

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	\$30.28	\$25.98	\$1,127	\$994	37.2	\$53,007	\$49,500	1,751
Management occupations	44.06	45.43	1,669	1,754	37.9	86,235	91,214	1,957
General and operations managers	35.65	23.80	1,353	952	38.0	70,369	49,500	1,974
Financial managers	48.24	53.04	1,880	1,998	39.0	97,780	103,911	2,027
Education administrators	50.11	50.49	1,909	1,899	38.1	97,474	96,911	1,945
Education administrators, elementary and secondary school	53.10	51.26	2,060	1,996	38.8	103,955	100,878	1,958
Education administrators, postsecondary	47.64	52.40	1,761	1,846	37.0	91,566	95,998	1,922
Medical and health services managers	40.07	35.29	1,469	1,323	36.7	76,446	69,027	1,908
Business and financial operations occupations	30.12	27.74	1,119	1,058	37.2	58,214	55,002	1,933
Compliance officers, except agriculture, construction, health and safety, and transportation	26.90	27.14	981	950	36.5	51,055	49,397	1,898
Accountants and auditors	30.83	31.20	1,106	1,103	35.9	57,537	57,367	1,866
Tax examiners, collectors, preparers, and revenue agents	26.66	25.02	1,003	938	37.6	52,152	48,797	1,956
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Computer and mathematical science occupations	30.79	28.16	1,132	1,015	36.8	58,109	51,745	1,887
Computer support specialists	25.21	23.03	954	863	37.8	47,901	44,899	1,900
Computer systems analysts	38.67	35.35	1,393	1,327	36.0	71,657	66,185	1,853
Network and computer systems administrators	25.05	24.15	973	966	38.8	50,012	50,232	1,996
Architecture and engineering occupations	33.61	31.51	1,259	1,188	37.4	65,475	61,757	1,948
Engineers	33.95	31.01	1,273	1,188	37.5	66,202	61,757	1,950
Civil engineers	32.53	30.75	1,284	1,230	39.5	66,806	63,968	2,054
Life, physical, and social science occupations	34.61	30.94	1,279	1,169	37.0	64,284	60,763	1,857
Physical scientists	32.71	26.07	1,173	912	35.9	61,035	47,446	1,866

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	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours
Life, physical, and social science occupations –Continued								
Environmental scientists and geoscientists	\$38.59	\$41.15	\$1,416	\$1,489	36.7	\$73,666	\$77,450	1,909
Environmental scientists and specialists, including health	39.85	42.56	1,458	1,489	36.6	75,847	77,450	1,903
Psychologists	44.90	40.47	1,641	1,494	36.6	73,123	71,860	1,629
Clinical, counseling, and school psychologists	45.78	40.59	1,668	1,494	36.4	73,181	72,062	1,599
Community and social services occupations	33.43	27.72	1,202	1,025	36.0	56,729	53,008	1,697
Counselors	45.45	44.58	1,599	1,604	35.2	66,787	62,431	1,469
Educational, vocational, and school counselors ..	51.48	48.83	1,775	1,710	34.5	69,860	70,549	1,357
Social workers	30.64	23.23	1,100	868	35.9	53,306	46,435	1,740
Child, family, and school social workers	36.63	21.92	1,285	874	35.1	58,514	48,339	1,598
Mental health and substance abuse social workers	24.87	24.84	946	961	38.0	49,227	49,993	1,979
Miscellaneous community and social service specialists	27.77	25.38	1,023	973	36.8	52,172	48,432	1,879
Probation officers and correctional treatment specialists	30.34	29.60	1,113	1,082	36.7	57,897	56,238	1,908
Social and human service assistants	21.70	18.88	800	662	36.9	38,969	34,363	1,796
Legal occupations	40.57	37.93	1,463	1,422	36.1	76,060	73,969	1,875
Lawyers	49.10	47.04	1,790	1,774	36.4	93,061	92,244	1,895
Judges, magistrates, and other judicial workers	59.23	43.12	2,080	1,550	35.1	108,182	80,582	1,827
Miscellaneous legal support workers	23.74	19.58	876	770	36.9	45,562	40,061	1,920
Law clerks	26.44	22.39	954	784	36.1	49,598	40,746	1,876
Education, training, and library occupations	42.69	40.17	1,503	1,437	35.2	58,277	55,245	1,365
Postsecondary teachers	52.85	48.27	1,884	1,682	35.6	74,534	67,092	1,410

