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Occupational Employment Projections, Year 2022 Projected to Year 2032

Top 50 Occupations Based on Projected Average Annual Job Openings w/ 2024 Wages Above Median for All Occupations

SOC Code	Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) Title	2022 Employment Estimate	2032 Employment Projection	Projected Growth	Projected Percent Growth	Projected Average Annual Job Openings	Average Hourly Wage	Average Annual Wage
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	26,349	28,414	2,065	7.8%	3,050	\$26.56	\$55,240
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	28,201	30,557	2,356	8.4%	2,546	\$54.11	\$112,540
51-2090	Miscellaneous Assemblers and Fabricators	19,060	19,473	413	2.2%	2,077	\$20.43	\$42,500
29-1141	Registered Nurses	29,977	31,910	1,933	6.4%	1,856	\$38.21	\$79,470
41-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	17,198	16,382	-816	-4.7%	1,563	\$22.66	\$47,140
49-9071	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	13,820	14,530	710	5.1%	1,342	\$21.21	\$44,120
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	11,827	11,601	-226	-1.9%	1,333	\$20.61	\$42,860
47-2061	Construction Laborers	10,390	12,159	1,769	17.0%	1,136	\$18.89	\$39,290
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	11,970	11,755	-215	-1.8%	1,110	\$28.29	\$58,840
53-3033	Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers	8,495	9,371	876	10.3%	1,015	\$22.02	\$45,790
53-7051	Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	8,611	9,635	1,024	11.9%	977	\$20.58	\$42,810
51-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	9,278	10,056	778	8.4%	972	\$34.20	\$71,140
25-2021	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	12,510	13,032	522	4.2%	901	N/A	\$49,400
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	7,559	7,767	208	2.8%	895	\$20.89	\$43,450
43-5071	Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks	8,838	8,620	-218	-2.5%	858	\$19.21	\$39,970
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	8,553	9,232	679	7.9%	850	\$33.85	\$70,400
25-2031	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	12,402	12,961	559	4.5%	833	N/A	\$52,060
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	8,928	9,422	494	5.5%	743	\$24.02	\$49,960
47-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers	7,265	8,371	1,106	15.2%	726	\$34.66	\$72,090
51-4121	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	6,266	7,064	798	12.7%	724	\$24.69	\$51,360
33-3051	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	8,261	8,758	497	6.0%	695	\$21.85	\$45,450
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	7,371	7,725	354	4.8%	670	\$22.12	\$46,010
47-2111	Electricians	5,527	6,811	1,284	23.2%	665	\$26.35	\$54,810
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	7,601	8,159	558	7.3%	656	\$35.87	\$74,620
51-2028	Electrical, Electronic, and Electromechanical Assemblers, Except Coil Winders, Tapers, and Finishers	3,250	4,820	1,570	48.3%	582	\$19.08	\$39,690
49-9041	Industrial Machinery Mechanics	5,294	6,510	1,216	23.0%	576	\$29.26	\$60,860
53-1047	First-Line Supervisors of Transportation & Material Moving Workers, Exc Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisor	4,894	5,473	579	11.8%	572	\$30.14	\$62,700

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49-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	5,919	6,354	435	7.3%	546	\$34.88	\$72,560
11-9111	Medical and Health Services Managers	4,862	6,225	1,363	28.0%	519	\$49.89	\$103,770
25-2022	Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	6,432	6,708	276	4.3%	465	N/A	\$51,850
13-1071	Human Resources Specialists	4,929	5,270	341	6.9%	450	\$30.35	\$63,130
47-2073	Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	4,109	4,683	574	14.0%	425	\$23.28	\$48,420
13-1111	Management Analysts	4,085	4,720	635	15.5%	419	\$42.59	\$88,590
39-3011	Gaming Dealers	2,861	2,662	-199	-7.0%	418	\$21.88	\$45,510
41-3091	Sales Representatives of Services, Except Advertising, Insurance, Financial Services, and Travel	4,218	4,358	140	3.3%	414	\$27.88	\$58,000
47-2152	Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	3,574	4,251	677	18.9%	401	\$27.64	\$57,490
29-2052	Pharmacy Technicians	3,987	4,277	290	7.3%	399	\$19.05	\$39,620
29-1171	Nurse Practitioners	4,113	5,860	1,747	42.5%	396	\$59.10	\$122,930
13-1199	Business Operations Specialists, All Other	4,154	4,445	291	7.0%	395	\$38.43	\$79,930
31-9091	Dental Assistants	2,604	2,684	80	3.1%	370	\$19.31	\$40,160
11-3031	Financial Managers	3,889	4,713	824	21.2%	369	\$59.42	\$123,590
47-2031	Carpenters	3,665	4,063	398	10.9%	356	\$23.44	\$48,750
51-4041	Machinists	3,154	3,481	327	10.4%	354	\$25.58	\$53,210
39-9031	Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors	1,652	1,903	251	15.2%	351	\$19.97	\$41,530
43-4031	Court, Municipal, and License Clerks	3,197	3,400	203	6.3%	347	\$19.10	\$39,720
43-3021	Billing and Posting Clerks	3,307	3,345	38	1.1%	344	\$20.39	\$42,420
43-5061	Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks	2,741	3,183	442	16.1%	344	\$26.24	\$54,580
21-1021	Child, Family, and School Social Workers	3,838	4,163	325	8.5%	336	\$21.79	\$45,310
51-6093	Upholsterers	3,804	3,559	-245	-6.4%	317	\$20.79	\$43,240
49-9021	Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers	2,820	3,389	569	20.2%	314	\$24.14	\$50,210

