



ASPIRE PROGRAM

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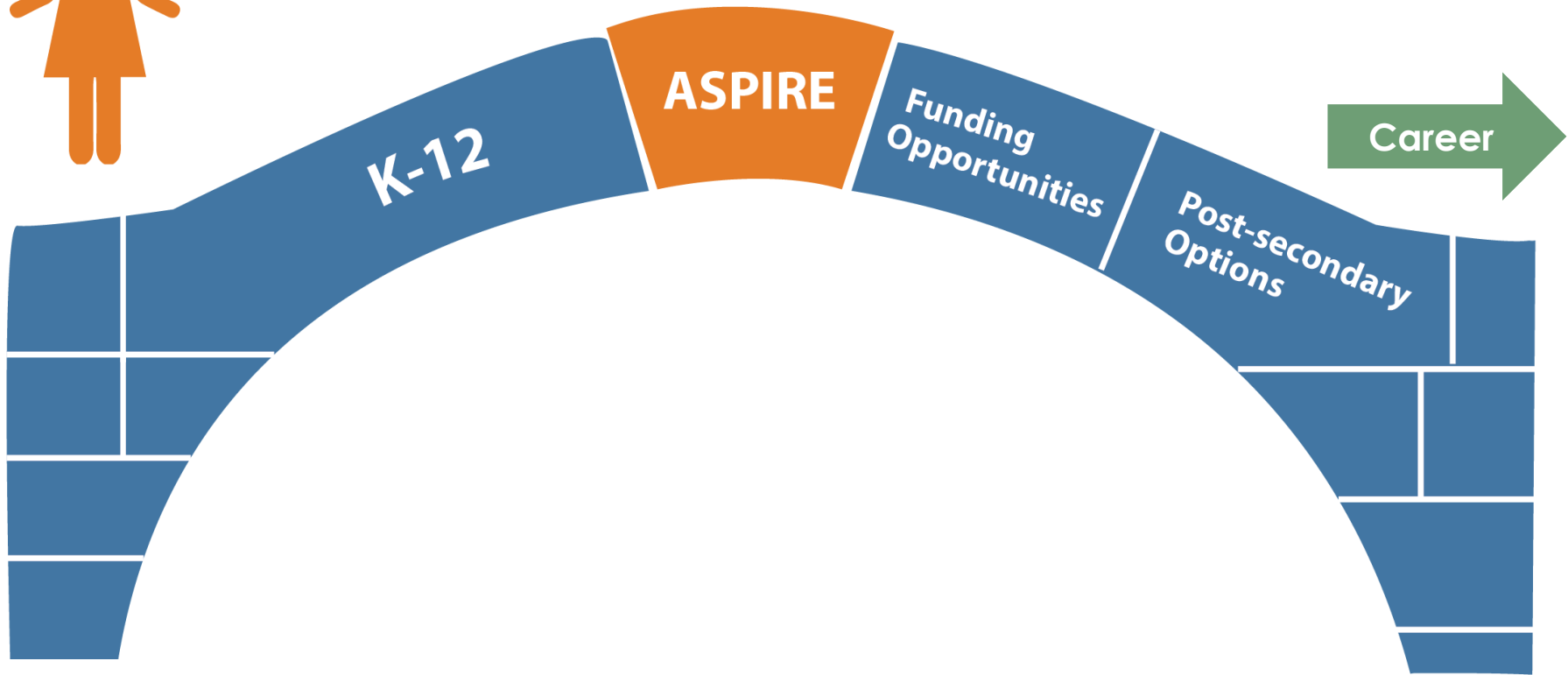
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GOVERNOR'S RECOMMENDED BUDGET (GRB): STATE SUPPORT FOR OREGON ASPIRE

Activity	Description	2015-17 LAB	2017-19 CSL	2017-19 GRB
Continue Oregon ASPIRE	Continue ASPIRE program to help students plan their post-high school educational career through mentoring in more than 157 locations statewide.	\$1.6 M GF	\$1.8 M GF	\$1.8 M GF
Change from 2015-17				+7.4% from LAB +2.0% from CSL

Note: This slide contains General Fund (GF) and Lottery Fund (LF) dollars, not Other Funds. LAB: Legislatively Adopted Budget, GRB: Governor's Recommended Budget, CSL: Current Service Level, M: Millions.

