

Transylvania Learning

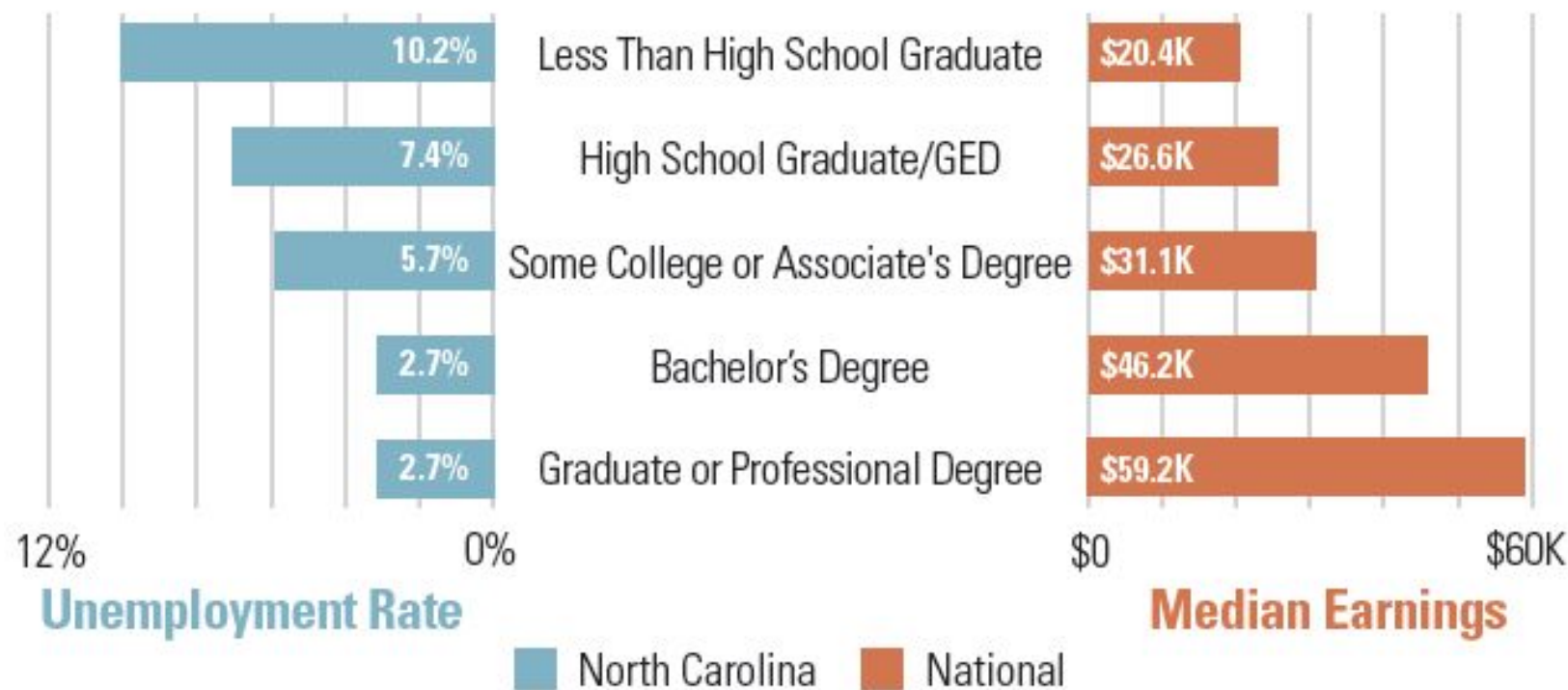
*An update on learning and teaching provided to the
Transylvania County Board of Education.*

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Dr. Jeremy Gibbs, Chief Academic Officer

