

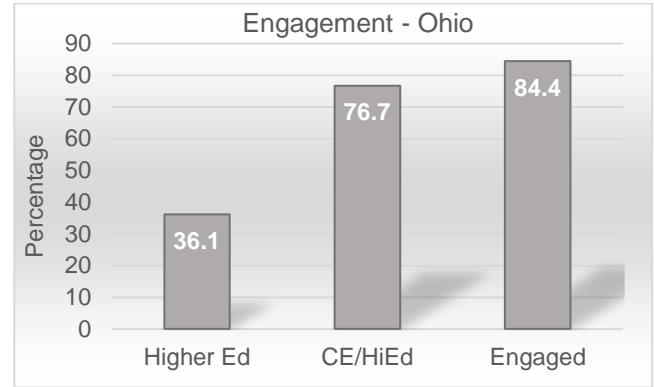
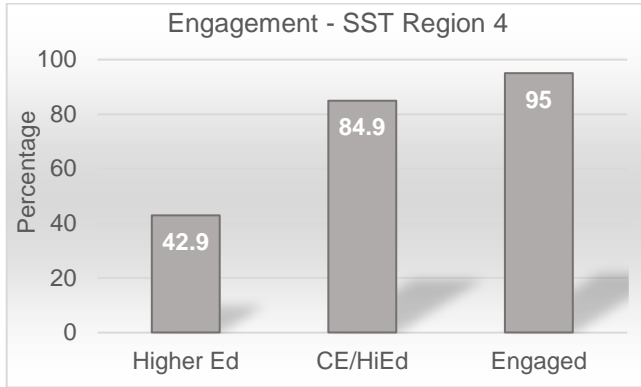
Ohio Longitudinal Transition Study

SST 4 Regional Report 2006-2018

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Engagement



Postschool engagement percentages include: Higher Ed (percentage of graduates in 2- or 4-year programs); CE/HiEd - addition of part- to full-time (competitive employment) outcomes to higher education; and addition of other categories (less than 20 hours of work or other training programs) for overall engagement percentage.

Engagement Breakdown

	SST Region 4 N=238		Ohio N=13508	
	Anticipated	Actual	Anticipated	Actual
Employment				
Full-time	40.8	46.6	40.5 (5468)	31.5 (4258)
Part-time	41.6	27.3	37.7 (5091)	23.8 (3214)
Less 20 hrs*	4.2	13.0	2.1 (284)	11.1 (1495)
Any Work	81.5	79.0	70.1 (9474)	60.0 (8102)
Education				
2-Year	42.0	32.4	34.9 (4717)	20.0 (2696)
4-Year	29.4	12.6	27.5 (3720)	14.2 (1922)
College/ID**	0	0	0.1 (20)	0.0 (6)
Other	6.3	8.0	7.7 (1046)	4.8 (643)
Any College	68.9	49.2	59.5 (8043)	36.9 (4980)
Adult Service				
OOD Services	9.2	8.0	10.5 (1415)	7.3 (980)
DD Services	7.6	5.0	6.5 (875)	6.3 (845)
MH Services**	13.0	0.4	0.3 (45)	0.3 (39)
Any Services	12.2	9.7	13.8 (1865)	12.2 (1648)

* Working less than 20 hours per week includes graduates who reported subminimum wage positions and sheltered employment.

**Updated survey options/questions as of 2017/2018 school year therefore small percentages reflect only one graduating class.

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Demographics

	Region 4 N=238	Ohio N=13508
Gender		
Male	63.9	62.0
Female	36.1	38.0
Ethnicity		
African American	10.9	15.9
White, non-Hispanic	83.2	78.4
Other (<i>multi-racial</i>)	5.9	5.7
Disability Type		
Autism	6.7	4.6
Deaf-Blindness	0	0.1
Deaf/Hearing Impairment	0.8	1.1
Intellectual Disability (<i>formerly MR, DH, CD</i>)	7.1	12.6
Multiple Disabilities	2.5	4.4
Orthopedic Impairment	0	0.8
Other Health Impaired (<i>major or minor</i>)	13.0	13.8
Emotional Disturbance (<i>Serious</i>)	7.6	4.5
Specific Learning Disability	57.6	56.3
Speech and Language Impairment	0	0.6
Traumatic Brain Injury	0.8	0.8
Visual Impairment	0	0.6
Projected Age of Graduation (Average)	18yrs 3mo	18yrs 3mo

