

## **IC 22-4.1-12**

### Chapter 12. Indiana Education Employment Program

## **IC 22-4.1-12-1**

### **"Eligible student"**

Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "eligible student" means:

- (1) a student who is:
  - (A) enrolled in a public high school as a senior;
  - (B) at risk of withdrawing from school before graduation;and
  - (C) at risk under the criteria for determining the at risk index (as defined in IC 21-3-1.6-1.1(l) before its repeal July 1, 2006); or
- (2) a student who is enrolled in the final year of a special education program.

*As added by P.L.1-2005, SEC.42. Amended by P.L.2-2006, SEC.179.*

## **IC 22-4.1-12-2**

### **"Job specialist"**

Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "job specialist" means a person employed by the school corporation who:

- (1) has knowledge in job placement counseling;
- (2) has tutoring skills; and
- (3) meets the criteria established by the department to act as a job specialist.

*As added by P.L.1-2005, SEC.42.*

## **IC 22-4.1-12-3**

### **"Program"**

Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "program" refers to the Indiana education employment program established under section 4 of this chapter.

*As added by P.L.1-2005, SEC.42.*

## **IC 22-4.1-12-4**

### **Department shall establish; purpose; goals**

Sec. 4. (a) The department shall establish the Indiana education employment program to:

- (1) assist eligible students to successfully make the transition from school to the work or employment setting; and
  - (2) provide financial assistance to private industry councils (as defined in 29 U.S.C. 1501 et seq.) to involve school corporations that agree to jointly participate in the program.
- (b) The goals of the program are as follows:
- (1) The program will prevent withdrawal from school before graduation.
  - (2) Eligible students, through the program, will:
    - (A) attain high school graduation;
    - (B) receive job placement assistance;
    - (C) receive follow-up services for one (1) year after job

placement; and  
(D) receive recognition in the form of a pay raise or promotion within one (1) year after beginning employment.  
*As added by P.L.1-2005, SEC.42. Amended by P.L.1-2006, SEC.345.*

#### **IC 22-4.1-12-5**

##### **Job specialist duties**

Sec. 5. Each job specialist has the following duties:

- (1) Meet with each participating eligible student:
  - (A) to provide tutoring services;
  - (B) for counseling; or
  - (C) for other student services required under the program.
- (2) Actively seek employment positions for the participating eligible student in fields that are consistent with the student's abilities and strengths.
- (3) Keep accurate and complete records of all student services offered and the results attained.

*As added by P.L.1-2005, SEC.42.*

#### **IC 22-4.1-12-6**

##### **Eligible student participation in after school organization**

Sec. 6. Each participating eligible student shall participate in an after school organization formed particularly for all eligible students participating in the program.

*As added by P.L.1-2005, SEC.42.*

#### **IC 22-4.1-12-7**

##### **Rules; guidelines**

Sec. 7. (a) The department shall adopt rules, under IC 4-22-2 to implement this chapter.

(b) The department shall develop guidelines necessary to implement the program, including guidelines governing the qualifications required of a job specialist.

*As added by P.L.1-2005, SEC.42.*