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**Kansas WorkforceONE**

**– Youth Program**



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## “It’s all about **YOU**th.”

- Youth Vision exists to help Local Area I In-School and Out-of-School youth obtain and maintain meaningful employment through
  - Academic Learning,
  - Occupational Skills Training,
  - Career Exploration, and
  - Leadership Opportunities.

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- Youth Services include:
  - Study Skills Training
  - Tutoring
  - Paid and Unpaid Work Experience
  - Counseling (Career & Behavioral)
  - Occupational Skills Training
  - Mentoring
  - Leadership
  - Alternative Secondary School / GED
  - Supportive Services



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- Youth Eligibility
  - Age – 14 through 21
  - Low Income, plus one
    - Basic Skills Deficient
    - School Dropout
    - Homeless, Runaway or Foster Child
    - Disabled
    - Pregnant and/or parenting
    - Offender



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- Eligibility Continued
  - Requires additional assistance to complete education, must meet one -
    - Previously Dropped Out
    - Poor school attendance
    - Has below average grades
  - Requires additional assistance to secure and retain employment, must meet one -
    - Poor or No Work History
    - No vocational goals
    - Has been fired in last 6 months



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- **Create an Individualized Plan – What is the Youth’s Vision?**
  - Education
  - Work Experience
  - Employability
  - Occupational Skills
  - Career Interest
  - Aptitudes
  - Family Structure & Support



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### **Plan based on...**

- Education Needs
  - Tutoring
  - Study Skills Training
  - Dropout Prevention
  - Alternative Secondary School

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### **Plan based on...**

- Training Needs
  - On-the-Job Training
  - Occupational Skills Training
  - Customized Training
  - Apprenticeship Training

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### **Plan based on...**

- Employment Needs
  - Interest and Aptitudes
  - Career Exploration
  - Paid and Unpaid Work Experiences
  - Long-Term Goals for Employment
  - Job Shadows
  - Apprenticeships



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### **Plan based on...**

- Family Structure Support
  - Adult & Peer Mentoring
  - Activities
  - Mental Health, Drug, And Alcohol Abuse Counseling
  - Leadership Opportunities

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## **Completion of Plan results in...**

- Obtaining and Maintaining  
Meaningful Full-time  
Employment

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- Program Performance
  - Literacy/Numeracy Gains for Out-of-School Youth
  - Attainment of Degree or Certificate
  - Placement in Employment and/or Education

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