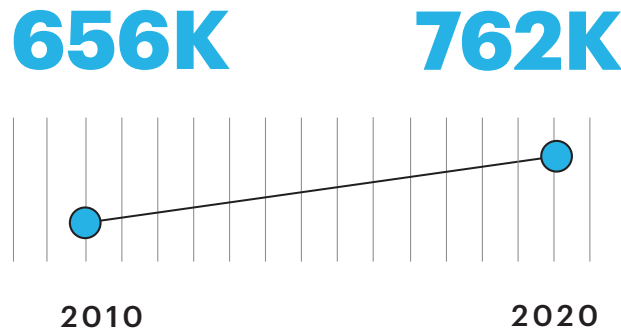


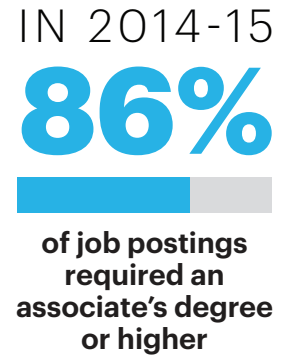
HIGH SCHOOL & THE FUTURE OF WORK

State Data Sheet
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

EMPLOYMENT IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA IS GROWING.



JOB REQUIREMENTS ARE CHANGING.



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA HIGH SCHOOLS MUST STEP UP.

TOO MANY STUDENTS DROP OUT:



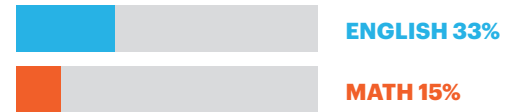
DO NOT GRADUATE WITH THEIR CLASS

TOO FEW GRADUATE COLLEGE-READY:

All students



Black students



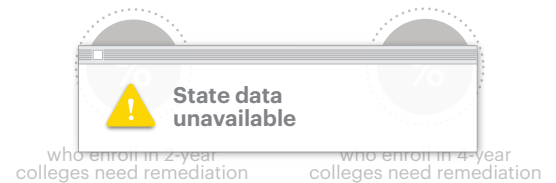
MOST GRADUATES GO ON TO COLLEGE:

1/2



of graduates enroll in some form of postsecondary education

BUT MANY REQUIRE REMEDIAL COURSES:



AND TOO FEW FRESHMEN COMPLETE DEGREES:

Students in 2-year colleges



THIS LEAVES DISTRICT'S ADULT WORKFORCE FAR SHORT OF WHAT'S NEEDED TO BE COMPETITIVE.

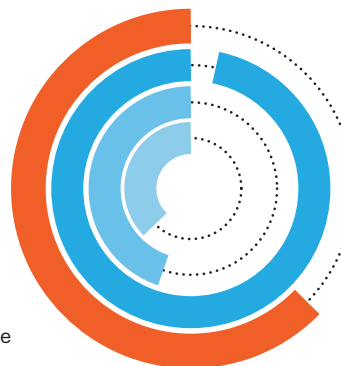
IN 2014-15

86%

of job postings required an associate's degree or higher

BUT ONLY 63%

of adults have an associate's degree or higher



- 63%** OVERALL
- 94%** OF WHITES
- 46%** OF LATINOS
- 33%** OF BLACKS

And remember:

Degrees alone don't guarantee that workers have the other skills—the team work, the analysis, the problem-solving—that are so necessary in today's and tomorrow's economy.

For detailed source information on District of Columbia's data, visit: xqsuperschool.org/future