

# Implementing the Youth Guarantee in Austria

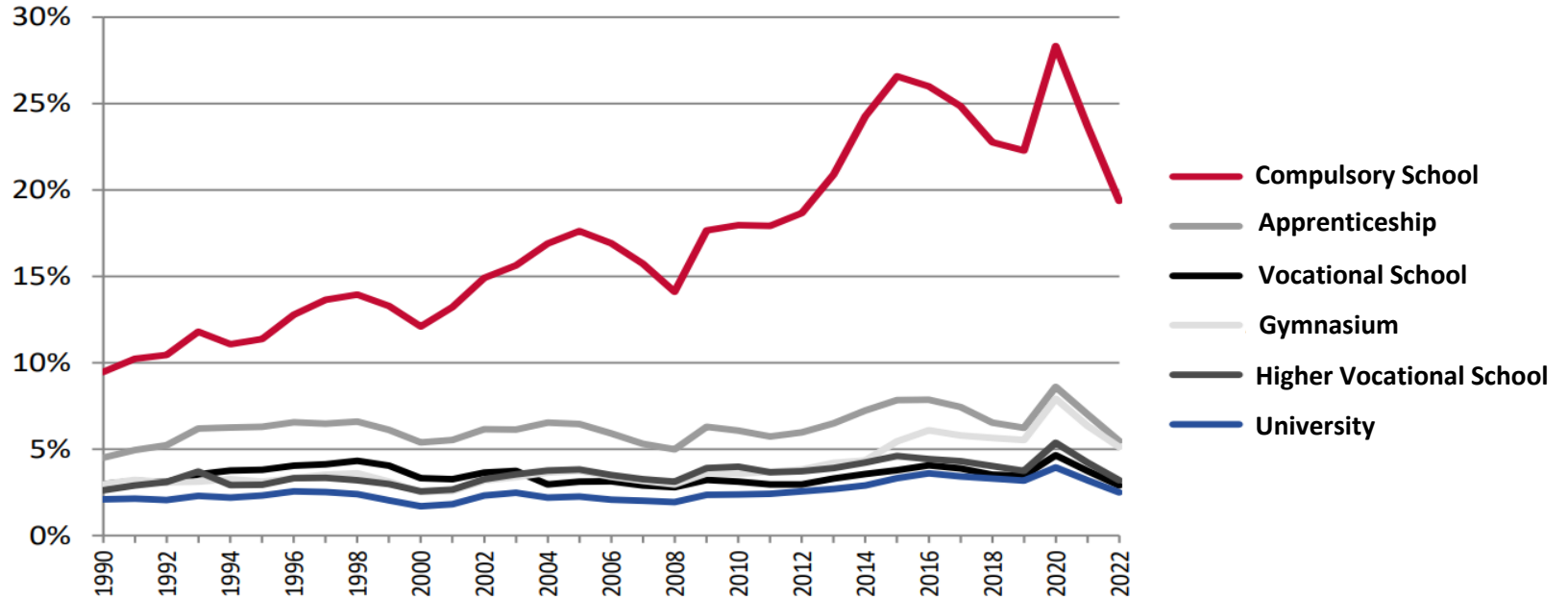
## Education Until 18 and the Associated Monitoring Systems

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# Education Until 18 – Why?