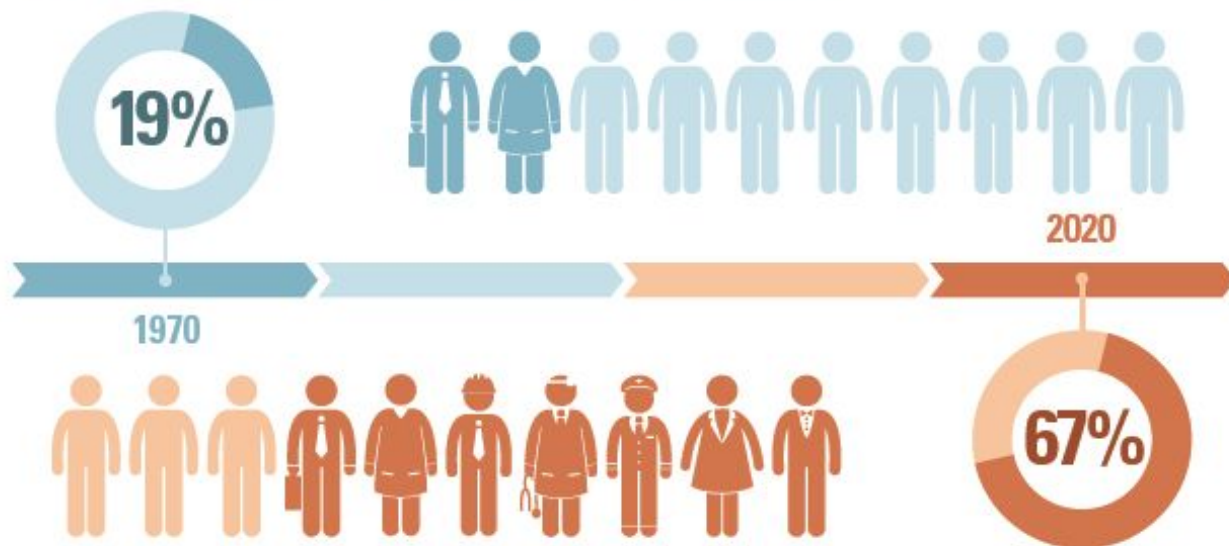
School Dropout Data

Median Earnings and Unemployment Rate by Education Level in North Carolina (2015)



Source: United States Census Bureau 2015 American Community Survey

In 1970, just 19% of North Carolina adults ages 25-64 had any postsecondary education.



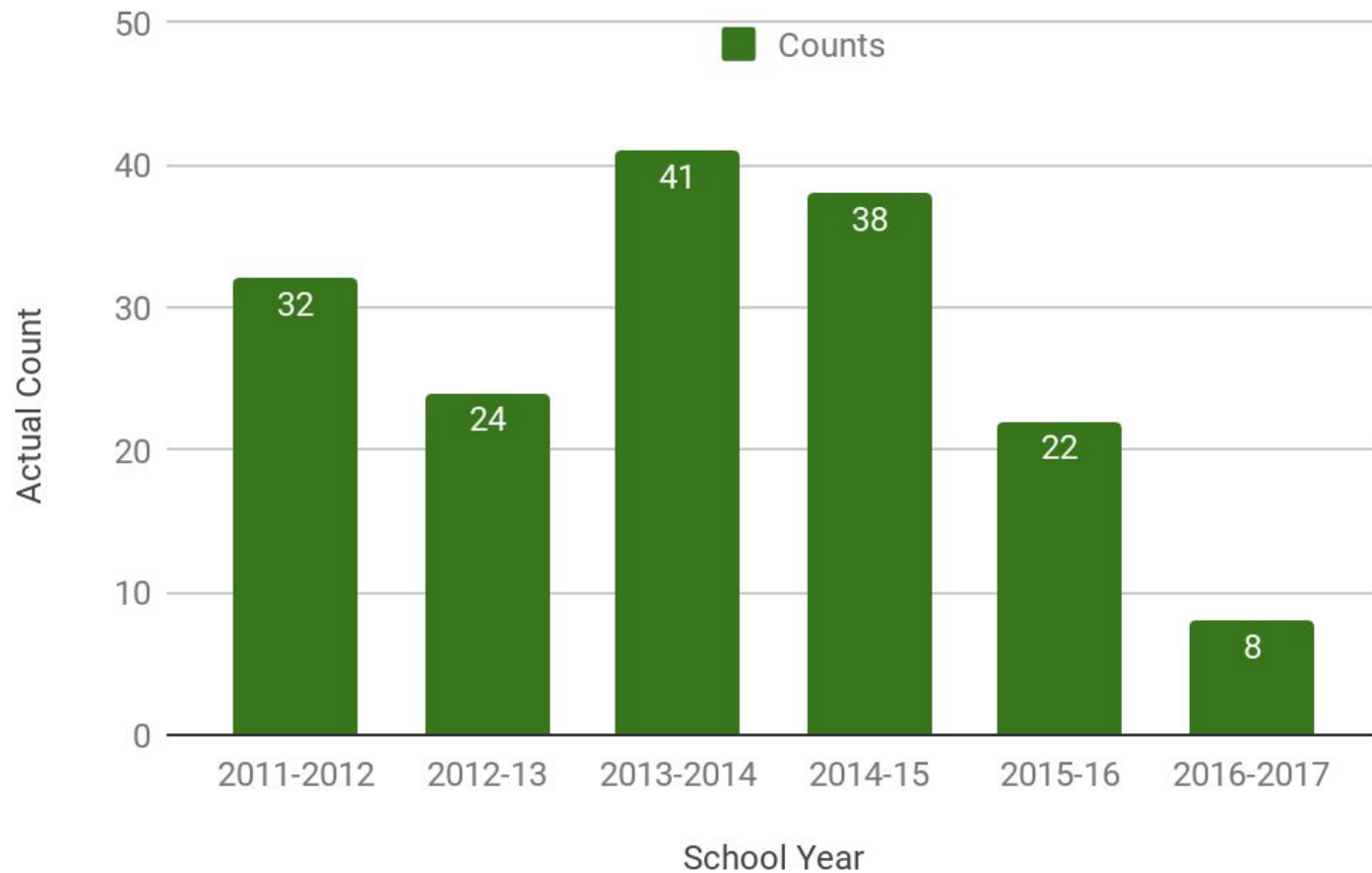
By 2020, 67% of North Carolina jobs will require some postsecondary education.

