

What is MaineSpark's Goal?

60% of the Maine population with a credential of value by 2025.

At least 25% of the newly credentialed Mainers will be students from sixth grade and up.

What is MaineSpark's Future Success?

Future Success is one of four areas of focus—or “tracks”—of the MaineSpark initiative.

The Future Success track offers information, support, and resources to prepare Maine's youth for college, trainings and career options that will lead to successful adult lives.

What is the MaineSpark Future Success vision?

Future Success will help Maine's students **connect** to their future by



providing tools that support students in successfully transitioning from high school to their next education and/or career path



increasing the number of students enrolling in Career and Technical Education experiences



drawing a clear connection between education and jobs



developing school-based workforce **recruitment** and education **leadership**

What are “Credentials of Value” and why is MaineSpark focusing on them?

MaineSpark defines a credential of value as a recognized degree, diploma, certificate or credential that leads to further education and high quality employment.

Who's working on MaineSpark's Future Success?

A diverse group of public and private higher education institutions, businesses, philanthropic groups, state departments, and non-profit organizations.

(For the most up-to-date list, visit mainespark.me)

The Future Success group is part of the New England Alliances for College and Career Readiness. A diverse group of organizations supported by the Nellie Mae Education Foundation working together toward a common vision and speaking with one voice.



How can YOU help Maine reach the goal of 60% by 2025?



Keep doing the good work you're already doing, and tell us about it!



Strengthen collaborations and partnerships with other MaineSpark agencies and in your local community.



Go to mainespark.me to get involved and stay in touch



Send stories of how your organization is helping Maine get to 60% by 2025 to futuresuccess@mainespark.me

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 GEAR UP - Maine
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 JMG
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 Maine College Access Network

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