## Unemployment Rate by Level of Education



## Education Until 18

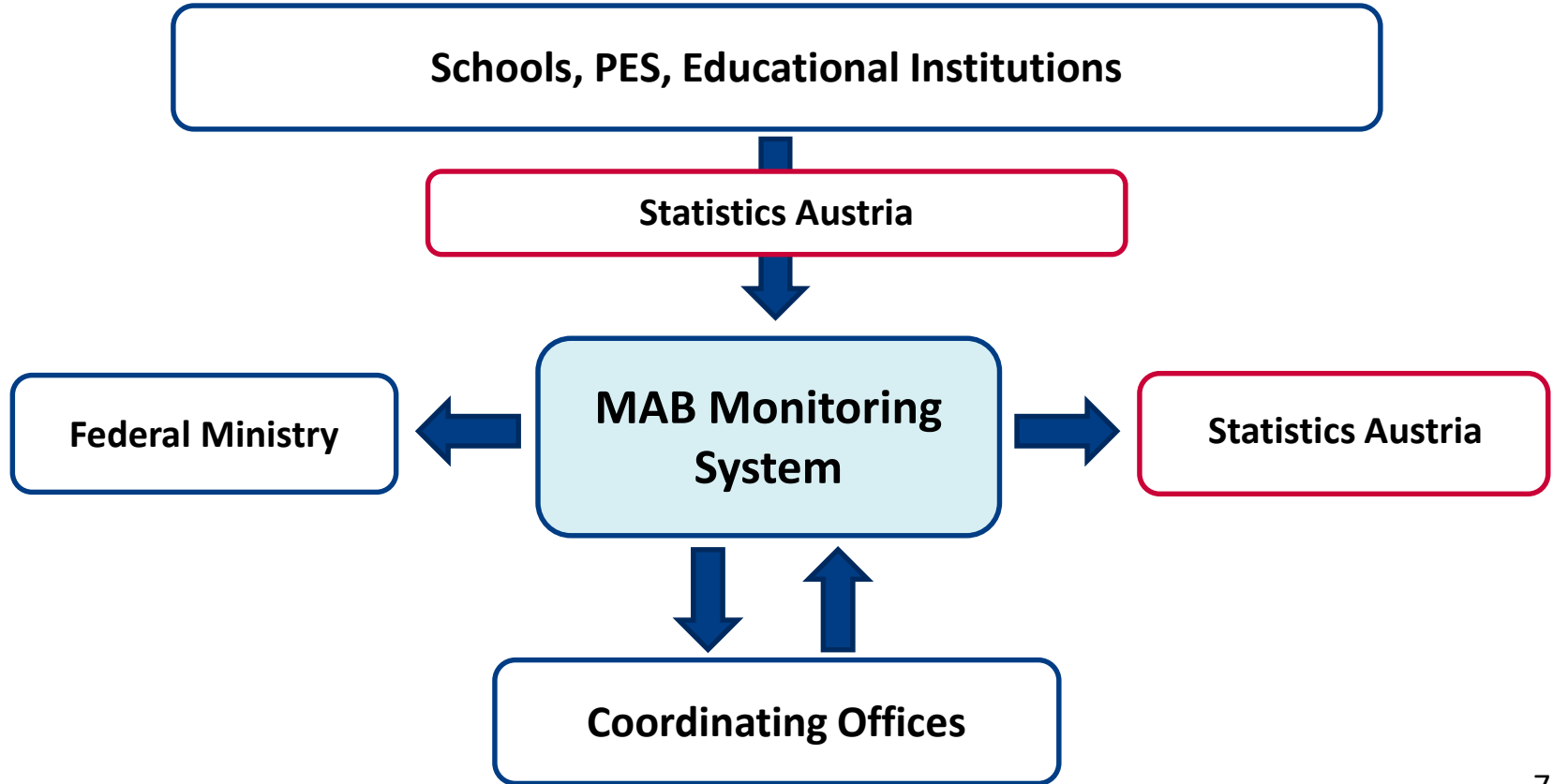
- Comprehensive initiative aiming to increase overall level of education to promote social inclusion as well as labour market integration
- Respective law was introduced 2016
- After completing 9 years of compulsory schooling youth under 18 are obliged to pursue further education or training
- In order to provide youth with individualized support a broad range of educational offers were introduced or adapted
- Legal obligation to report non-compliance ensures provision of offers

## Monitoring System - Education Until 18 (MAB)

- All schools and educational institutions as well as the PES are obliged to report entries and dropouts of youth under 18
- Crucial reporting tool to reach target group – serviced by Statistics Austria
- Institutions without direct interface to Statistics Austria can use a web-application
- Personal data and addresses can be obtained through interface with the central population register
- Regional coordinating offices have access to this database and can contact those not in education or training for more than three months