Delta Workforce Development Area

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11-1021	General and Operations Managers	2,035	2,142	107	5.3%	175	\$53.09	\$110,422
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	1,415	1,470	55	3.9%	155	\$23.99	\$49,899
49-9071	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	1,362	1,376	14	1.0%	123	\$19.08	\$39,678
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	1,079	1,043	-36	-3.3%	119	\$20.44	\$42,513
41-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	1,295	1,219	-76	-5.9%	115	\$20.68	\$43,017
29-1141	Registered Nurses	1,644	1,784	140	8.5%	106	\$37.33	\$77,639
25-2021	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	1,141	1,238	97	8.5%	89	N/A	\$46,012
25-2031	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	1,210	1,317	107	8.8%	89	N/A	\$49,177
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	807	876	69	8.6%	71	\$25.03	\$52,055
53-3033	Light Truck Drivers	595	621	26	4.4%	67	\$19.22	\$39,968
33-3051	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	791	830	39	4.9%	66	\$21.27	\$44,235
51-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	618	682	64	10.4%	66	\$29.83	\$62,047
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	688	660	-28	-4.1%	61	\$26.75	\$55,648
25-2022	Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	693	754	61	8.8%	54	N/A	\$48,820
51-4121	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	494	533	39	7.9%	54	\$20.81	\$43,291
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	532	551	19	3.6%	50	\$32.20	\$66,974
21-1021	Child, Family, and School Social Workers	533	570	37	6.9%	46	\$20.69	\$43,043
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	526	526	0	0.0%	44	\$20.55	\$42,736
49-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	471	489	18	3.8%	41	\$31.98	\$66,521
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	454	484	30	6.6%	38	\$33.42	\$69,508
11-9111	Medical and Health Services Managers	327	428	101	30.9%	36	\$48.59	\$101,071
47-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers	367	399	32	8.7%	33	\$31.73	\$66,002
49-9041	Industrial Machinery Mechanics	295	356	61	20.7%	32	\$24.04	\$50,012
47-2073	Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	294	320	26	8.8%	29	\$20.59	\$42,827
47-2111	Electricians	241	286	45	18.7%	27	\$25.13	\$52,275

MS Partnership Workforce Development Area

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51-2090	Miscellaneous Assemblers and Fabricators	10,877	10,785	-92	-0.8%	1,135	\$19.72	\$41,013
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	8,877	9,540	663	7.5%	1,022	\$25.75	\$53,562
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	7,421	8,151	730	9.8%	685	\$52.58	\$109,366
53-7051	Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	4,356	4,969	613	14.1%	508	\$21.23	\$44,158
43-5071	Shipping, Receiving, and Inventory Clerks	4,862	4,867	5	0.1%	490	\$19.57	\$40,698
29-1141	Registered Nurses	7,461	8,132	671	9.0%	486	\$36.40	\$75,709
41-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	5,250	5,045	-205	-3.9%	485	\$22.50	\$46,808
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	3,602	3,659	57	1.6%	420	\$21.07	\$43,816
49-9071	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	3,778	4,075	297	7.9%	382	\$21.73	\$45,203
51-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	3,755	3,983	228	6.1%	380	\$32.54	\$67,675
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	3,237	3,246	9	0.3%	376	\$20.84	\$43,351
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	3,794	3,817	23	0.6%	365	\$28.16	\$58,568
53-3033	Light Truck Drivers	2,911	3,278	367	12.6%	358	\$23.01	\$47,858
47-2061	Construction Laborers	2,770	3,318	548	19.8%	314	\$19.17	\$39,879
51-6093	Upholsterers	3,589	3,367	-222	-6.2%	300	\$20.92	\$43,507
25-2021	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	3,841	3,982	141	3.7%	274	N/A	\$51,265
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	2,534	2,792	258	10.2%	261	\$33.30	\$69,264
25-2031	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	3,787	3,939	152	4.0%	252	N/A	\$53,682
49-9041	Industrial Machinery Mechanics	2,343	2,861	518	22.1%	252	\$28.91	\$60,137
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	2,602	2,771	169	6.5%	220	\$23.47	\$48,825
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	2,145	2,307	162	7.6%	203	\$22.12	\$46,014
51-4121	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	1,704	1,889	185	10.9%	191	\$21.95	\$45,649
33-3051	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	2,154	2,270	116	5.4%	180	\$22.80	\$47,432
47-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers	1,672	1,967	295	17.6%	173	\$32.44	\$67,479
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	1,773	1,957	184	10.4%	160	\$33.91	\$70,540

