

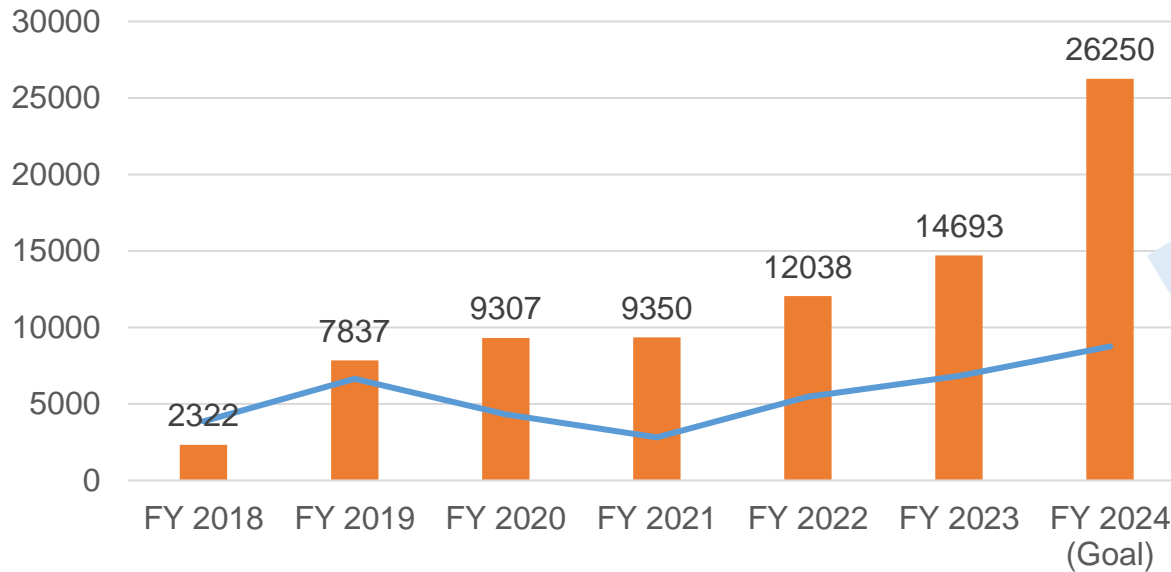
GVRA Updates

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Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency Students Served Updates

