**Graduation Certification Report Webinar QnA’s**

Q: If a student leaves during the year, but then receives a diploma from Adult Ed in June of that same year, can they count as a graduate?

A: It depends. If your high school accepts the adult ed credits and will award the student a high school diploma, then you can graduate them. If you will not be giving them a diploma and the adult ed program will, these do not count.

Q: Should 5th year students show up as dropouts if they returned to school prior to 10/01 the following school year?

A: We have a dropout webinar tomorrow where we'll discuss dropout reporting. Students who aren't in the 4-year graduation report only means they didn’t graduate yet. It does not mean they are have counted as a dropout.

Q: I think that I remember once they have been counted as a drop out, then they are a drop out regardless of whether they decide to return to high school for a 5th year after dropping out. Is that correct?

A: Dropouts can still graduate. If the student didn't return on October 1st of their 5th year of school, they would be counted as a dropout even if they returned later.