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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								
–Continued								
Math and computer teachers, postsecondary	\$55.48	\$54.57	\$2,016	\$1,888	36.3	\$78,301	\$75,314	1,411
Arts, communications, and humanities teachers, postsecondary	56.30	51.73	2,095	1,940	37.2	76,160	67,422	1,353
Miscellaneous postsecondary teachers	46.22	44.50	1,634	1,682	35.4	67,909	67,092	1,469
Vocational education teachers, postsecondary	40.58	40.18	1,514	1,406	37.3	58,409	54,552	1,439
Primary, secondary, and special education school teachers	44.46	41.11	1,581	1,463	35.6	61,096	56,372	1,374
Preschool and kindergarten teachers	45.42	42.35	1,595	1,427	35.1	61,857	54,187	1,362
Preschool teachers, except special education	42.93	40.77	1,500	1,427	34.9	58,379	53,363	1,360
Kindergarten teachers, except special education	47.76	42.67	1,685	1,533	35.3	65,137	58,375	1,364
Elementary and middle school teachers	44.42	40.66	1,580	1,447	35.6	60,979	55,312	1,373
Elementary school teachers, except special education	44.22	40.36	1,572	1,441	35.6	60,603	55,301	1,370
Middle school teachers, except special and vocational education	44.90	41.01	1,599	1,474	35.6	61,896	56,029	1,378
Secondary school teachers	43.35	40.53	1,546	1,459	35.7	59,899	56,331	1,382
Secondary school teachers, except special and vocational education	43.20	40.15	1,548	1,459	35.8	59,946	56,010	1,388
Vocational education teachers, secondary school	44.46	42.31	1,530	1,455	34.4	59,552	58,122	1,340
Special education teachers	46.58	44.57	1,647	1,590	35.4	63,775	61,172	1,369

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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 –Continued								
Special education teachers, preschool, kindergarten, and elementary school	\$45.21	\$44.35	\$1,598	\$1,604	35.3	\$62,420	\$61,724	1,381
Special education teachers, middle school	45.83	43.87	1,637	1,590	35.7	62,281	59,800	1,359
Special education teachers, secondary school	49.67	46.44	1,750	1,705	35.2	67,119	63,898	1,351
Other teachers and instructors	54.63	55.16	1,864	1,884	34.1	69,593	69,901	1,274
Librarians	28.53	23.91	1,079	956	37.8	52,406	49,729	1,837
Teacher assistants	16.92	16.47	572	555	33.8	21,999	21,412	1,300
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	26.50	31.53	1,013	1,104	38.2	52,672	57,385	1,987
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	33.01	29.15	1,276	1,124	38.7	63,388	56,681	1,920
Physicians and surgeons	46.29	35.09	2,010	1,341	43.4	104,533	69,724	2,258
Registered nurses	32.95	31.67	1,259	1,207	38.2	62,185	61,757	1,887
Therapists	38.97	39.01	1,408	1,509	36.1	62,655	61,400	1,608
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses	19.85	20.42	775	778	39.1	40,322	40,456	2,032
Healthcare support occupations	16.12	16.10	630	625	39.1	32,667	32,479	2,027
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	16.00	16.13	627	624	39.2	32,637	32,432	2,040
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	15.30	16.00	587	609	38.4	30,548	31,658	1,997
Psychiatric aides	16.58	16.45	663	658	40.0	34,496	34,208	2,081
Miscellaneous healthcare support occupations	18.63	16.39	688	630	37.0	33,898	32,861	1,820
Protective service occupations	28.43	27.29	1,124	1,088	39.5	57,993	56,521	2,040
First-line supervisors/managers, law enforcement workers	40.77	42.48	1,613	1,665	39.6	83,862	86,588	2,057

