

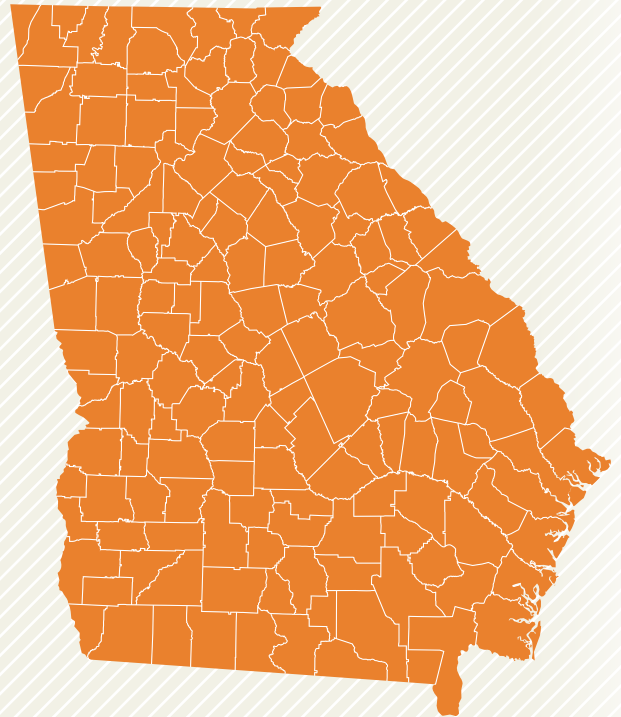


# College Success Georgia

ACCESS.COMPLETION.CAREERS

## EDUCATION & COMMUNITY PROFILE

Too few Georgia high school graduates are accessing or completing college and career training programs which subsequently affects employability for these students and economic viability of their communities. Research by ACT Inc. and a number of states indicates that 70 percent of high school graduates are not ready for further study. We will struggle to meet our completion goals as a state or a country if the pipeline of adults who have dropped out of high school or college continues to increase. Without sufficient local and statewide data on outcomes and vulnerable populations, community and state leaders may underestimate or fail to recognize the size and nature of the readiness, access and completion problem.



The College Success Georgia Network (CSG) county profile report is the first of its kind to provide a current, comprehensive, and easily accessible account of college and career readiness indicators, as well as access and success data on each county and school district in Georgia. The goal is to annually collect, compile and publish the most up-to-date statistics on college and career readiness for all 159 counties and 216 school districts, to include information by educational attainment, college readiness, employment and statistics on low-income and other vulnerable populations. CSG hopes to contribute to college and career success by providing data and referral of local and statewide resources to promote college access and increase opportunities for Georgia students and adults.