Academy of Hope Adult PCS

**Tier Explanations**
- **1 High Performing** (65.0% - 100%)
- **2 Mid Performing** (35.0% - 64.9%)
- **3 Low Performing** (0.0% - 34.9%)

**School Profile (2019–20)**
- **Board Chair**: Mark Kutner
- **Chief Executive Officer**: Lecester Johnson
- **First School Year**: 2014-2015

**Ages Served**: 18 and older

**Diploma(s) Offered**: NEDP Diploma, English GED*

**Programs Offered**: Dual Enrollment, Computer Skills

**Student Demographics (2018–19)**
- **Total Enrollment**: 461
- **American Indian/Alaskan**: 0.0%
- **Asian**: 0.0%
- **Black/African American**: 96.7%
- **Hawaiian/Pacific Islander**: 0.0%
- **Hispanic/Latino, any race**: 2.4%
- **Two or More Races**: 0.2%
- **White**: 0.7%

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Note from the School

Academy of Hope Adult PCS provides education and services to adults through small, dynamic, and learner-centered classes. We offer high school completion programs, career counseling, and computer training. Academy of Hope provides bridge-to-college classes that allow adults to earn college credit while completing their high school credential. We also have a program for adults who have a diploma but need to improve their skills to qualify for college or training.
### Student Progress and Student Achievement (60 points):

#### Educational Gains

**Adult Basic Education (ABE)**
- 468 students
- 77.4% of eligible ABE students were pre- and post-tested
- Points Earned: 60.7
- Points Possible: 100
- **Score**: 60.7

**English as a Second Language (ESL)**
- Points Earned: N/A
- Points Possible: N/A

#### Student Achievement: GED or NEDP Attainment *

**Earned Secondary Credential**
- 68 students attempted a secondary diploma
- Points Earned: 75.0
- Points Possible: 100

**GED Subject Test Achievement**
- 272 GED subject tests taken, Participation Rate: 94.1%
- Points Earned: 84.2
- Points Possible: 100

**Earned High-Level Certification**
- Points Earned: N/A
- Points Possible: N/A

### College and Career Readiness (20 points): Employment and Postsecondary Outcomes

**Entered Employment or Entered Post secondary**
- 68 students responded to the survey, Response Rate: 52.3% †
- Points Earned: 45.6
- Points Possible: 90

**Retained Employment or Entered Post secondary**
- 55 students responded to the survey, Response Rate: 55.0% †
- Points Earned: 45.5
- Points Possible: 95

### Leading Indicators (20 points): Predictors of Future Student Progress and Achievement

**Attendance**
- In-seat attendance
- Points Earned: 68.9
- Points Possible: 100

**Persistence**
- Percent of students who stay at an adult education school long enough to complete at least one cycle of instruction
- Points Earned: 77.4
- Points Possible: 100

### Total Score

**Total Score**: 57.7

**Tier**: 2

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* From school year 2014-15 through school year 2017-18, adult education (AE) schools could only earn a Tier. In 2018, DC PCSB adopted a scoring model for AE schools. School year 2018-19 is the first year in which AE schools can earn both a Tier and a Score.

* General Educational Development (GED) or National External Diploma Program (NEDP).

** A high-level certification is an industry-recognized career and technical education (CTE) certification that includes rigorous assessments and requirements and leads to higher wages in a high-demand field. This measure is displayed only for 2018-19.

† Percent of students the school successfully contacted via College and Career Readiness Surveys.