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	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours
Protective service occupations								
–Continued								
First-line								
supervisors/managers								
of police and detectives	\$43.69	\$43.41	\$1,725	\$1,699	39.5	\$89,680	\$88,363	2,053
Fire fighters	28.25	28.12	1,160	1,158	41.1	60,332	60,228	2,135
Fire inspectors	22.82	21.04	808	736	35.4	42,005	38,286	1,841
Bailiffs, correctional officers,								
and jailers	25.56	26.06	1,012	1,037	39.6	52,654	54,059	2,060
Correctional officers and								
jailers	25.40	25.83	1,009	1,031	39.7	52,521	53,622	2,068
Detectives and criminal								
investigators	38.63	38.28	1,518	1,546	39.3	78,931	80,392	2,043
Police officers	31.50	31.43	1,250	1,257	39.7	64,991	65,383	2,063
Police and sheriff’s patrol								
officers	31.50	31.43	1,250	1,257	39.7	64,991	65,383	2,063
Security guards and gaming								
surveillance officers	17.55	17.69	697	707	39.7	33,000	32,019	1,880
Security guards	17.55	17.69	697	707	39.7	33,000	32,019	1,880
Food preparation and serving								
related occupations	15.77	16.17	561	597	35.6	24,406	24,648	1,548
Fast food and counter								
workers	14.81	15.91	524	545	35.4	22,881	24,648	1,545
Building and grounds cleaning								
and maintenance								
occupations	17.68	16.13	698	644	39.5	36,092	33,251	2,041
First-line								
supervisors/managers,								
building and grounds								
cleaning and maintenance								
workers	31.94	37.31	1,180	1,360	36.9	61,369	70,707	1,921
Building cleaning workers	16.73	15.68	663	625	39.6	34,415	32,490	2,057
Janitors and cleaners,								
except maids and								
housekeeping cleaners	16.79	15.68	665	625	39.6	34,515	32,490	2,056
Grounds maintenance								
workers	18.43	16.20	727	648	39.5	36,941	33,251	2,004
Landscaping and								
groundskeeping								
workers	18.05	15.73	712	637	39.4	36,004	31,443	1,995

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	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours
Personal care and service occupations	\$14.74	\$13.89	\$554	\$539	37.6	\$24,277	\$22,181	1,647
Child care workers	15.04	14.98	537	537	35.7	21,483	20,398	1,429
Sales and related occupations	20.58	17.93	754	627	36.6	38,951	32,624	1,893
Retail sales workers	18.75	17.93	691	627	36.9	35,677	32,624	1,903
Cashiers, all workers	18.75	17.93	691	627	36.9	35,677	32,624	1,903
Cashiers	18.75	17.93	691	627	36.9	35,677	32,624	1,903
Office and administrative support occupations	20.33	18.95	745	688	36.6	38,134	35,348	1,875
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers	24.96	24.53	908	920	36.4	47,256	47,835	1,893
Financial clerks	20.19	19.81	737	727	36.5	38,329	37,792	1,898
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks	20.70	21.36	747	748	36.1	38,838	38,877	1,876
Payroll and timekeeping clerks	20.05	18.90	749	709	37.3	38,936	36,863	1,942
Court, municipal, and license clerks	23.36	21.74	830	780	35.5	43,196	40,566	1,849
Eligibility interviewers, government programs	21.51	21.34	763	747	35.5	39,674	38,842	1,845
Library assistants, clerical	16.44	16.01	619	583	37.7	30,278	29,900	1,842
Dispatchers	25.44	26.90	1,001	1,076	39.4	52,078	55,942	2,047
Police, fire, and ambulance dispatchers	19.75	19.42	758	777	38.4	39,404	40,389	1,995
Secretaries and administrative assistants	23.00	21.31	847	804	36.8	42,318	41,618	1,840
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants	23.35	21.77	856	823	36.6	44,493	42,788	1,906
Legal secretaries	25.18	23.67	893	860	35.5	46,428	44,696	1,844
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive	22.85	20.68	847	794	37.1	41,032	41,280	1,796
Data entry and information processing workers	16.89	16.32	624	622	37.0	32,222	32,396	1,907
Data entry keyers	17.13	16.65	629	624	36.7	32,732	32,473	1,910
Word processors and typists	16.78	16.09	622	611	37.1	31,986	31,762	1,906
Office clerks, general	17.65	16.54	642	612	36.4	32,829	30,808	1,860