Source: Georgetown University 2014 Report on Job Growth and Education Requirements Through 2020, Carolina Demography

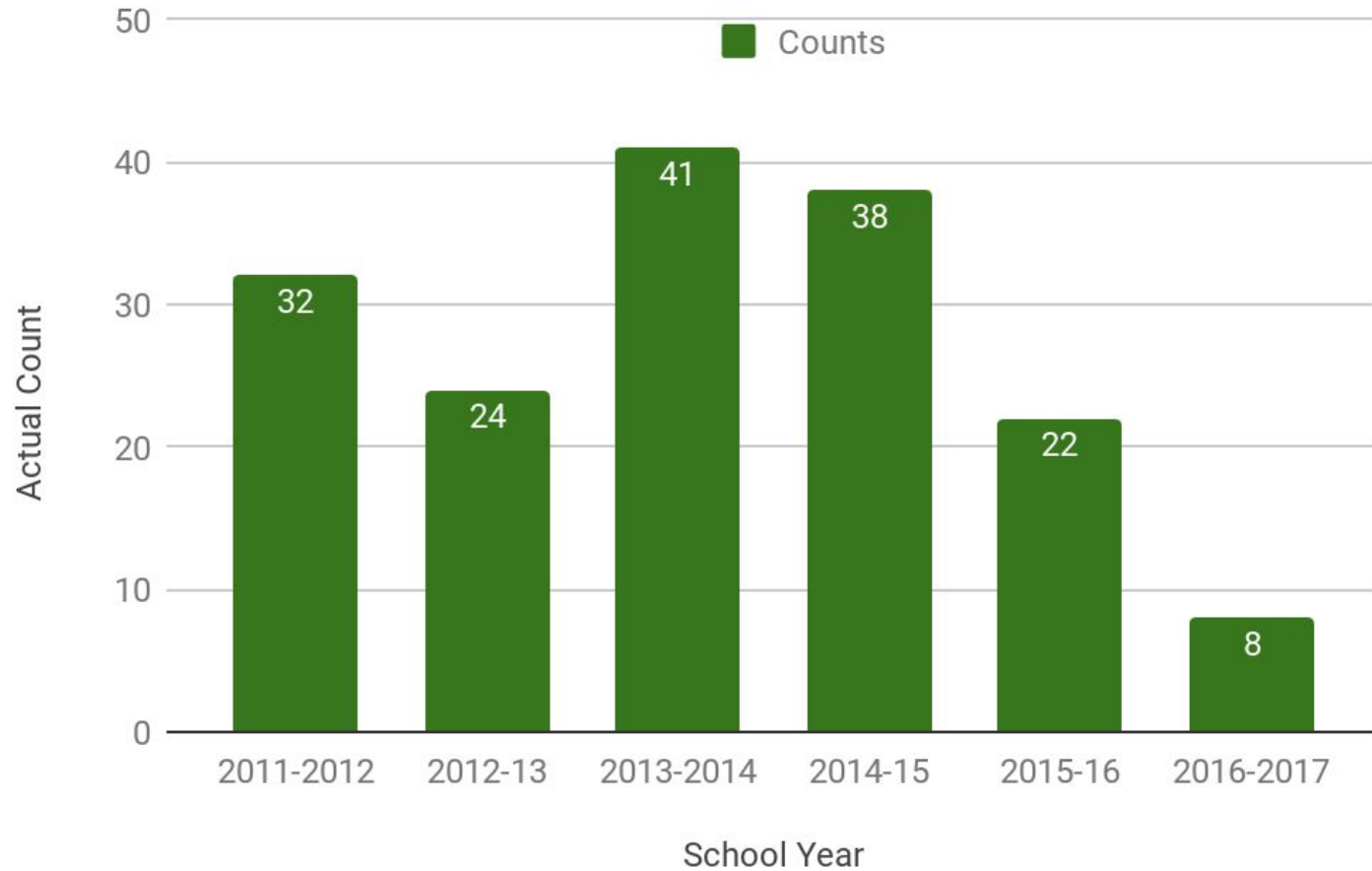
Definition

A **dropout** is defined by State Board policy (GCS-Q-001) as “any student who leaves school for any reason before graduation or completion of a program of studies without transferring to another elementary or secondary school.” For reporting purposes, a dropout is a student who was enrolled at some time during the previous school year, but who was not enrolled (and who does not meet reporting exclusions) on day 20 of the current school year.