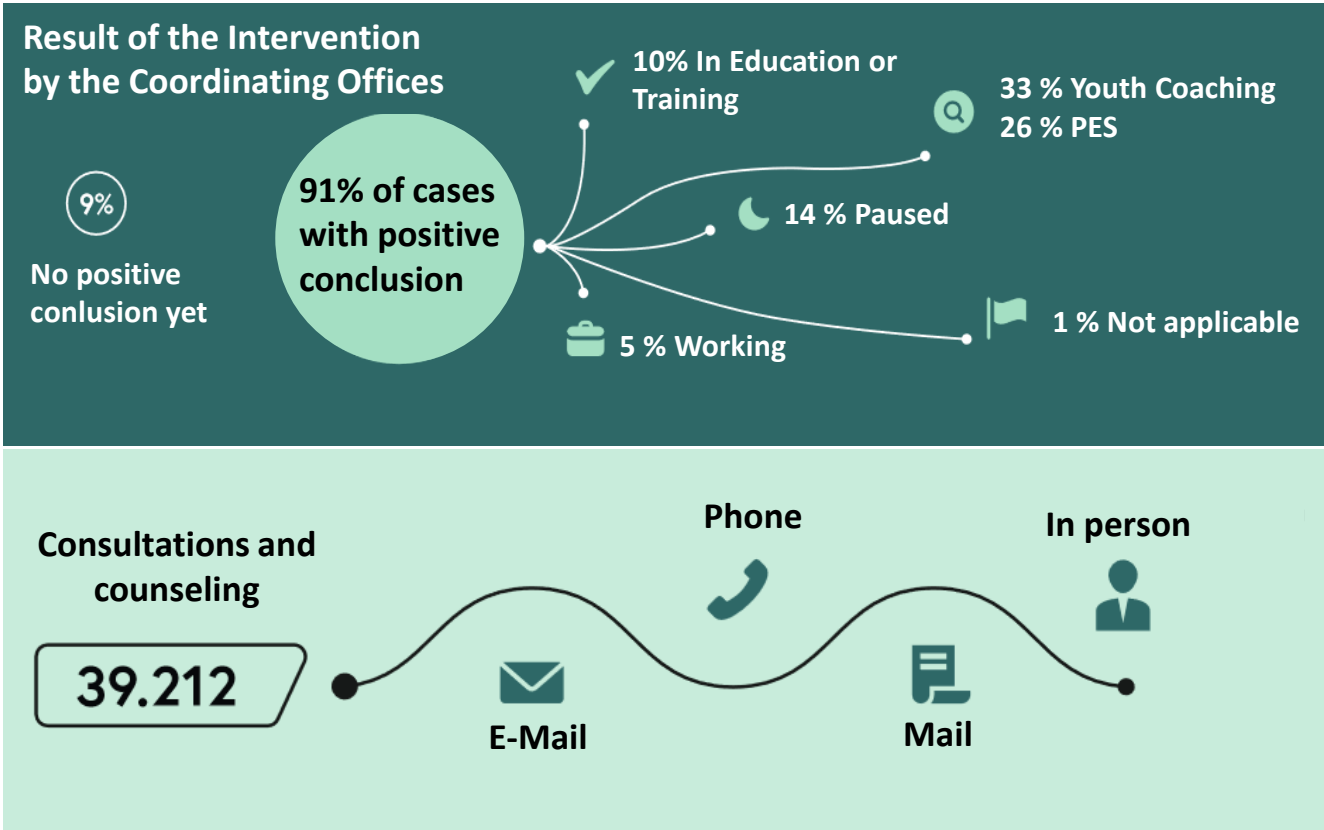
## Coordinating Offices

- They contact and counsel youth under 18 who are not in education or training – with the aim of relating them to further educational offers
- Regional coordinating offices in every federal state and one central office
- They act as information hubs and central contact points. As such their tasks include:
  - Networking and knowledge transfer between institutions
  - Conducting regular events (e.g. fairs, workshops) on the Education until 18 for both involved institutions as well as the target group



