https://adeconnect.azed.gov/

# Arizona's 2023 PSO Survey Progress

**60.10%** Response Rate, **80%** Statewide Response Rate Goal

**6,014 out of 10,003** eligible former students have responded to the PSO Survey

**303 PEAs** are required to survey former students

**168 PEAs have incomplete PSO requirements**

# PEA Next Steps

**Before 11:59 p.m. on September 30, 2023:**

- Review your school's student list in the PSO Application to ensure the requirements are complete.

- Set an individualized deadline based on the level of your requirements.

- Make one final push to reach uncontacted students before the surveys are due.

**Reminder: Survey responses must be input into the PSO Application to count.**

# Secondary Transition Team Role

**What you can expect from us this season:**

1. Targeted outreach and support

2. Technical assistance opportunities (PSO Office Hours)

3. PSO-related listserv updates

4. PEA Celebrations

5. Postseason PEA Staff Survey and Focus Group

# Office Hours

Join us for our last office hour of the season:

- Tuesday, September 26, 2023, 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

- To join the live meeting, visit https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88447149452

# Important Resources

PSO Website:

- Key help documents
- Professional learning opportunities and recordings
- Resource hub
- Statewide Indicator 14 results
- PEA Celebrations

Visit the PSO Website:

# Contact Us

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