Graduation Rate

Average graduation rate for Black Hawk County is 92.3% (2018)
Graduation rates range from 84.2% to 97.7% for Black Hawk County school districts (2018)

Overall Graduation Rates for Cedar Falls and Waterloo Combined

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Based on a survey conducted in 2019 at 6 events, "school readiness and educational attainment" was reported as the top factor that makes a community healthy.

Survey locations included Juneteenth, Waterloo Urban Farmers Market, Peoples Clinic Tent Event, North End Fest, Cedar Valley Pridefest, and Veteran’s Stand Down.

A workshop with community leaders was held on June 27th, 2019 to understand what accounts for the current level of equity experienced by our community.

"Quality and access to education" was reported as the most positive enabling force for the community.

Source
Community Themes and Strengths Assessment
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