

WIOA Program Accomplishments

July 1st – December 31st, 2017:

HiSED's/GED's: 39

Pathway Certificates: 17

Attending College: 21

Employed: 58



(L to R) Octavia and Isaac

Book Signing and Lecture



Students spoke one on one about story writing with world renowned author Jeff Belanger

Working Together to Help Others

Youth Opportunities Upheld students volunteer to prepare lunch at the North Brookfield Senior Center. After lunch senior citizens challenged students to play a game of pool where they lost to a 96 year old pool shark!

Community service is one of the 14 elements youth participate in while enrolled in the Workforce Innovation Opportunity Act (WIOA). Activities foster a sense of community and belonging while teaching responsibility and compassion.

Dreams Do Come True

Walid interned in the work study program while preparing for the GED at the Worcester Community Action Council. Walid indicated this first job "taught me how to interact with people, make new friends and reinforce my socializing skills." He is now attending college majoring in computer science and plans to become a software engineer. Congratulations Walid!



Walid

For more information about the CMWIB's WIOA Youth Program services and satellite locations within our 38 surround communities, contact: Ed Gagne, Director of Youth Services and Adult Literacy Programs at GagneE@worcesterma.gov