



# COLORADO Early Colleges

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## **Postsecondary and Workforce Readiness Indicator (PWR) School Performance Framework (SPF)**

### **Problem**

1. Beginning in the school year 2016-2017 schools will be evaluated annually on 1) Academic Achievement, 2) Academic Growth, 3) Academic Growth Gaps and 4) Postsecondary and Workforce Readiness Indicator (PWR).
2. PWR has four indicators it measures: 1) Graduation rates including overall and by disaggregated groups, 2) Dropout rates 3) Matriculation rates and 4) ACT test scores.
3. The four indicators do not adequately demonstrate PWR.

### **Solution**

1. Add an additional measure to determine attainment of PWR
2. Base it on the demonstration options available to students at each public high school.
3. Use the existing high school graduation guidelines to allow schools to demonstrate PWR.
4. Gives flexibility to high schools and districts to emphasize their areas of strength for the students who graduate from their schools.
5. Schools and districts can use the same reporting measurements they will need for the high school graduation guidelines.