

Literacy Services of Wisconsin (LSW) continues to think courageously about how we best meet our adult students where they are academically and physically. Over the 2021-22 fiscal year, LSW focused on system-impacted students by expanding educational programming to those who are justice-involved. As part of this initiative, LSW opened a new learning center onsite at the Milwaukee County Jail. LSW has worked with system-impacted students for decades. We are now being more intentional and considering more ways that we can reduce recidivism. While education is only one barrier to reentry, we believe that by involving new partners who are committed to innovation within correctional settings, we can do better and create a lasting impact in southeast Wisconsin.

As we reach the other side of the pandemic, it is clear hybrid learning is here to stay. LSW is currently offering 60% of programming virtually and the other 40% is spread throughout our eight locations. Programming is driven by student need. We acknowledge that no two students follow the exact same path to the successful completion of their academic goals. We owe it to our students as individuals to actively ensure that we are operating within an aligned network of like-minded organizations to break down barriers and holistically approach adult education.

Literacy Services creates pathways between each step of our students' academic journeys toward reaching their goals. Our program areas of Adult Education, English Language Learning, and GED / HSED Certification are offered in a variety of formats: online learning, one-on-one tutoring, small group instruction, classroom instruction, and workshops.

LSW's eight locations throughout southeastern Wisconsin are in the neighborhoods where our students live and work:



Downtown Center



Kosciuszko Community Center



North Division High School



Milwaukee County Jail



South Division High School



Silver Spring Neighborhood Center



Waukesha Center



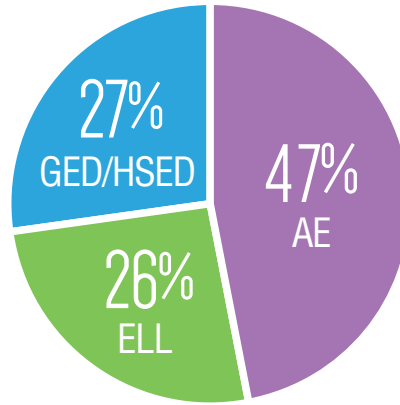
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STUDENTS & VOLUNTEERS



Enrollment by Program



- Adult Education (AE)
- GED/HSED
- English Language Learning (ELL)

928
Total Students

53,694
Total Student Hours

42,738
Total Virtual Hours

80% Virtual Hours
of Total Hours

151
GED/HSED Grads

49%
Students Are Parents

61 Countries
Represented in ELL

16
Citizenship Tests Passed

339
Total Volunteers

11,711
Volunteer Hours

\$385,333
Volunteer Value



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