JAG Accepted Barrier List*

Group Description

A  One or more modal grades behind peers
A  Has repeated a grade in school
A  Low academic performance
A  Basic skills deficient (reading and math in particular)
A  Limited English proficiency
A  Did not pass the state proficiency exam
A  A past record of excessive absences as verified by school officials
A  Has been suspended, expelled, or put on probation during high school
A  Has dropped out of school previously
E  Family environment not conducive to education or career goals
E  Mother did not graduate from high school
E  Father did not graduate from high school
E  Mother does not work
E  Father does not work
E  Is pregnant
E  Has dependent child(ren) in the home
E  Is parenting
E  Has documented alcohol and/or substance abuse
E  Convicted of a criminal offense other than a traffic violation

*Legend:  A=Academic; E=Environment; P=Personal; W=Work readiness
E  Has a record of violent behavior
E  Homeless
E  Runaway
E  Requires child care during work or school
E  Needs transportation to and from work or school
E  Foster Care
E  Child of Incarcerated Parent
E  Child of Migrant Worker
E  Parent(s) currently or formerly in the military (Use to ID a military engaged student)
O  Other
P  Special education certified
P  Lacks motivation or maturity to pursue education or career goals
P  Emotional disorder which impairs education or career goals
P  Has a disability
P  Health problems which impair education or career goals
W  Economically disadvantaged as defined by public assistance, TANF, or free lunch
W  Having inadequate or no work experience
W  Lacks marketable occupational skills that are in demand in the local labor market

*Legend:  A=Academic; E=Environment; P=Personal; W=Work readiness*