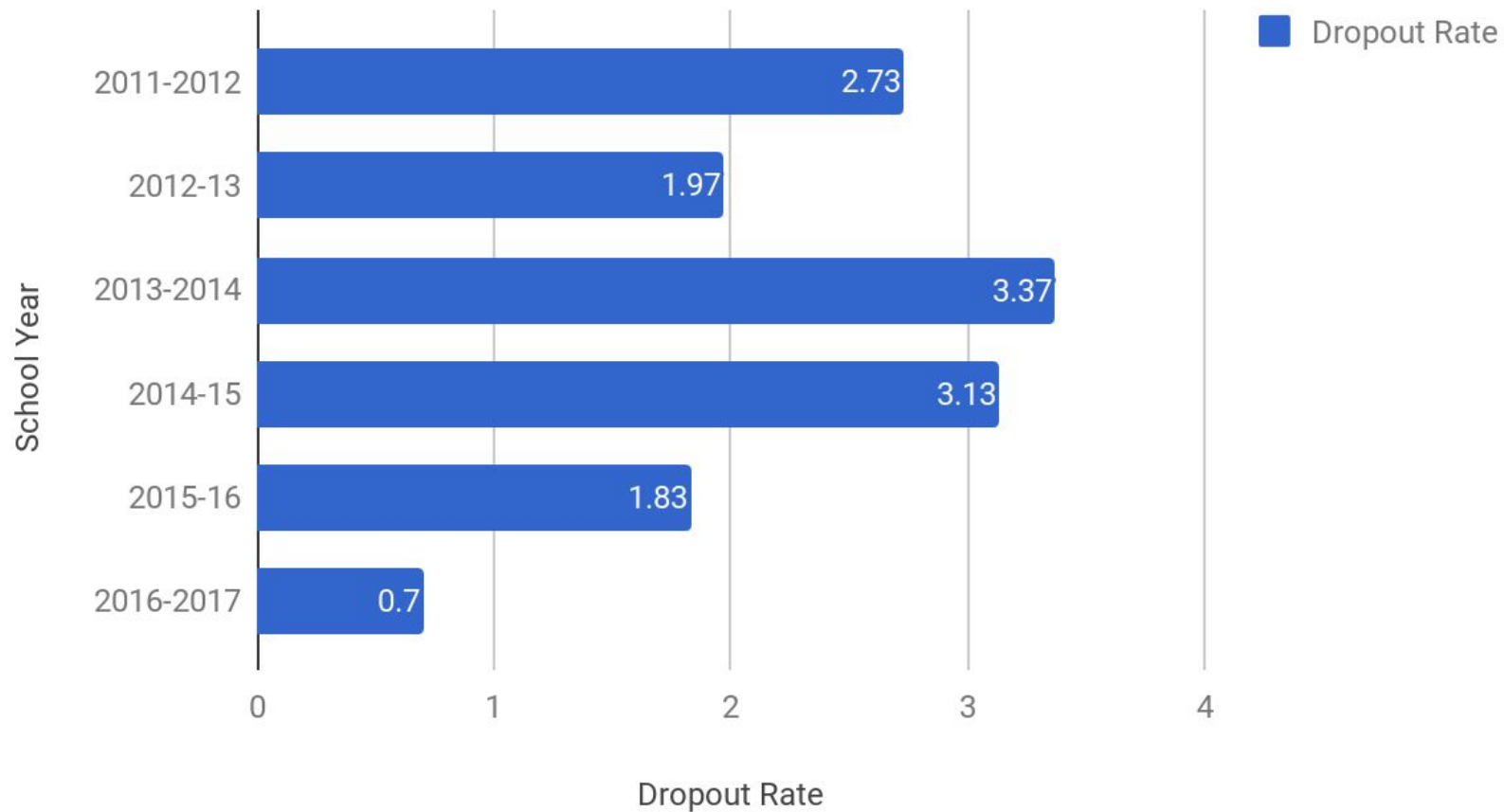
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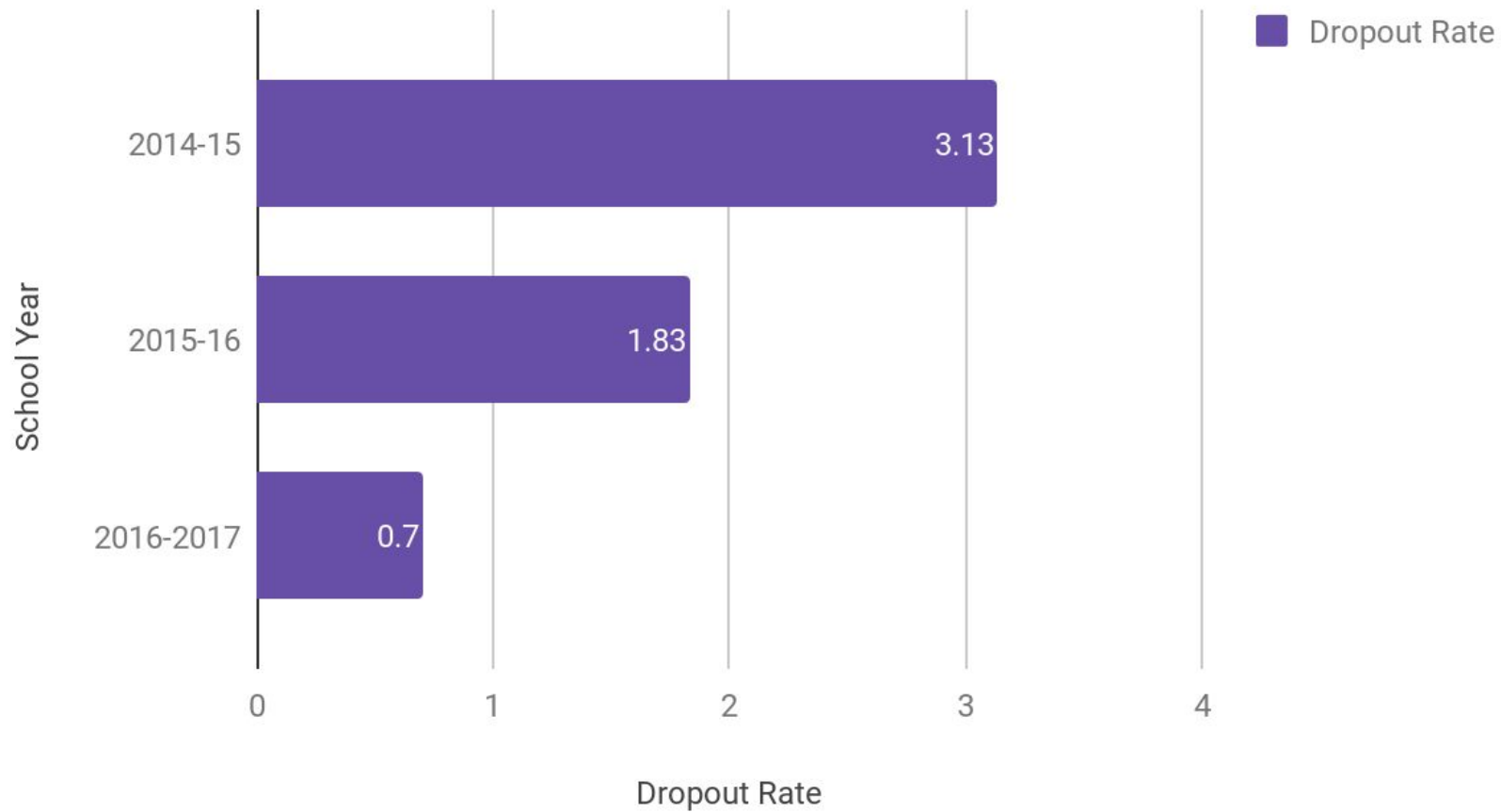
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“LEAs reporting the lowest high school dropout rates were Newton Conover City, Jones County, Clay County, Asheboro City, Pamlico County, ***Transylvania County***, Chapel Hill-Carrboro, Mount Airy City, Greene County, and Yadkin County.”

