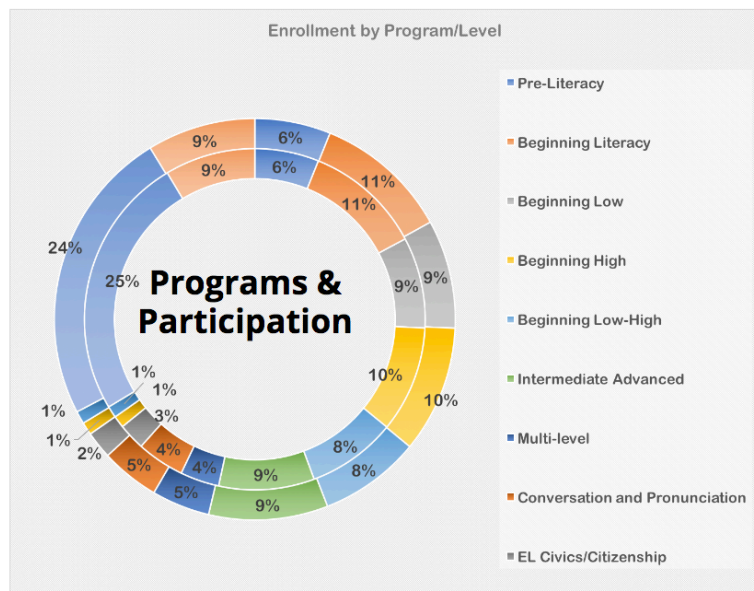


# English Matters

## English Language Programs @ East Region Adult Education



**Grossmont Adult Education is currently serving more than 3600 students at 7 levels and 52 sites.**

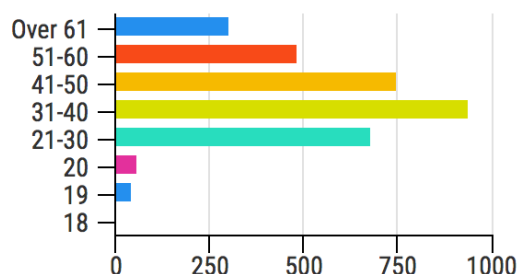


72% Women  
28% Men



from more than 69 countries

942 of learners are between 31-40 years of age. 752 are between the ages 41-50.



### Labor Status

The majority of students is unemployed (64%). Approximately 23% are employed, and approximately 9% decided to focus on their studies before seeking employment.



### Education Levels

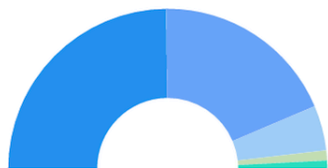
Our students arrive with different educational backgrounds:

- 27% HS Diploma
- 18% some graduate level studies
- 3% AA/AS degree
- 3% Masters/Bachelors Degree
- 51% without HS completion



### Partner Agencies

About 1/3 of students are refugee newcomers. We are working with local and regional partners that refer students to us. Of every 1500 referred, appr. 30% come from PCG, 19% from Catholic Charities, 14% from IRC, and 8% from JFS and AAA.



### First languages spoken

Arabic 1398 Spanish 1055 Farsi 256 Chaldean 56 Swahili 46

- and 379 more students who speak Pashto, Kurdish, Dari, Russian, Mandarin, Vietnamese, Pashto, French, Haitian Creole, Tagalog, Portuguese, Turkish, Tigrinya, and ...



### Upward Mobility

Within six months, most students progress to a next level and thereby prepare for transition to college and career. Students can take Vocational ESL classes, join HS Diploma or CTE classes, or matriculate to college. Transition services provide guidance in the pathway selection process.

Interested in learning more? Contact us at [info@adulthoodworks.org](mailto:info@adulthoodworks.org) or on social media @ERA2017.