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Occupation ²	Hourly ³		Weekly ⁴			Annual ⁵		
	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours
Construction and extraction occupations	\$21.99	\$19.74	\$856	\$790	38.9	\$44,037	\$40,810	2,003
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers	27.27	25.77	1,091	1,031	40.0	56,713	53,604	2,080
Construction laborers	16.07	18.66	643	746	40.0	27,084	25,911	1,685
Construction equipment operators	17.92	17.37	693	669	38.7	36,098	34,875	2,015
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators	18.09	17.26	704	669	38.9	36,673	34,875	2,027
Pipelayers, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters	23.75	23.74	940	890	39.6	48,906	46,435	2,059
Construction and building inspectors	24.65	23.09	971	923	39.4	50,487	48,017	2,048
Highway maintenance workers	17.27	17.10	687	684	39.8	35,730	35,558	2,069
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	23.98	22.85	947	914	39.5	49,260	47,524	2,054
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers	31.97	36.50	1,279	1,460	40.0	66,505	75,920	2,080
Automotive technicians and repairers	23.39	22.20	926	888	39.6	48,200	46,178	2,061
Automotive service technicians and mechanics	22.02	20.36	870	814	39.5	45,258	42,351	2,055
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists ...	24.52	24.07	981	963	40.0	50,998	50,066	2,080
Industrial machinery installation, repair, and maintenance workers	22.63	20.82	879	828	38.8	45,713	43,033	2,020
Maintenance and repair workers, general	22.64	20.82	879	828	38.8	45,721	43,033	2,020
Production occupations	22.30	21.80	885	859	39.7	46,041	44,657	2,065
Stationary engineers and boiler operators	20.42	22.02	817	881	40.0	42,477	45,795	2,080

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Production occupations –Continued								
Water and liquid waste treatment plant and system operators	\$18.84	\$18.28	\$754	\$731	40.0	\$39,183	\$38,022	2,080
Transportation and material moving occupations	22.13	22.73	856	885	38.7	42,129	42,875	1,903
Bus drivers	22.48	23.41	842	915	37.4	38,833	38,045	1,727
Bus drivers, transit and intercity	24.10	26.92	964	1,077	40.0	50,120	55,994	2,080
Bus drivers, school	20.75	19.75	727	644	35.0	30,310	30,031	1,461
Driver/sales workers and truck drivers	17.39	15.89	683	616	39.2	35,491	32,032	2,041
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer	16.26	15.02	650	601	40.0	33,825	31,242	2,080
Truck drivers, light or delivery services	19.29	21.15	734	775	38.0	38,167	40,290	1,978
Laborers and material movers, hand	16.91	16.08	673	643	39.8	35,007	33,444	2,071
Refuse and recyclable material collectors	23.87	24.09	941	963	39.4	46,782	46,426	1,960

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.

⁴ Mean weekly earnings are the straight-time weekly wages or salaries paid to employees. Median weekly earnings designate position – one-half of the earnings are

paid the same as or more than the rate shown and half are paid the same as or less than the rate shown. Mean weekly hours are the hours an employee is scheduled to work in a week, exclusive of overtime.

⁵ Mean annual earnings are the straight-time annual wages or salaries paid to employees. Median annual earnings designate position – one-half of the earnings are paid the same as or more than the rate shown and half are paid the same as or less than the rate shown. Mean annual hours are the hours an employee is scheduled to work in a year, exclusive of overtime.

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.