“LEAs with the largest 3-year percentage decreases in high school dropout rates were Clay County, ***Transylvania County***, Newton-Conover City, Jones County, and Pamlico County.”

Keeping Them In School

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Personalized Learning

Flexible Schedules

Variety of Course Offerings and Robust Career-Technical
Education Pathways

Close Attendance Monitoring (RHS Example)

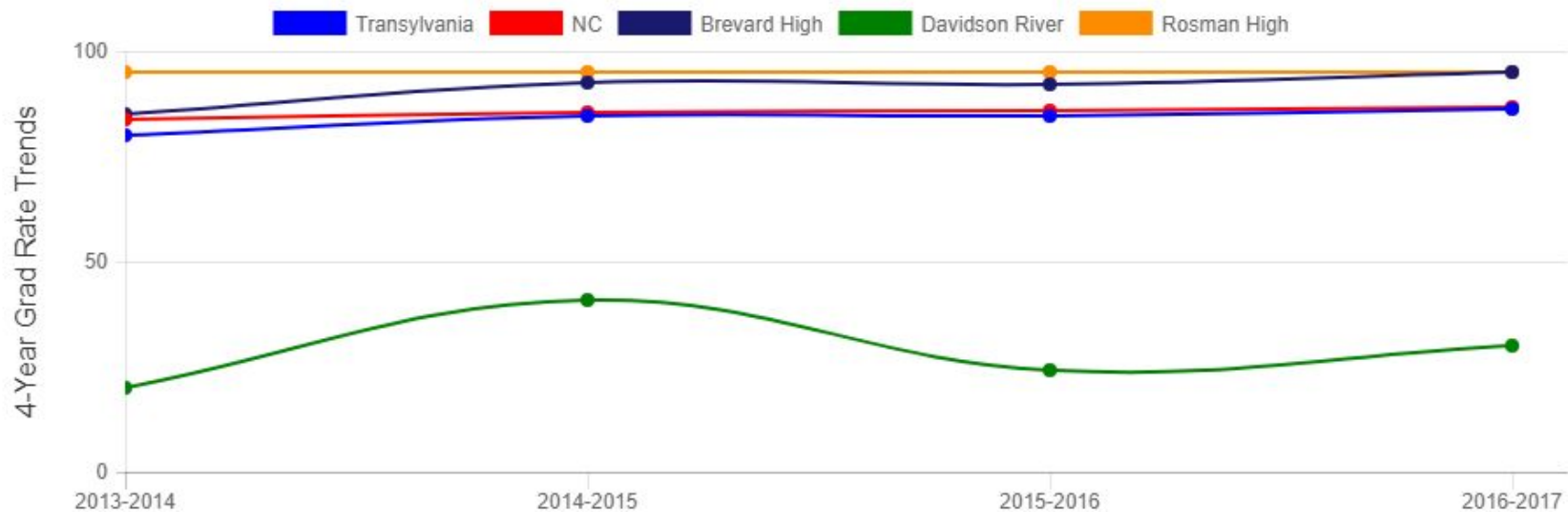
Effective Counseling and Student Services

Adult High School

Program developed in cooperation with Blue Ridge Community College

A student who leaves us to participate in the Adult High School can still earn a full diploma (not equivalency or GED).

We currently are reporting 19 AHS exceptions on the state report. These are not considered dropouts but will be if they don't complete Adult High School.



School Year	School Name	Graduation Project	MCR Percentage	4-Year Percentage	5-Year Percentage
2016-2017	State of North Carolina		95	86.5	87.5
2016-2017	Transylvania County Schools		90.2	86.4	85.9
2016-2017	Brevard High	Y	92.2	95	92.6
2016-2017	Davidson River School	Y	35.7	30	28
2016-2017	Rosman High	Y	95	95	95



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