

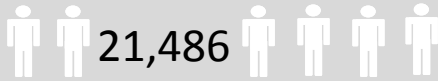
Building an Educated Workforce in Haralson County

2017 Impact Report: Learning Always Means Progress (LAMP), Inc.

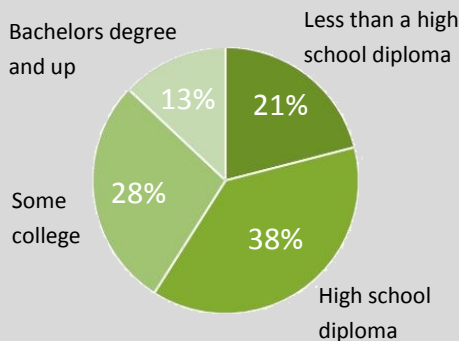
Quick Look: Haralson County



Population: Adults 18+



Educational Attainment: Adults 18+



Since Haralson County LAMP's establishment in 2000, the percentage of adults without a high school diploma has decreased from

37% to 21%

GED Credentials Earned



In 2017, a total of 20 Haralson County residents earned their GED credential

Jobs in Georgia



By 2024, 90% of the fastest growing jobs in Georgia will require at least a high school diploma or equivalent (such as the GED credential).

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, 2011–2015 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates; 2000 U.S. Census; Georgia GED Testing Program; Georgia Department of Labor; Haralson County LAMP Annual Report, 2017.

Haralson County Learning Always Means Progress (LAMP) is a non-profit organization committed to furthering education in Haralson County. In the past year, our focus has been on high school attendance and scholarship support for GED students. We believe that by motivating students to attend and graduate high school, and by assisting adults without a high school diploma to earn their GED credential, we can build a brighter future for Haralson County's families and workforce.



2017 Funding:

Local money at work

Funding Sources

Grants: \$6,000
Contributions: \$2,000
Foundations: \$4,000
In-Kind value: \$6,000

Funding Raised
for FY 2017:
\$18,000

5-year
Impact

Total funding and
in-kind value raised
2013–2017:

\$81,194



2017 Scholarships:

Opening the door to opportunity

\$2,000
in scholarship
funding



5
scholarships
awarded

5-year
Impact

Scholarship
funding raised
2013–2017:

\$8,920



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2017 Programs and Services:

Investing in current and future students

In 2017, Haralson County LAMP awarded cash prizes to Haralson County High School students as part of its stay in school program. To qualify for the prize drawing, students must have no disciplinary issues, tardies, or unexcused absences. Cash prizes in various amounts were given to students of each class level, the largest being \$2,000 awarded to a senior student.

5
stay in school
prizes
awarded

\$3,300

in funding



2017 Events and Marketing:

Spreading the word

In 2017, LAMP hosted 2 literacy awareness events and presented to 3 civic and community groups.

During 2017, LAMP also published 2 articles, ran 5 radio PSAs and participated in 5 interviews.

Participated in
5
Community
Outreach Events



Generated
12
Media
Items



2017 Partners:

Building a network of support

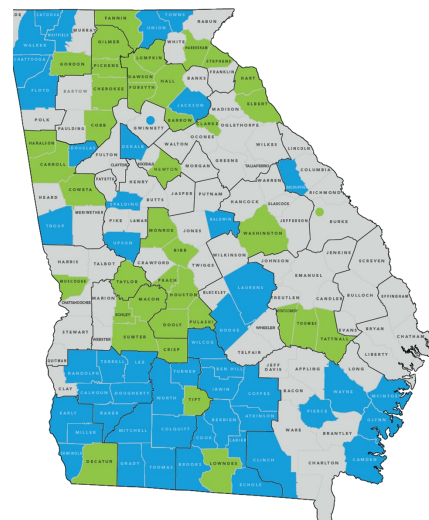
- Bremen City Schools
- Bremen Rotary Club
- Haralson County Schools
- Tallapoosa Lions Club
- United Methodist Men

2017 Board Members:

- G.W. Rogers Chairman
- Lynn Clarke Treasurer
- Brian Krasielwicz Secretary
- Kathy Yates Board Member
- Ruth Kennedy Board Member
- Barbara Tipton Board Member
- Walter Hatchett Executive Director

A Member of the Certified Literate Community Program

Haralson County LAMP is a member of the Certified Literate Community Program (CLCP). This network of 87 counties across Georgia engages local solutions for local communities in the effort to increase Adult and Family Literacy state-wide.



Certified Literate Communities 39 Counties / 1 City
Certified Literate Community Participants 48 Counties / 1 City

To learn more, visit www.CLCPga.org