Beendigungsarten - Österreich (Jahresvergleich)			
Begleitungen von ausbildungspflichtverletzenden Jugendlichen			
		2023	2024
		01.01.-27.05.	01.01.-27.05.
<b>Begleitungen von ausbildungspflichtverletzenden Jugendlichen (gesamt)</b>		<b>2.210</b>	<b>2.792</b>
<b>Geschlecht</b>			
weiblich		44,4 %	43,7 %
männlich		55,6 %	56,3 %
divers/inter/offen/kein Angabe/unbekannt		0,0 %	0,0 %
<b>Alter bei Start der Begleitung</b>			
14		0,0 %	0,0 %
15		15,3 %	18,2 %
16		40,0 %	40,4 %
17		44,7 %	41,4 %
<b>Status bei Beendigung der Begleitung</b>			
<i>Begleitung positiv abgeschlossen: Erfüllung der Ausbildungspflicht</i>	Zusage eines Ausbildungsplatzes vorhanden	6,2 %	5,0 %
	Betreuung durch Jugendcoaching	33,7 %	33,4 %
	Betreuung durch AMS	26,8 %	33,5 %
	erwerbstätig (§5 APfIG) - Abklärung durch Jugendcoaching	5,8 %	4,7 %
	keine weitere Meldung über Ausbildungspflichtverletzung (§13 APfIG)	2,3 %	0,8 %
	Ausbildungspflicht ruht (§ 7 APfIG)	17,9 %	16,2 %
<b>Erfüllung der Ausbildungspflicht (Zwischensumme)</b>		<b>92,7 %</b>	<b>93,6 %</b>
<i>bislang kein positives Ergebnis</i>	Ausbildungsstatus unklar	2,3 %	2,0 %
	Einleitung Sanktionierung	3,4 %	2,7 %
	Sonstiges	1,6 %	1,6 %
<b>bislang kein positives Ergebnis (Zwischensumme)</b>		<b>7,3 %</b>	<b>6,4 %</b>
<b>Summe</b>		<b>100,0 %</b>	<b>100,0 %</b>

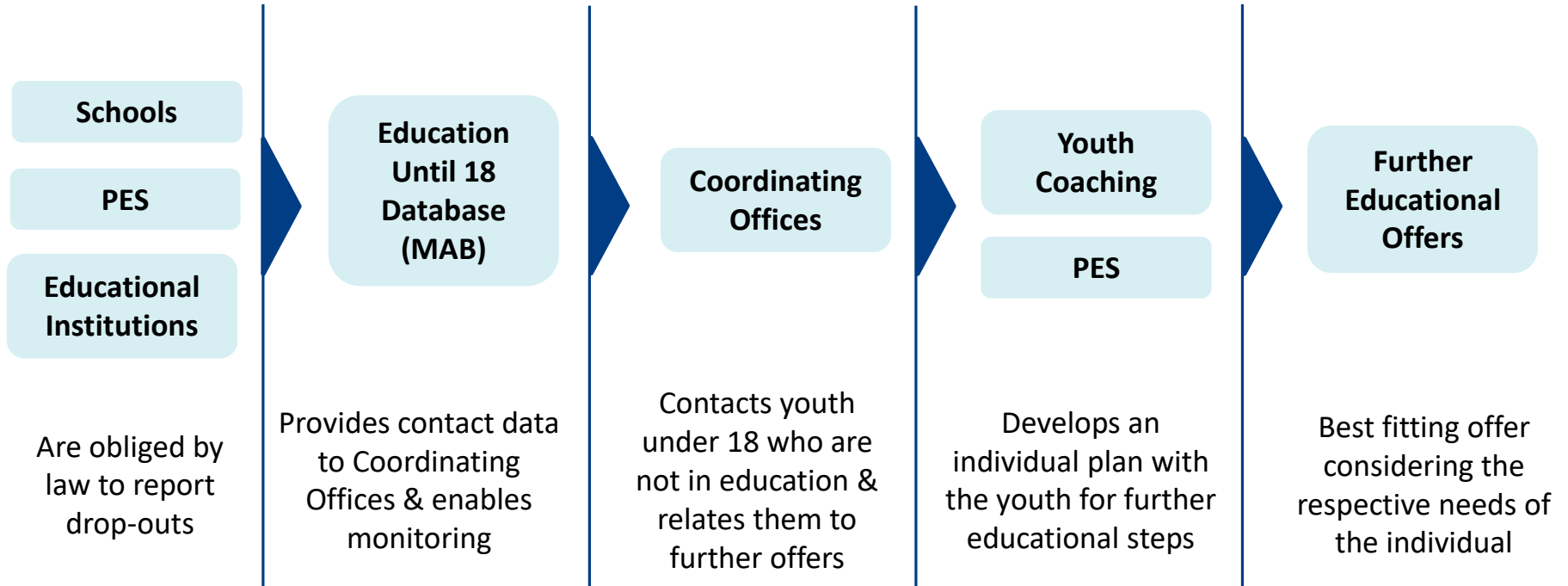




## Youth Coaching

- Youth Coaching is a program that significantly contributes to preventing school dropouts and re-integrating young people into the educational system
- Key success factors of Youth Coaching include:
  - Individual counselling: Youth and coach develop a plan together
  - Personal support in case management
- Cases are reported into a central data base (WABA)
- In 2023, there were over 70,000 participants, setting a new participation record