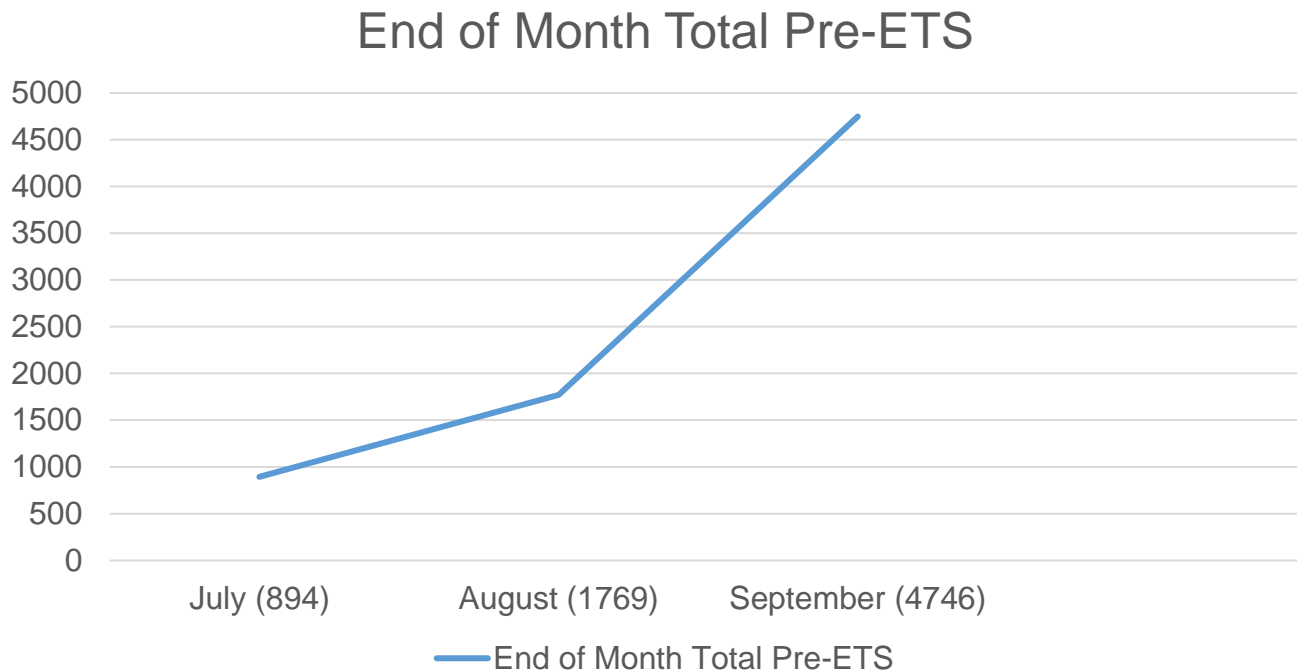


As of Sept 30, 2023
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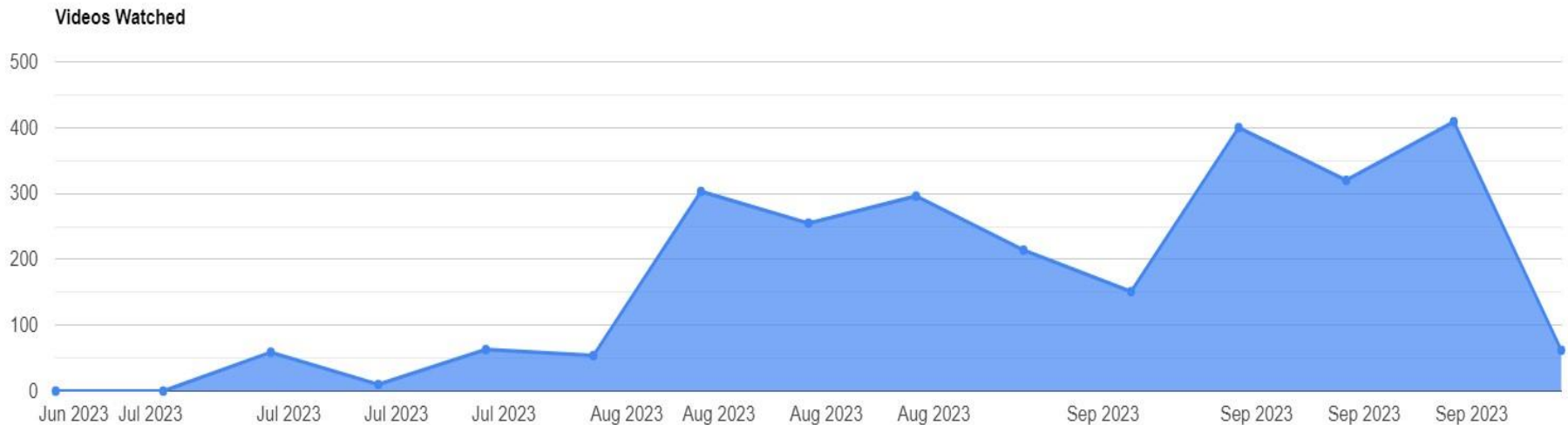
Students Served New Referrals

Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency Pre-ETS Updates 2023-2024



Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency Virtual Pre-ETS Pathful Explore Updates

Total GVRA student accounts increased from 7045 as of August 7, 2023 to **7788 as of October 3, 2023**





Georgia Vocational
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2023-2024 School Year

- ✓ GVRA Participation at Parent Mentor Partnership Kickoff Sept2023

- Joint Training and Announcements with GaDOE & LEAs
 - ❖ 4 Webinars on utilizing Pathful Explore/Virtual Job Shadow
 - ❖ 2 Workshops for CTI Coordinators
 - ❖ Updates during Directors' Webinars
 - ❖ Collaboration for SDLMI use
 - ❖ GVRA will be at GVEST & GCASE



2023-2024 School Year

- Special Projects Targeting Transition
 - ❖ Pre-ETS at Macon, Augusta, Rockdale YDCs
 - ❖ Supported Education at Albany Technical College & Emory University, planning with UGA and Georgia State
 - ❖ DJJ Train to Gain in Augusta YDC
 - ❖ Assistive Technology Partnership
 - ❖ Deaf/Blind Referral project with GA Sensory Assistance Project
 - ❖ Policy revisions underway to speed up VR process



