

## Impact on your Community

- A parent's educational level is the chief indicator of whether or not a child will grow up in poverty.
- Every dollar invested in adult literacy yields \$7.14 in return.
- Adult literacy programs help students gain the skills they need to get and keep jobs.
- Literacy programs help adults make significant inroads in their quest for financial independence and stability.
- As people gain literacy skills, they are more likely to understand their health problems, find appropriate medical care, and correctly follow treatment.
- Every dollar spent on correctional education pays back at least two dollars.
- When adults improve their literacy skills, their children are more likely to be healthier, stay in school, and become employed; they're also less likely to feel socially alienated or become pregnant as a teen.



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READING CONNECTIONS  
2013-2014 IMPACT REPORT

# Making Connections

that impact our community.



Celebrating 25 years of service



How will you make a connection  
that impacts our community?

# 41%

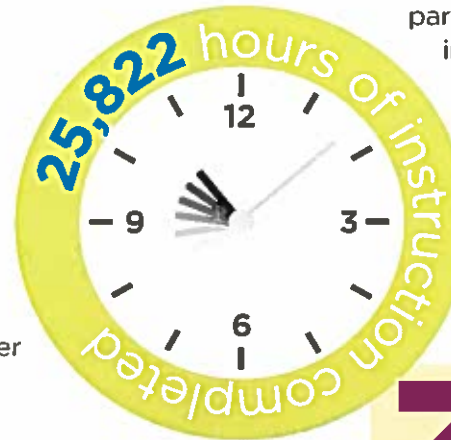
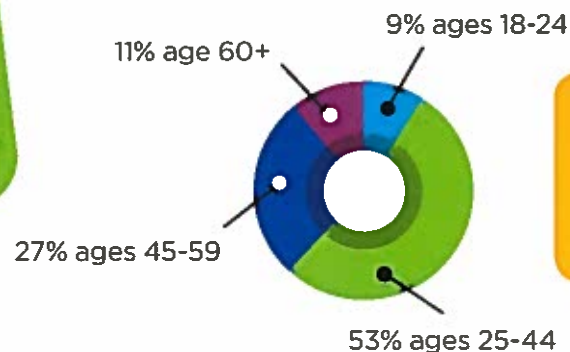
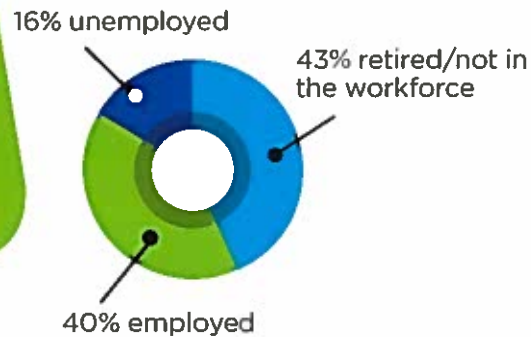
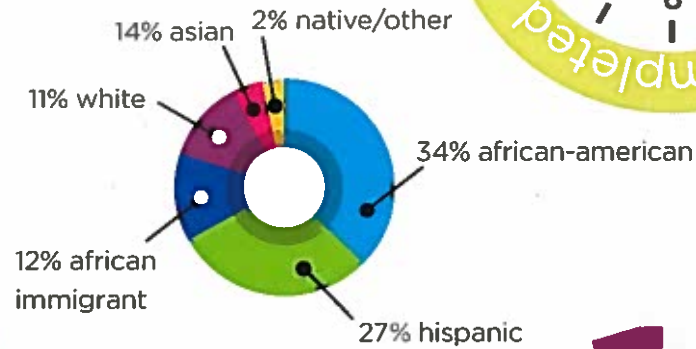
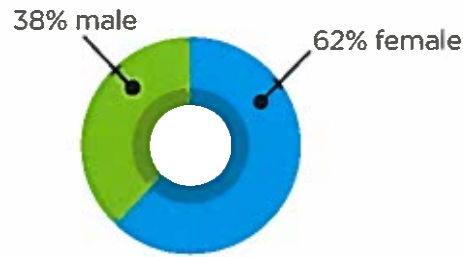
of our students advanced a full literacy level

32% is the federal guideline for literacy level advancement

### Individual Student Achievements

- 4 students improved citizenship skills
- 10 students passed US citizenship test
- 9 students attained state driver's license
- 5 students obtained their GED and another 9 students passed at least 1 section
- 1 student passed the TOEFL
- 3 students entered college
- 41 students got a job
- 4 students entered training programs
- 11 students received promotions
- 195 students kept their jobs
- 3 students who voted for the first time or registered to vote

## MEET OUR STUDENTS



At our Family Literacy Academy, parents make significant gains in literacy skills and learn to be their child's first teacher!



121 parents • 189 children

# 330 VOLUNTEERS

# 18,139 HOURS OF SERVICE

# 100%

of students dedicated to learning!

- 1,068 adult students served
- 154 new tutors trained
- 84 office volunteers served 2,236 hrs