

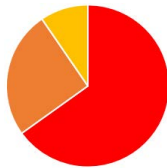
Learning and Earning



UNEMPLOYMENT RATE & EARNINGS BY EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, 2018

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT	WEEKLY PAY
1.6%	Doctoral degree	\$1,825
1.5	Professional degree	\$1,884
2.1	Master's degree	\$1,434
2.2	Bachelor's degree	\$1,198
2.8	Associate's degree	\$862
3.7	Some college	\$802
4.1	High school diploma	\$730
5.6	Less than a high school diploma	\$553

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey.



SOME OCCUPATIONS WITH LARGE JOB GROWTH THAT YOU CAN GET WITH LESS THAN A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

PROJECTED JOB GROWTH, 2016-2026 (in thousands)	OCCUPATIONS	WEEKLY PAY, 2018
777.6	Personal care aides	\$500
79.7	Retail salespersons	\$657
431.2	Home health aides	\$516
579.9	Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food	\$436
236.5	Janitors and building cleaners	\$571
150.4	Construction laborers	\$717
199.7	Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand	\$603
87.9	Maids and housekeeping cleaners	\$467
145.3	Cooks	\$486

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. The projected job growth data come from the Employment Projections Program and the weekly pay data come from the Current Population Survey.

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