

Alternative Education Programs List

Proviso 1.89 for Fiscal Year 2025-2026 The State Department of Education shall create, publish, and provide to all public schools in the State a list of alternative education programs that can award a high school diploma or high school equivalency credential. The list must include, but not be limited to, the Wil Lou Gray Opportunity School and the South Carolina Youth Challenge Academy. Schools shall distribute information provided by the Wil Lou Gray Opportunity School, the South Carolina Youth Challenge Academy, and any other appropriate alternative diploma-seeking education program to students age sixteen or older who are not on track for on-time graduation or who otherwise are at risk of dropping out of school. The names and addresses of all students age sixteen or older who are not on track for on-time graduation or who are otherwise at risk of dropping out of school, except for students who have opted out of disclosure of directory information under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, 20 U.S.C. Section 1232g will be made available to these institutions. Parents or students age eighteen or older may complete a form to opt the student out of the disclosure of student contact information with these institutions. The department shall develop this opt-out and each district shall make the form available on its website.

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Adult Education Programs Statewide

Website: [Locations and Services - Adult Education](#)

Bamberg Job Corps Center

19 Job Corps Avenue
Bamberg, SC 29003

Phone: 1-800-733-5627

Website: [Job Corps | Bamberg](#)

Graduation Alliance

Phone: 1-855-486-8855

Website: [New Diploma Program for South Carolina Adults - Graduation Alliance](#)

South Carolina Youth Challenge Academy

5471 Leesburg Road
Building 3892
Eastover, SC 29044

Phone: (803) 299-4709

Phone: (803) 299-4872

Website: [SC Youth ChalleNGe Academy](#)

Wil Lou Gray Opportunity School

3300 W Campus Rd,
West Columbia, SC 29170

Phone: (803) 896.6480

Phone: (803) 896.6461

Website: [Wil Lou Gray Opportunity School](#)