# HIGH SCHOOL & THE FUTURE OF WORK

State Data Sheet IDAHO

EMPLOYMENT IN IDAHO IS GROWING.

710K 867K

JOB REQUIREMENTS ARE CHANGING.

IN 2014-15

**53**%

of job postings required an associate's degree or higher

#### IDAHO HIGH SCHOOLS MUST STEP UP.

### **TOO MANY STUDENTS DROP OUT:**

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DO NOT GRADUATE WITH THEIR CLASS

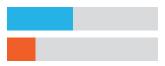
### **TOO FEW GRADUATE COLLEGE-READY:**

All students

ENGLISH 63%

**MATH 36%** 

Latino students



**ENGLISH 44%** 

**MATH 19%** 

# MOST GRADUATES GO ON TO COLLEGE:

3/5



of graduates enroll in some form of postsecondary education

### **BUT MANY REQUIRE REMEDIAL COURSES:**



who enroll in 2-year colleges need remediation



who enroll in 4-year colleges need remediation

### AND TOO FEW FRESHMEN COMPLETE DEGREES:

Students in 2-year colleges

Students in 4-year colleges



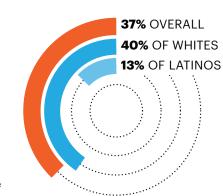
**44%** 

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

**53%** of job postings

of job postings required an associate's degree or higher

**37%**of adults have an associate's degree or higher



20%

### 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 Idaho's data, visit:

xqsuperschool.org/future