South Central MS Works Workforce Development Area

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53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	9,368	10,168	800	8.5%	1,094	\$30.01	\$62,426
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	9,629	10,340	711	7.4%	856	\$56.06	\$116,610
51-2090	Miscellaneous Assemblers and Fabricators	5,497	6,377	880	16.0%	715	\$23.46	\$48,801
29-1141	Registered Nurses	10,573	11,474	901	8.5%	683	\$40.60	\$84,439
41-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	4,816	4,558	-258	-5.4%	433	\$23.78	\$49,461
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	3,908	3,786	-122	-3.1%	433	\$21.46	\$44,631
49-9071	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	3,955	4,190	235	5.9%	389	\$21.46	\$44,638
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	3,718	3,636	-82	-2.2%	343	\$29.85	\$62,087
47-2061	Construction Laborers	3,087	3,593	506	16.4%	334	\$19.11	\$39,752
53-3033	Light Truck Drivers	2,687	2,985	298	11.1%	324	\$22.20	\$46,185
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	2,889	3,245	356	12.3%	306	\$35.88	\$74,626
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	3,609	3,830	221	6.1%	305	\$37.03	\$77,032
53-7051	Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	2,304	2,606	302	13.1%	266	\$21.24	\$44,177
51-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	2,277	2,543	266	11.7%	250	\$34.96	\$72,716
25-2021	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	3,165	3,356	191	6.0%	236	N/A	\$48,308
25-2031	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	3,377	3,592	215	6.4%	235	N/A	\$51,713
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	2,770	2,944	174	6.3%	233	\$24.77	\$51,519
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	2,239	2,321	82	3.7%	200	\$22.83	\$47,478
13-1111	Management Analysts	1,870	2,194	324	17.3%	196	\$34.87	\$72,528
47-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers	1,982	2,264	282	14.2%	195	\$33.80	\$70,299
11-9111	Medical and Health Services Managers	1,793	2,315	522	29.1%	194	\$50.62	\$105,286
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	1,611	1,659	48	3.0%	192	\$21.10	\$43,880
49-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	2,007	2,164	157	7.8%	186	\$34.81	\$72,407
43-5071	Shipping, Receiving, and Inventory Clerks	1,804	1,742	-62	-3.4%	173	\$19.46	\$40,483
33-3051	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	2,037	2,161	124	6.1%	171	\$21.84	\$45,431

Twin Districts Workforce Development Area

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11-1021	General and Operations Managers	8,773	9,499	726	8.3%	792	\$54.11	\$112,553
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	6,773	7,305	532	7.9%	784	\$23.93	\$49,768
29-1141	Registered Nurses	10,304	10,570	266	2.6%	588	\$37.01	\$76,985
41-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	5,833	5,557	-276	-4.7%	530	\$22.33	\$46,453
49-9071	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	4,779	4,961	182	3.8%	454	\$21.17	\$44,038
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	3,768	3,680	-88	-2.3%	422	\$20.43	\$42,499
51-4121	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	3,103	3,503	400	12.9%	359	\$26.49	\$55,103
47-2111	Electricians	2,857	3,431	574	20.1%	330	\$27.50	\$57,206
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	3,523	3,390	-133	-3.8%	317	\$27.31	\$56,811
47-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers	3,165	3,636	471	14.9%	314	\$34.79	\$72,368
25-2021	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	4,444	4,529	85	1.9%	307	N/A	\$49,466
51-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	2,661	2,913	252	9.5%	282	\$37.12	\$77,212
33-3051	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	3,188	3,410	222	7.0%	272	\$21.22	\$44,139
39-3011	Gambling Dealers	1,906	1,712	-194	-10.2%	267	\$24.46	\$50,885
25-2031	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	4,112	4,205	93	2.3%	264	N/A	\$51,947
53-3033	Light Truck Drivers	2,174	2,342	168	7.7%	251	\$21.97	\$45,703
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	2,597	2,716	119	4.6%	235	\$21.75	\$45,234
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	2,819	2,898	79	2.8%	224	\$23.75	\$49,401
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	2,256	2,438	182	8.1%	224	\$32.90	\$68,437
47-2152	Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	2,046	2,390	344	16.8%	223	\$27.94	\$58,122
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	1,775	1,874	99	5.6%	218	\$22.26	\$46,310
49-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	2,070	2,208	138	6.7%	189	\$35.33	\$73,483
47-2073	Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	1,787	2,043	256	14.3%	186	\$23.61	\$49,103
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	2,148	2,291	143	6.7%	182	\$35.80	\$74,465
53-7051	Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	1,588	1,733	145	9.1%	173	\$19.08	\$39,689