

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	\$29.01	\$25.48	\$1,086	\$985	37.4	\$49,390	\$47,469	1,702
Management occupations	39.35	36.14	1,532	1,431	38.9	77,794	75,953	1,977
Education administrators	48.06	47.07	1,871	1,831	38.9	89,895	91,576	1,870
Education administrators, elementary and secondary school	51.74	48.24	2,033	1,909	39.3	94,852	92,852	1,833
Education administrators, postsecondary	39.81	29.20	1,498	1,022	37.6	77,916	53,146	1,957
Medical and health services managers	46.07	36.14	1,749	1,404	38.0	90,952	73,008	1,974
Business and financial operations occupations	29.34	29.38	1,134	1,135	38.7	58,991	58,995	2,011
Accountants and auditors	27.35	23.69	1,022	871	37.4	53,137	45,299	1,943
Computer and mathematical science occupations	29.89	31.52	1,155	1,187	38.6	60,060	61,721	2,009
Computer support specialists	24.88	19.97	951	739	38.2	49,474	38,422	1,989
Architecture and engineering occupations	31.31	29.08	1,227	1,132	39.2	63,817	58,881	2,038
Life, physical, and social science occupations	23.98	20.31	894	812	37.3	43,975	42,245	1,834
Psychologists	44.75	47.06	1,532	1,538	34.2	64,460	61,737	1,440
Clinical, counseling, and school psychologists	44.75	47.06	1,532	1,538	34.2	64,460	61,737	1,440
Community and social services occupations	27.91	26.55	1,061	1,037	38.0	51,304	52,363	1,838
Counselors	37.78	37.09	1,382	1,356	36.6	59,631	58,184	1,578
Educational, vocational, and school counselors ..	45.95	44.16	1,580	1,546	34.4	61,368	60,540	1,336
Social workers	25.45	23.80	977	902	38.4	49,258	47,841	1,936
Child, family, and school social workers	25.46	23.80	972	902	38.2	48,807	46,925	1,917
Miscellaneous community and social service specialists	22.28	20.96	864	817	38.8	43,856	41,018	1,969
Social and human service assistants	18.60	17.46	721	698	38.7	36,029	35,818	1,937
Legal occupations	24.87	21.60	934	790	37.6	48,592	41,087	1,954

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Education, training, and library occupations	\$38.95	\$39.89	\$1,344	\$1,390	34.5	\$50,512	\$51,443	1,297
Postsecondary teachers	53.29	46.87	1,959	1,756	36.8	74,864	67,076	1,405
Miscellaneous postsecondary teachers	49.00	50.16	1,712	1,756	34.9	64,160	63,904	1,309
Primary, secondary, and special education school teachers	43.83	43.18	1,518	1,500	34.6	56,033	55,309	1,278
Preschool and kindergarten teachers	45.92	47.10	1,579	1,625	34.4	58,238	60,119	1,268
Kindergarten teachers, except special education	44.63	44.30	1,546	1,549	34.6	57,041	57,304	1,278
Elementary and middle school teachers	43.79	43.42	1,518	1,507	34.7	56,124	55,971	1,282
Elementary school teachers, except special education	43.82	43.59	1,519	1,516	34.7	56,120	56,003	1,281
Middle school teachers, except special and vocational education	43.71	43.06	1,514	1,501	34.6	56,140	55,062	1,284
Secondary school teachers	44.15	43.18	1,525	1,466	34.5	56,220	54,096	1,273
Secondary school teachers, except special and vocational education	44.32	43.18	1,532	1,469	34.6	56,484	54,259	1,274
Special education teachers	42.33	41.81	1,467	1,463	34.7	53,934	54,147	1,274
Special education teachers, preschool, kindergarten, and elementary school	44.44	44.22	1,549	1,548	34.8	56,883	57,569	1,280
Special education teachers, secondary school	41.63	41.81	1,403	1,421	33.7	51,387	51,446	1,234
Other teachers and instructors	30.27	27.60	1,048	1,011	34.6	41,723	42,685	1,378
Librarians	29.31	25.17	1,073	944	36.6	52,897	47,245	1,805
Teacher assistants	15.16	14.25	492	459	32.5	18,213	16,671	1,201
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	28.78	25.78	1,096	985	38.1	52,394	50,648	1,820
Registered nurses	29.74	30.09	1,142	1,162	38.4	54,454	54,870	1,831
Therapists	44.39	44.07	1,524	1,542	34.3	58,848	57,378	1,326

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Healthcare support occupations	\$15.76	\$15.64	\$612	\$598	38.8	\$31,193	\$29,895	1,979
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	15.14	15.64	590	575	39.0	30,703	29,895	2,028
Protective service occupations	25.74	25.53	1,030	1,020	40.0	53,491	53,017	2,078
First-line supervisors/managers, law enforcement workers	35.59	35.88	1,412	1,416	39.7	73,439	73,622	2,064
First-line supervisors/managers of fire fighting and prevention workers	30.87	29.84	1,358	1,424	44.0	70,593	74,056	2,287
Fire fighters	22.94	23.25	980	1,019	42.7	50,959	53,004	2,221
Bailiffs, correctional officers, and jailers	24.32	25.43	950	954	39.1	49,418	49,585	2,032
Correctional officers and jailers	23.65	23.43	930	911	39.3	48,340	47,375	2,044
Police officers	26.83	26.96	1,050	1,065	39.1	54,600	55,363	2,035
Police and sheriff's patrol officers	26.83	26.96	1,050	1,065	39.1	54,600	55,363	2,035
Food preparation and serving related occupations	14.88	14.45	536	471	36.0	22,154	17,820	1,489
Cooks	15.85	15.30	579	521	36.5	23,751	17,820	1,498
Cooks, institution and cafeteria	15.85	15.30	579	521	36.5	23,751	17,820	1,498
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	16.92	16.77	675	657	39.9	33,092	33,684	1,956
Building cleaning workers	16.03	16.19	639	648	39.9	32,550	33,684	2,031
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners	16.05	16.28	640	651	39.8	32,561	33,675	2,029
Office and administrative support occupations	20.19	19.60	751	726	37.2	38,289	37,450	1,897
Financial clerks	18.62	18.22	649	638	34.9	33,258	31,213	1,787
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks	18.15	15.62	607	519	33.4	30,848	27,000	1,699
Dispatchers	23.67	20.81	905	796	38.2	47,067	41,380	1,989

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Office and administrative support occupations –Continued								
Secretaries and administrative assistants	\$19.94	\$19.74	\$754	\$741	37.8	\$38,081	\$38,272	1,910
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants	22.20	19.77	849	752	38.3	44,167	39,112	1,990
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive	17.84	18.43	666	716	37.3	32,804	32,002	1,839
Data entry and information processing workers	16.04	16.34	601	590	37.5	31,267	30,680	1,949
Office clerks, general	19.35	19.15	719	711	37.2	36,908	36,946	1,908
Construction and extraction occupations	23.83	22.13	938	878	39.4	48,766	45,656	2,047
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	21.62	20.41	862	816	39.9	44,812	42,453	2,073
Industrial machinery installation, repair, and maintenance workers	19.94	18.06	798	722	40.0	41,485	37,565	2,080
Maintenance and repair workers, general	19.94	18.06	798	722	40.0	41,485	37,565	2,080
Production occupations	21.52	19.56	861	782	40.0	44,759	40,685	2,080
Transportation and material moving occupations	19.60	18.54	745	729	38.0	35,190	36,254	1,795
Bus drivers	19.87	18.03	665	474	33.5	27,818	16,830	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.