## Education Until 18 – A Closely Interlaced System



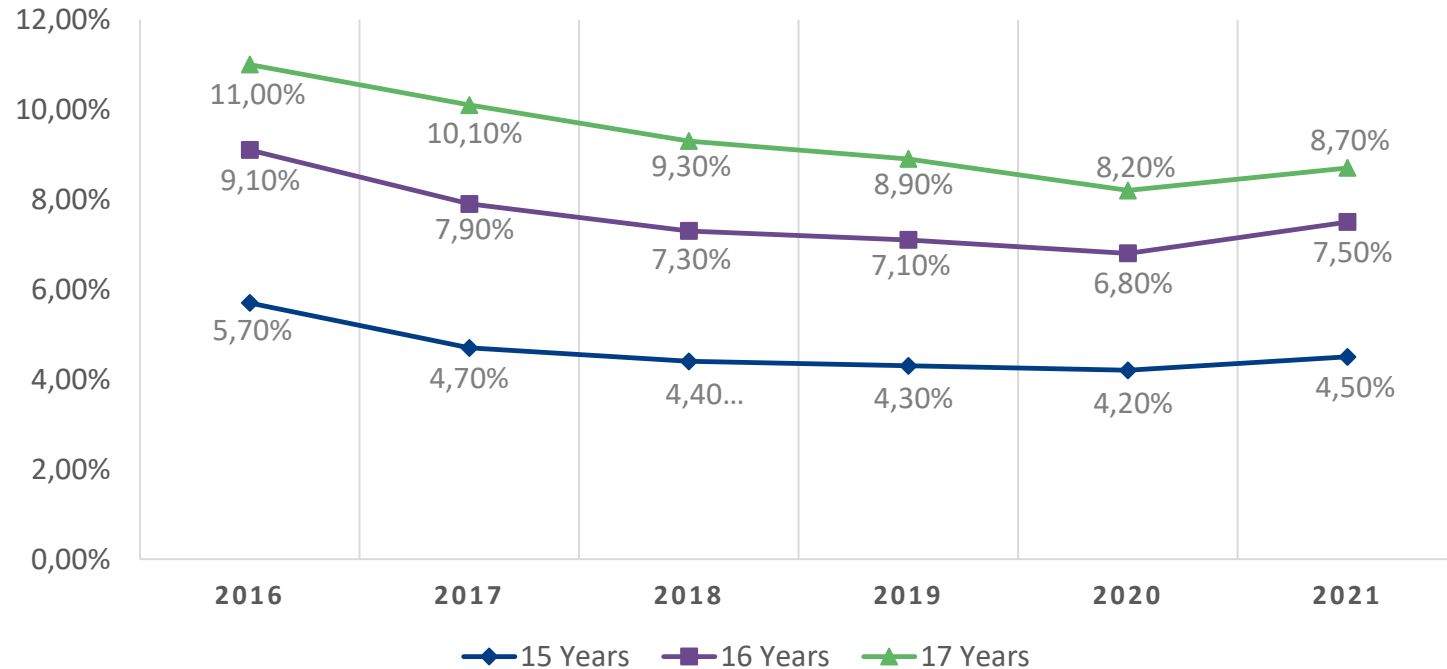
# Comprehensive Monitoring

- **Monitoring Systems for the Interventions of Coordinating Offices**
  - *Monitoring System Education Until 18 (MAB)*
  - *Intervention Monitoring Education Until 18*
- **Monitoring Systems for low-threshold educational offers**
  - *WABA Data Base*
  - *Monitoring System for Youth Coaching*
- **Monitoring System for career paths and labour market status**
  - *Education-Related Career Monitoring (BibEr)*