EMIS Information

	Region 4	Ohio
Proficiency Test Information (% Passing)		
English Language Arts	73.1	67.2
Social Studies	61.3	54.8
Mathematics	61.8	55.7
Science	58.0	52.5
Alternate Assessment	12.2	10.7
Participation in Special Education		
Less than 21%	68.1	65.9
21% - 60%	21.8	20.1
61% or more/SPED classes	16.8	13.5
Transition Services Received		
Transition Specialist	55.0	59.5
Job Training Coordinator	4.2	3.1
Career Technical Education	43.7	39.7
Paid CB Work Experiences (includes Workstudy)	24.8	21.9
Career Assessment	72.3	70.3
Assistive Technology	9.2	5.3
Job Shadowing	53.4	42.4
Self-Determination/Advocacy Training	0.8	3.0

Student Expected Postschool Outcomes

Work Full-Time (35 or more hours)	40.8	43.9
Work Part-Time (34 hours or less)	41.6	37.7
Attend 2 Year College	42.0	27.5
Attend 4 Year College	29.4	37.9
Attend College for ID	0	.1
Receive OOD (formerly BVR, VR) Services	9.2	10.5
Receive DD Services	7.6	6.5
Receive Mental Health Services	13.0	.3

Anticipated Field of Employment or Education

Hospitality & Tourism (Food Service)	5.9	8.1
Transportation Systems (Auto Mechanics)	3.8	5.1
Information Technologies (Computers)	6.7	4.5
Construction Technologies (Construction/Custodial)	12.6	9.2
Manufacturing Technologies (Industry/Factory Work)	5.0	5.6
Marketing (Retail/Marketing/Sales)	1.7	2.5
Business & Administrative Services (Secretarial/Clerical)	3.8	4.6
Agricultural & Environmental Systems (Agricultural/Farming)	3.4	4.5
Finance	2.1	.7
Education and Training (Child Care)	3.4	7.2
Engineering & Science Technologies	2.9	4.1
Health Science (Health Care)	15.5	13.3
Human Services (Cosmetology)	3.4	7.4
Arts & Communication	4.2	6.6
Government & Public Administration	1.3	.9
Law & Public Safety	7.1	5.6
Other (<i>undecided, military</i>)	9.7	10.1

Expected Living Arrangements One Year After Graduation

Living with Parents or Relative	58.4	50.5
Living on Own	11.8	20.0
Living with Friends	10.5	9.5
Living with Husband/Wife	0	2.4
Living with Children	0	0.6
Living with Foster Family	0	0.1
Living in a Group Home	1.3	0.5
Living on a College Campus	13.4	12.2
Other (<i>military base</i>)	2.5	2.7

Leisure and Community Participation Goals

Voting	66.8	65.2
Driver's License	67.6	72.9
Own a Car	62.6	69.3
Use Public Transportation	18.9	16.9
Playing Sports	44.1	32.1
Doing Hobbies	64.7	64.0

Going to Church or Religious Activities	30.7	38.5
Going to the Mall or Movies	71.8	70.4
Doing Outdoor Activities	72.7	71.2
Use a Computer	70.2	68.9
Other (<i>volunteer work</i>)	8.0	8.1

How Student Plans to Pay for Needs after Graduation

	Region 4		Ohio	
	Plan to	Applied	Plan to	Applied
Competitive Work	72.7	29.8	64.1	26.8
Sheltered work/subminimum	4.2	2.1	4.8	2.7
Work Incentives (<i>e.g., PASS, IRWE</i>)	0	0	0.4	0.1
Medicaid for Health Expenses	16.4	8.0	13.2	9.4
Family Member's Help	54.6	14.3	44.9	10.9
Disability Benefits	10.1	5.0	9.9	8.2
Food Stamps	7.1	2.5	7.3	3.4
Job and Family Services	7.6	7.1	7.8	4.0
Aid in Paying Rent	5.9	1.3	8.1	2.0
Scholarships	19.7	7.1	21.8	14.0
Student Loans	27.7	8.8	28.6	9.7

Student Ratings of IEP/Transition Planning and Services (average rating 1-4)

