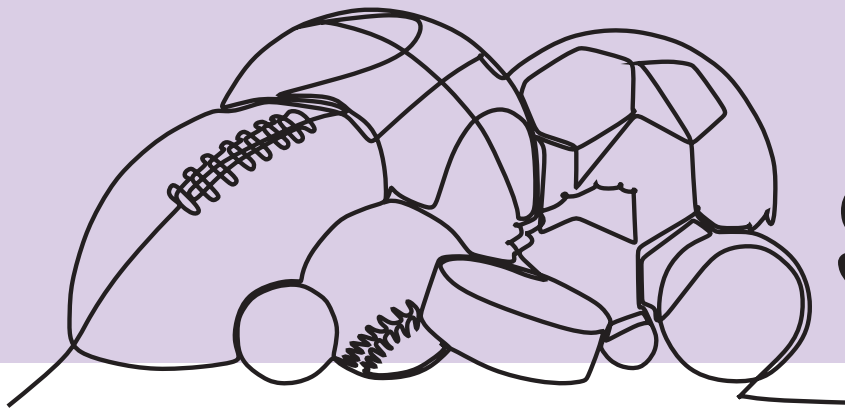


Careers in Sports

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ATHLETES/SPORTS COMPETITORS

Participate in organized, officiated sporting events to entertain spectators.



25,100

jobs in 2023;
number of jobs
projected for 2033

27,800

Median annual wage for 2023

\$70,280

COACHES & SCOUTS

Coaches teach athletes the skills they need to compete, while scouts look for players with talent—evaluating their skills and likelihood to succeed at their sport.



307,100

jobs in 2023;
number of jobs
projected for 2033

334,000

Median annual wage for 2023

\$45,910

UMPIRES/REFEREES SPORTS OFFICIALS

Preside over competitive athletic or sporting events to help maintain standards of play and decide on penalties according to the rules of the game.



23,100

jobs in 2023;
number of jobs
projected for 2033

25,500

Median annual wage for 2023

\$35,820