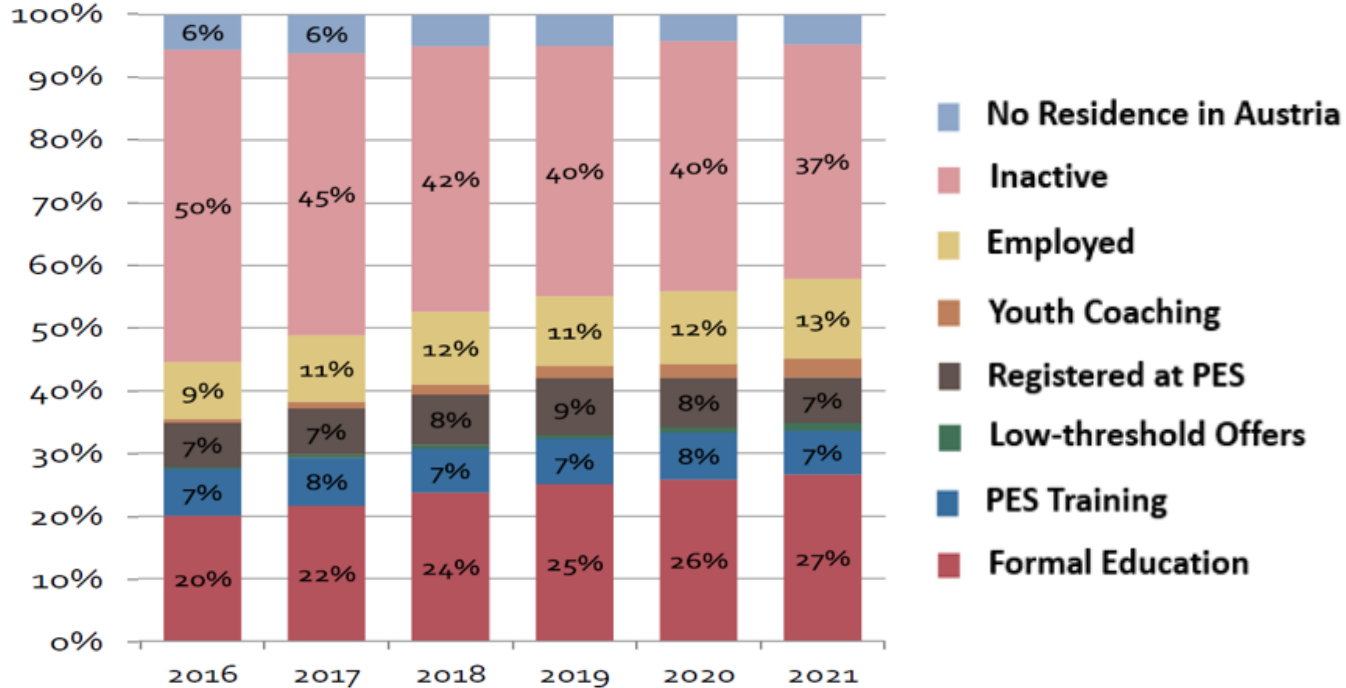
## Education-Related Career Monitoring (BiBer)

- Blends data from the educational system with labour market data
- Depicts career paths and income development of individuals
- Enables tracking of vulnerable groups: NEETs and Early School Leavers
- Can be accessed via web-application
- Used by other monitoring systems as a data source

## Change in the Rate of Early School Leavers



# Labour Market Status of Early School Leavers after 12 Months



## Intervention Monitoring Education Until 18

- Captures the long-term labour market status of youth after intervention by the Coordinating Offices
- Blends data from the Monitoring System Until 18 with data from the Education-related Career Monitoring
- Can be accessed via web-application - Updated quarterly with a comprehensive report provided yearly
- Analysis on how affected youth differ regarding socio-demographic or regional characteristics possible



# Intervention Monitoring Education Until 18

## Labour Market Status after Intervention by the Coordinating Office

	In education or training	In Youth Coaching or at PES	Working	Not applicable (e.g. moved away)	Other status (e.g. inactive)
<b>After 4 Months</b>	31%	25%	10%	6%	31%
<b>After 12 Months</b>	40%	13%	12%	6%	28%

## Conclusion

### Implementation of the Education Until 18 rests on four pillars:

- **Complementarity:** Diverse and individualized offers that build up on each other
- **Continuous support:** Coaching and case management
- **Connectedness:** Involved institutions communicate and are in constant exchange
- **Monitoring:** Knowing who needs support and being able to reach them

**Aim: Ensuring that all youth obtain the best possible education!**

# Thank You for Your Attention!

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