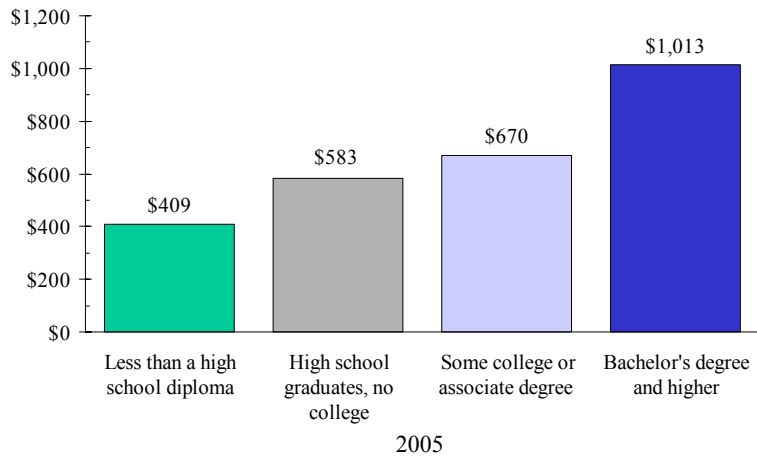


Chart 2-4. Education pays

Median weekly earnings of full-time wage and salary workers 25 years of age and over



SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics

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- Earnings increase with higher levels of education.
- For example, among workers 25 years old and over, median weekly earnings of wage and salary workers who usually work full time are nearly two and a half times more for persons with at least a college degree than for those who have not completed high school.