

DavidsonWorks

December 2017

Career Center Activities

	Lexington Career Center Monthly Total	Thomasville Career Center Monthly Total	*YTD Totals
NCWorks Career Center Customer Visits	359	343	5,312
Intensive services, i.e. Job Search Assistance and Interview Assistance	343	272	4,798
Workshops/Job Clubs/ Resume Assistance	61	65	888
DavidsonWorks Business Contacts & Services	11	13	376
Business Recruitment Events	7	4	68

*YTD Totals are for the Fiscal Year, beginning July 1, 2017 and ending June 30, 2018



Quarterly Employment Report

	Adults	Dislocated Workers
Entered employment	289	5
Average quarterly income	\$4,290.51	\$5,945.60

Numbers shown are for the last reported quarter in NCWorks/FutureWorks and are for DavidsonWorks and Davidson County customers using the NCWorks Career Center services and system.



Youth News

GET REAL
POWER TO ACHIEVE



◇ As is a holiday tradition, Get REAL students handmade Christmas cards for shut ins, and personally delivered them on December 12 at the Brian Center in Lexington.

◇ Get REAL held their end of the year celebration on December 14. The celebration was open to the community, the Workforce Development Board, and the Youth Council. The event consisted of a holiday meal and student recognition. The students were recognized with certificates and gift cards for their accomplishments during the semester including improved reading and math levels, high school credits achieved, successful work experience,

WIOA Youth	December Totals
Number in Work Experience	11
Continuing Ed/Certificate	3
Number of Students in HSE/AHS	46
Intensive Case Management	67

Adult & Dislocated Worker Services

Program Activities	December Totals
Work Experiences	0
Continuing Ed/Certificate	56
Intensive and Training Enrollments	99

Business Services - Highlights

DavidsonWorks and the NCWorks Career Centers in Davidson County offer many services to help businesses build, develop, and find talent. To offer comprehensive services to businesses, DavidsonWorks business and industry staff also collaborate with key members of Davidson County Community College that serve businesses through various community college workforce programs.

Together, DavidsonWorks and DCCC, leverage their resources to ensure Davidson County businesses' needs are met. To learn more or to schedule a meeting with DavidsonWorks and DCCC business services team members, contact Tim Maness, 336-242-2970.

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Success Story of the Month

Francis (not her real name), came to Thomasville NC Works Career Center in late 2016 to file for unemployment. With staff help, she was enrolled into NCWorks.gov and was given instructions to file her unemployment claim online. While doing so, she was also able to create a resume and start job searching.

She had some previous experience in childcare as a Daycare Assistant and as a Primary Caregiver, so her job search was narrowed down to those fields where she had an interest and some experience. Francis had some difficulty using the computer but she knew the importance of coming into the Center regularly to become familiarized with the different job search websites. She was also willing to come back every week to see what new jobs had posted and to interview with the different employers using the Center to recruit. She was determined to find full time work, even if it was a temporary job.

After coming into the center every week and not receiving any feedback from the applications she submitted, she never gave up. Finally, after looking for a job for 3 months after being laid off, she received a call back and was offered a job with Home Instead as a Caregiver.

She started work at Home Instead in January 2017 and was so excited to begin her new journey.

Now she has been working a full year, but still comes in to say hello and thank staff for the help and service she was given. She also takes every opportunity to say how much she likes the Caregiver position she found through the Thomasville Career Center and the NCWorks Career Center system.

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