

Occupations Openings by Priority Sector

2018 – 2023 (5-Year Projection)

SOC	Advanced Manufacturing Occupation	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	2,730	\$18.51
51-4041	Machinists	1,659	\$19.96
51-4121	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	1,097	\$17.94
49-3011	Aircraft Mechanics and Service Technicians	676	\$31.48
51-4011	Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal and Plastic	569	\$17.72
Total Advanced Manufacturing Openings		6,731	Average \$21.12

SOC	Advanced Transportation Occupations	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	6,348	\$19.61
53-3033	Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers	4,609	\$15.69
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	2,657	\$16.68
43-5061	Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks	2,526	\$22.54
49-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	1,292	\$36.83
Total Advanced Transportation Openings		17,432	Average \$22.27

SOC	Ag, Water, and Environment Technology Occupations	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
39-9032	Recreation Workers	3,663	\$13.14
37-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Landscaping, Lawn Service, and Groundskeeping Workers	558	\$17.12
49-3042	Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines	452	\$29.52
29-2056	Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	343	\$18.32
27-1023	Floral Designers	167	\$11.80
Total Ag, Water, and Environment Technology Openings		5,183	Average \$17.19

SOC	Business and Entrepreneurship Occupations	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	10,891	\$17.59
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	8,626	\$54.90
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	6,926	\$27.87
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	6,348	\$33.96
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	6,289	\$25.11
Total Business and Entrepreneurship Openings		39,080	Average \$31.89

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SOC	Education Occupations (Program Not Priority Sector)	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
39-9011	Childcare Workers	8,193	\$10.04
25-9041	Teacher Assistants	6,568	\$16.88
21-1093	Social and Human Service Assistants	4,021	\$21.12
39-9032	Recreation Workers	3,663	\$13.14
27-2022	Coaches and Scouts	2,122	\$17.68
Total Education Openings		24,567	Average \$15.77

SOC	Energy, Construction, and Utilities Occupations	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
47-2031	Carpenters	4,377	\$16.53
47-2111	Electricians	2,967	\$28.56
47-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers	2,537	\$33.05
47-2152	Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	2,281	\$22.64
47-2141	Painters, Construction and Maintenance	1,882	\$14.82
Total Energy, Construction, and Utilities Openings		14,044	Average \$23.12

SOC	Global Trade Occupations	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	8,626	\$54.90
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	6,289	\$25.11
13-1028	Buyers and Purchasing Agents	2,026	\$29.81
41-4011	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Technical and Scientific Products	1,732	\$35.77
Total Global Trade Openings		18,673	Average \$29.12

SOC	Health Occupations	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
29-1141	Registered Nurses	7,809	\$45.02
31-1014	Nursing Assistants	6,069	\$14.13
35-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	5,906	\$14.72
31-1011	Home Health Aides	3,760	\$12.03
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	2,607	\$24.39
Total Health Openings		26,151	Average \$22.06

SOC	Information and Communication Technologies/Digital Media Occupations	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
43-6014	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	11,558	\$19.18
15-1132	Software Developers, Applications	2,650	\$53.01
27-2012	Producers and Directors	2,457	\$43.87
15-1151	Computer User Support Specialists	2,261	\$26.66
15-1121	Computer Systems Analysts	1,466	\$43.48
Total ICT/DM Openings		20,392	Average \$37.24

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SOC	Life Science/Biotechnology Occupations	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	2,730	\$18.51
29-2018	Clinical Laboratory Technologists and Technicians	932	\$24.31
19-4099	Life, Physical, and Social Science Technicians, All Other	324	\$22.43
19-4021	Biological Technicians	299	\$23.44
Total Life Science/Biotechnology Openings		4,285	Average \$22.17

SOC	Public Safety Occupations (Program Not Sector)	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
33-3051	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	2,340	\$49.95
33-2011	Firefighters	668	\$38.88
33-3012	Correctional Officers and Jailers	399	\$30.52
33-3021	Detectives and Criminal Investigators	288	\$58.12
33-9021	Private Detectives and Investigators	158	\$25.27
Total Public Safety Openings		3,853	Average \$40.55

SOC	Retail, Hospitality, and Tourism Occupations	Annual Openings	Median Hourly Earnings
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	10,891	\$17.59
35-2014	Cooks, Restaurant	9,079	\$13.28
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	8,626	\$54.90
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	6,926	\$27.87
35-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	5,906	\$14.72
Total Retail, Hospitality, and Tourism Openings		41,428	Average \$25.67

Total Openings by Sector/Program and Average Median Hourly Earnings

• Retail, Hospitality, and Tourism	41,428 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$25.67
• Business and Entrepreneurship	39,080 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$31.89
• Health	26,151 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$22.06
• Education	24,567 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$15.77
• ICT/DM	20,392 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$37.24
• Global Trade	19,673 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$29.12
• Advanced Transportation	17,432 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$22.27
• Energy, Construction, and Utilities	14,004 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$23.12
• Advanced Manufacturing	6,731 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$21.12
• Ag, Water, Env Technology	5,183 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$17.19
• Life Science/Biotechnology	4,285 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$22.17
• Public Safety	3,853 Openings / Average Median Hourly Earnings \$40.55