

Table 13 Full-time¹ State and local government workers: Mean and median hourly, weekly, and annual earnings and mean weekly and annual hours

Occupation ²	Hourly ³		Weekly ⁴			Annual ⁵		
	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours
All workers	\$28.10	\$24.25	\$1,052	\$936	37.4	\$47,826	\$45,843	1,702
Management occupations	38.15	35.80	1,480	1,371	38.8	75,064	72,010	1,968
Education administrators	45.26	45.09	1,775	1,730	39.2	85,803	88,881	1,896
Education administrators, elementary and secondary school	47.35	46.75	1,877	1,804	39.6	88,070	88,910	1,860
Education administrators, postsecondary	38.41	28.78	1,446	1,019	37.6	75,180	53,013	1,957
Medical and health services managers	43.21	36.09	1,641	1,360	38.0	85,344	70,737	1,975
Business and financial operations occupations	28.41	28.37	1,099	1,091	38.7	57,127	56,711	2,011
Accountants and auditors	26.64	22.25	995	834	37.4	51,760	43,393	1,943
Computer and mathematical science occupations	30.60	29.15	1,182	1,125	38.6	61,478	58,500	2,009
Computer support specialists	23.59	18.78	902	695	38.2	46,914	36,133	1,988
Architecture and engineering occupations	29.24	27.12	1,146	1,070	39.2	59,611	55,642	2,038
Life, physical, and social science occupations	32.91	23.59	1,230	860	37.4	58,410	46,569	1,775
Psychologists	51.23	41.93	1,882	1,467	36.7	78,058	69,647	1,524
Clinical, counseling, and school psychologists	51.23	41.93	1,882	1,467	36.7	78,058	69,647	1,524
Community and social services occupations	26.66	25.02	1,019	972	38.2	49,532	50,825	1,858
Counselors	35.49	35.28	1,298	1,385	36.6	56,006	53,803	1,578
Educational, vocational, and school counselors ..	43.47	43.35	1,495	1,455	34.4	58,061	56,739	1,336
Social workers	24.85	23.10	956	893	38.5	48,757	46,416	1,962
Child, family, and school social workers	24.90	23.10	953	893	38.3	48,464	46,416	1,947
Miscellaneous community and social service specialists	20.89	19.08	826	780	39.5	41,989	40,019	2,010
Social and human service assistants	17.63	16.88	705	707	40.0	35,366	34,642	2,006
Legal occupations	24.68	21.31	927	787	37.6	48,213	40,899	1,954

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	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours
Education, training, and library occupations	\$37.71	\$38.00	\$1,301	\$1,329	34.5	\$48,934	\$50,091	1,298
Postsecondary teachers	51.80	43.58	1,878	1,693	36.2	71,496	65,566	1,380
Miscellaneous postsecondary teachers	47.66	46.52	1,593	1,605	33.4	59,091	56,365	1,240
Primary, secondary, and special education school teachers	42.61	42.24	1,477	1,469	34.7	54,528	54,340	1,280
Preschool and kindergarten teachers	45.51	49.97	1,576	1,706	34.6	58,122	63,133	1,277
Kindergarten teachers, except special education	45.10	49.56	1,562	1,717	34.6	57,647	63,858	1,278
Elementary and middle school teachers	42.58	42.31	1,476	1,481	34.7	54,583	54,497	1,282
Elementary school teachers, except special education	42.68	42.31	1,481	1,481	34.7	54,684	54,497	1,281
Middle school teachers, except special and vocational education	42.24	41.65	1,463	1,456	34.6	54,251	54,340	1,284
Secondary school teachers	42.64	41.29	1,475	1,425	34.6	54,371	52,737	1,275
Secondary school teachers, except special and vocational education	42.87	41.59	1,484	1,440	34.6	54,716	52,849	1,276
Special education teachers	41.82	42.51	1,453	1,462	34.7	53,413	53,328	1,277
Special education teachers, preschool, kindergarten, and elementary school	44.40	45.56	1,541	1,583	34.7	56,461	57,718	1,272
Other teachers and instructors	28.11	27.28	974	955	34.6	40,172	40,563	1,429
Librarians	27.66	24.55	1,013	921	36.6	49,898	44,676	1,804
Teacher assistants	14.42	13.42	469	431	32.5	17,380	16,040	1,205
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	27.94	24.96	1,064	959	38.1	50,870	46,887	1,821
Registered nurses	29.00	28.87	1,114	1,093	38.4	53,118	52,713	1,831
Therapists	43.72	42.35	1,502	1,488	34.3	58,001	56,966	1,327
Healthcare support occupations	14.10	14.43	553	565	39.2	28,336	28,442	2,009