	Region 4	Ohio
How Well Were Postschool Goals Addressed in the IEP?		
Employment Goals	3.04	3.19
Postsecondary Education Goals	3.11	3.11
Independent Living Goals	2.94	3.05
Leisure and Community Participation Goals	2.79	2.93
Services		
IEP/Transition Meetings	2.91	3.05
Student-led IEPs	3.00	3.50
School Supervised Paid Work in the Community	3.23	3.08
School Supervised Volunteer Experience	3.04	3.03
In-School Job	3.06	3.15
Job Shadowing	3.13	3.10
Paid Work on Own	3.13	3.24
Classes at a Community College	3.44	3.13
Visits to Colleges	3.09	3.08
Preparing for College Entrance Exams	2.80	2.75
Help Applying to College	2.90	2.93
Coursework in High School	2.55	3.08
Career and Technical Education	3.14	3.33
Career Assessment	2.45	2.78
Extracurricular Activities	3.02	3.00
Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities (<i>formerly BVR</i>)	2.50	3.03
Developmental Disabilities (DD) Services	2.91	3.14
Mental health services	2.00	3.51
Overall prepare you for a job or further study	2.62	3.05

Student Postschool Outcomes 2006-201846.6

	Region 4 N=238	Ohio N=13,508
Worked Full-Time (35 or more hours) for 90 days or more at or above minimum wage (includes military service)	46.6	35.8
Worked Part-Time (20-34 hours) for 90 days or more at or above minimum wage (includes military service)	27.3	26.1
Worked less than 20 hours per week on average for 90 days at or above minimum wage (includes subminimum)	13.0	12.3
Attended 4-year college for at least one complete term	12.6	15.4
Attended 2-year college for at least one complete term	32.4	21.5
Attended college program for ID for at least one complete term	0	.0 (N=6)
Received other training (e.g. GED, WIOA, Job Corps, Americorps)	8.0	5.2
Received OOD services	8.0	8.6
Received DD services	5.0	6.9
Received mental health services	0.4	0.3

Actual Field of Employment or Education

Hospitality & Tourism (Food Service)	23.5	22.4
Transportation Systems (Auto Mechanics)	1.3	3.8
Information Technologies (Computers)	1.3	1.5
Construction Technologies (Construction/Custodial)	9.2	8.5
Manufacturing Technologies (Industry/Factory Work)	9.2	12.9
Marketing (Retail/Marketing/Sales)	0	5.7
Business & Administrative Services (Secretarial/Clerical)	2.5	2.0
Agricultural & Environmental Systems (Agricultural/Farming)	6.3	5.6
Finance	0	0.5
Education and Training (Child Care)	0.8	3.0
Engineering & Science Technologies	0.4	1.0
Health Science (Health Care)	2.5	4.2
Human Services (Cosmetology)	3.4	12.3
Arts & Communication	0.4	1.7
Government & Public Administration	1.3	4.6
Law & Public Safety	0	1.1
Other (<i>pet care</i>)	12.2	9.3

Living Arrangements One Year After Graduation

Living with Parents or Relative	84.0	74.7
Living on Own/Dorm/Military	9.2	13.4
Living with Friends	3.4	7.7
Living with Husband or Wife	0.4	1.4
Living with Children	0.4	1.2
Living with Foster Family	0	0.3
Living in a Group Home/Residential Waiting List	1.7	0.6
Other (<i>incarcerated, military base</i>)	1.3	2.0

How did you find your job?	Region 4	Ohio
Parent helped	13.0	12.7
Friend helped	14.3	12.8
Agency/School	8.0	8.6
Found on own	37.0	27.9

Satisfaction with Current Employment

Very satisfied	31.5	29.0
Somewhat satisfied	30.7	23.5
Dissatisfied	4.6	4.5
Very Dissatisfied	5.0	5.9

Satisfaction with Current Living Arrangements

Very satisfied	47.1	4.1
Somewhat satisfied	28.2	30.2
Dissatisfied	3.8	4.8
Very Dissatisfied	3.8	6.9

If you are not working – why?

	N=36	N=2997
Enrolled in postsecondary education	14	883
Cannot find a job of interest	5	433
Cannot find any job at all	5	821
Need assistance finding a job and none available	2	212
Lack required skills	3	211
Transportation problems	4	334
Worried to lose benefits	1	170
Don't want to work	7	296
Other (<i>incarcerated, pregnant, hospitalization</i>)	11	1000

If you did not go to postsecondary ed – why?

	N=63	N=4104
Changed plans	24	1158
Not enough money	19	856
Needed help applying	1	143
Transportation problems	0	10
Was not accepted	2	71
Did not have required courses	1	52
Other (XX)	19	1486

If you did go onto postsecondary education, what kinds of services do you receive?

	N=101	N=4800
Remedial classes	15	1037
Note taking services	11	698
Tutoring	37	1717
Extra time on tests	38	2038
Taped books or lectures	9	481
Accommodations for visual impairments	2	157
Reduced schedule loads	9	311
Sign language interpreters	2	95
Registered for disability services	17	809
Other (<i>read a loud, front of class seating</i>)	13	466