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We Need Your Help

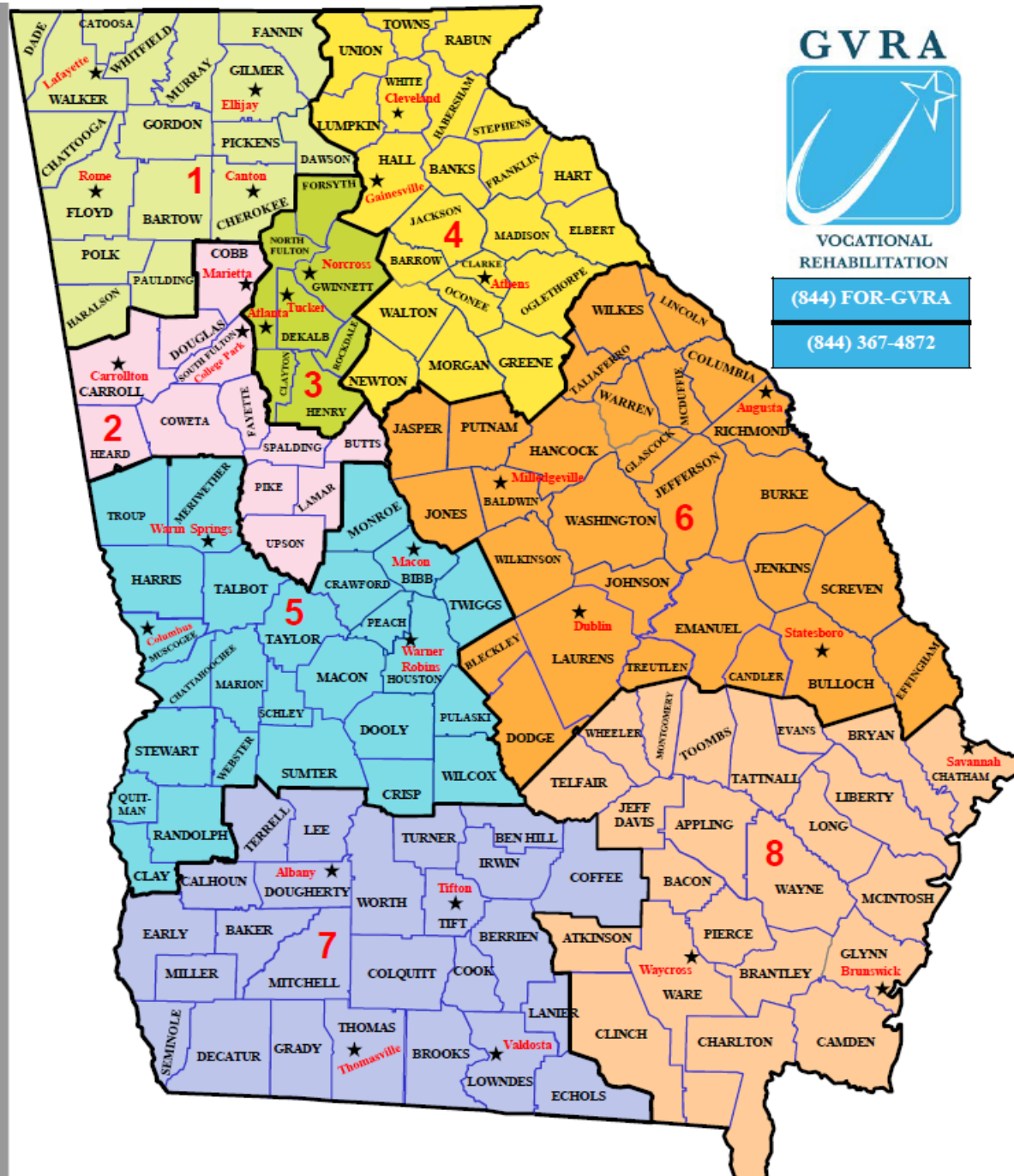
- **Parental Permission Forms** required to refer students 14-21 to GVRA for Pre-ETS
- **Copy of IEP or 504 plan** required before a student can receive Pre-ETS
- **Invitations to IEP meetings**
- **Pre-ETS only vs VR Cases**
- **Copy of Final HS Transcript** showing graduation date required
- **Communication** at field staff, Field Leadership, and Transition Leadership levels

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