

# STUDENT SUCCESS

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...OT AFRAID ANY MORE.  
...- CESAR CHAVEZ.

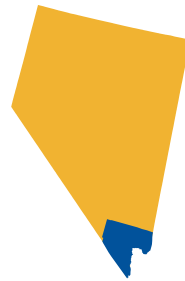


## JORGE'S STORY

As a high school junior, Jorge thought college was completely out of the question. He qualified for free and reduced lunch, barely managed to pass his classes, and didn't care about school. All that changed when he met Erica Mosca, founder and executive director of Leaders in Training, a United Way funded partner.

When Jorge began the Leaders in Training program, he was quiet and unengaged. He considered himself anything but a leader. Jorge used his own advocacy and determination and continued to go to Leaders in Training meetings. Over time he started to feel more comfortable and began to actively participate in the program. Not only did Jorge graduate from high school, he earned a 3.6 grade point average at Nevada State College after his first year.

Jorge is transferring to University of Nevada, Reno where he received a full-tuition scholarship as a transfer student. He is committed to using his education and success to help others in East Las Vegas fulfill their potential. Through Jorge's dedication, he has inspired his two younger cousins to be a part of Leaders in Training, and his mom is a consistent volunteer with the program.



## OUR GOAL:

Increase the graduation rate in Clark County high schools that are below the average graduation rate of 82.71%.

## WORKING WITH AND THROUGH PARTNERS, HERE'S WHAT WE CAN DO:



**2,486**  
STUDENTS  
ON TRACK TO  
GRADUATE



**4,814**  
STUDENTS  
RECEIVING SUPPORT  
TO GRADUATE

\*FY18 Results