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Work with ALL students to:
EXPLORE all career and education options
CHOOSE the best fit
APPLY and **PAY** for educational choice



MISSION: ASPIRE is the State of Oregon's mentoring program, helping students statewide to plan for, and access, education and training beyond high school.

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Supporting the 40-40-20 Goal

Students who receive mentoring will:

Better understand long-term financial impact of post-secondary decisions

Receive help exploring post-secondary and financial aid options

Receive help applying for post-secondary and financial aid options



ENGAGING VOLUNTEERS AND STUDENTS

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ASPIRE TOOLS AND RESOURCES

For Volunteers and Coordinators



Online Trainings and Resources



Statewide and Regional Training



Funding for sites to develop program

For Students and Families



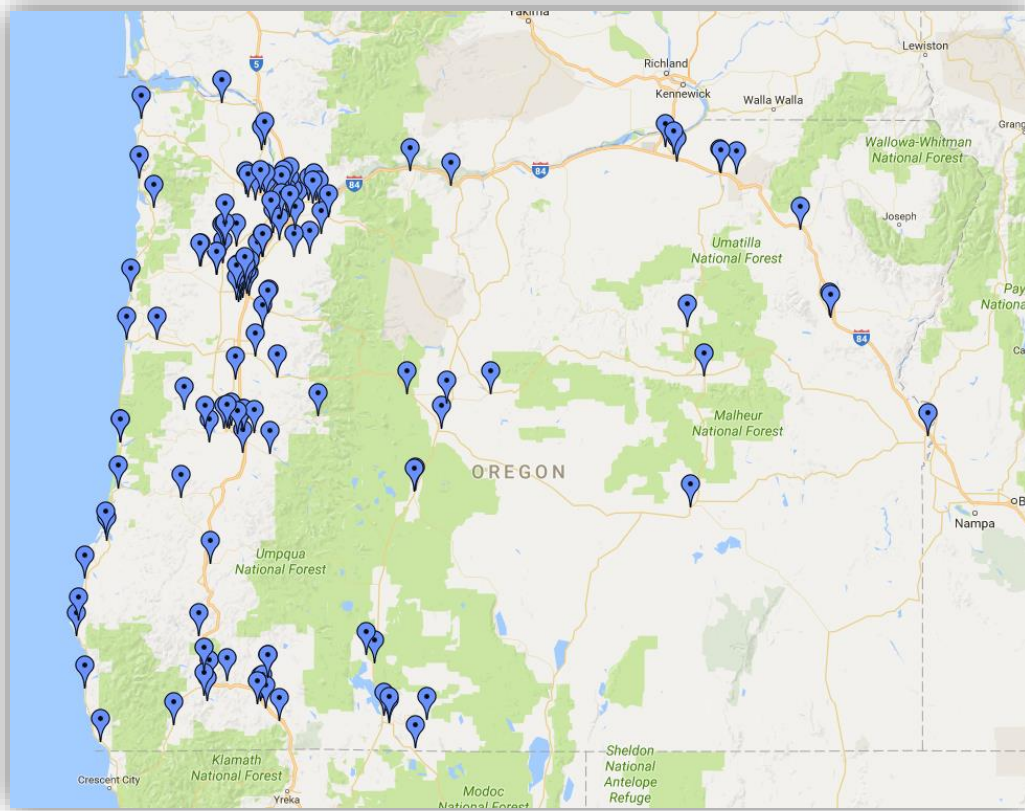
Presentations and training



Published resources

ASPIRE OREGON: SITES AND VOLUNTEER RESOURCES, 2015-16

ASPIRE facilitates volunteers efforts valued at over a **MILLION** dollars.



157 middle school, high school, community-based organization and college sites

1,575 mentors donated **54,000** hours to support students, valued at more than **\$1,230,000***

* Based on an evaluation by *Independent Sector*

For a list of participating sites: www.OregonStudentAid.gov

ASPIRE OREGON: OUR STUDENTS, 2015-16

10,250
students
served

- **35%** identified as students of color
- **54%** had at least one parent who did not attend college

Student
achievements

- **67%** applied for at least one scholarship
- **84%** applied for financial aid
- **92%** applied to or are planning to attend at least one college, university, or technical/vocational program within one year of high school

ASPIRE ANNUAL REPORT 2015-16



Annual Report 2015-16

- Site Information
- List of Partners
- Survey Results
- Student Outcomes



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