

PROJECT SNAPSHOT



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The Education Alliance–Business and Community for Public Schools, Inc.



STATES IMPACTED

West Virginia and Mississippi



ARC FUNDING

\$4,720,580



PARTNERS

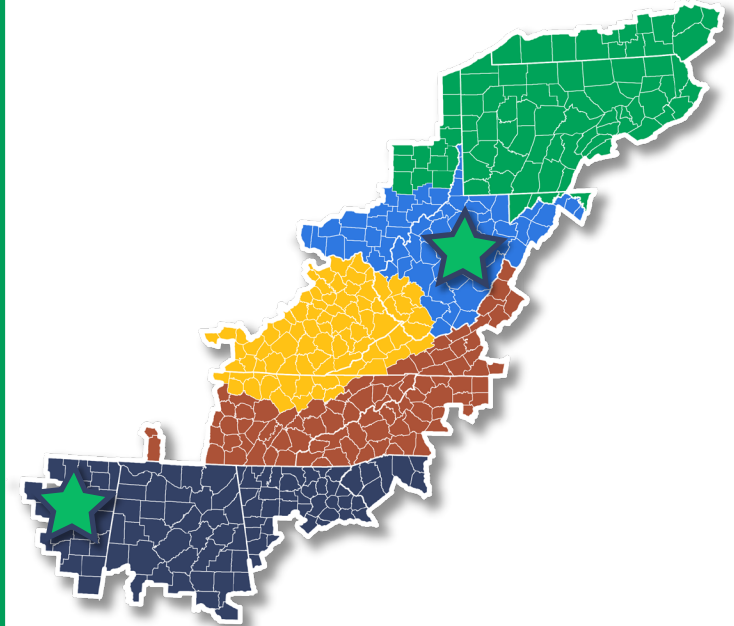
Toyota in West Virginia and Mississippi, West Virginia Jefferson Medical Center, J.W. Ruby Memorial Hospital/ Children's Hospital and five county schools



ANNOUNCEMENT DATE

June 2023

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PROJECT SUMMARY

This project will integrate work-based experiential learning co-designed and co-delivered by regional healthcare and manufacturing industry partners and local education systems to prepare students for the high-skill and high wage workforce needs of the region. The project will enhance equity for underserved students in the region by providing career exploration opportunities and wrap-around services that reduce barriers to entry into the post-secondary workforce and further education. Students will be able to explore the following industry pathways: Manufacturing Production, Industrial Maintenance, Certified Medical Assistant/Ambulatory Care, and Sterile Processing Technician. The project will include paid internships for participating high-school seniors providing opportunities for direct employer connection and skill development across industry partners.

The Education Alliance and partners bring a combined \$5,891,353 of matching funds to the project. The project will implement seven career pathway programs and serve 2,605 students across the three-year period of performance.