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Healthcare support occupations –Continued								
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	\$13.56	\$13.73	\$533	\$538	39.3	\$27,702	\$27,980	2,043
Protective service occupations	24.51	24.36	981	968	40.0	50,964	50,151	2,080
First-line supervisors/managers, law enforcement workers	33.89	34.58	1,346	1,371	39.7	69,980	71,267	2,065
First-line supervisors/managers of fire fighting and prevention workers	29.37	27.36	1,294	1,313	44.1	67,306	68,291	2,292
Fire fighters	22.25	21.57	952	948	42.8	49,498	49,313	2,224
Bailiffs, correctional officers, and jailers	22.79	22.79	891	856	39.1	46,340	44,512	2,034
Correctional officers and jailers	21.90	21.89	862	841	39.4	44,824	43,709	2,047
Police officers	25.49	25.83	997	1,023	39.1	51,854	53,204	2,035
Police and sheriff's patrol officers	25.49	25.83	997	1,023	39.1	51,854	53,204	2,035
Food preparation and serving related occupations	14.29	14.06	515	457	36.0	21,308	17,921	1,491
Cooks	15.31	14.60	560	500	36.5	22,973	17,921	1,500
Cooks, institution and cafeteria	15.31	14.60	560	500	36.5	22,973	17,921	1,500
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	16.30	15.73	650	629	39.9	31,831	32,594	1,953
Building cleaning workers	15.36	15.66	612	626	39.8	31,163	32,573	2,029
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners	15.36	15.66	612	626	39.8	31,130	32,573	2,027
Office and administrative support occupations	19.39	18.55	723	704	37.3	36,889	35,872	1,902
Financial clerks	18.26	17.65	637	600	34.9	32,635	31,195	1,787
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks	17.87	17.14	598	600	33.5	30,391	31,195	1,700
Dispatchers	23.18	21.11	887	792	38.2	46,106	41,200	1,989

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Office and administrative support occupations –Continued								
Secretaries and administrative assistants	\$19.03	\$17.87	\$719	\$715	37.8	\$36,337	\$34,826	1,909
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants	21.04	17.87	806	715	38.3	41,890	37,170	1,991
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive	17.15	17.42	640	672	37.3	31,530	32,002	1,838
Data entry and information processing workers	16.15	15.88	605	630	37.5	31,466	32,758	1,949
Office clerks, general	17.56	17.64	665	666	37.9	34,226	34,613	1,950
Construction and extraction occupations	23.12	22.04	910	866	39.4	47,322	45,006	2,046
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	21.11	19.74	841	776	39.9	43,754	40,362	2,073
Industrial machinery installation, repair, and maintenance workers	19.37	17.79	775	712	40.0	40,299	37,001	2,080
Maintenance and repair workers, general	19.37	17.79	775	712	40.0	40,299	37,001	2,080
Production occupations	20.64	19.04	826	762	40.0	42,933	39,603	2,080
Transportation and material moving occupations	19.27	18.00	733	701	38.0	34,589	34,840	1,795
Bus drivers	19.49	16.75	652	458	33.5	27,285	16,006	1,400

¹ Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

² A classification system including about 800 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

³ Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighed by hours.

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NOTE: Dashes indicate that data did not meet publication criteria. Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, National Compensation Survey.