

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	\$32.31	\$27.64	\$1,203	\$1,066	37.2	\$56,351	\$52,284	1,744
Management occupations	46.92	49.39	1,777	1,853	37.9	91,932	96,374	1,959
General and operations managers	36.81	25.37	1,397	1,015	37.9	72,653	52,768	1,974
Financial managers	52.29	56.75	2,037	2,140	38.9	105,901	111,293	2,025
Education administrators	54.80	55.43	2,092	2,052	38.2	107,175	106,163	1,956
Education administrators, elementary and secondary school	58.18	56.06	2,263	2,158	38.9	114,953	109,173	1,976
Education administrators, postsecondary	50.80	52.48	1,881	2,040	37.0	97,819	106,071	1,926
Business and financial operations occupations	31.99	31.34	1,190	1,179	37.2	61,899	61,289	1,935
Compliance officers, except agriculture, construction, health and safety, and transportation	28.35	28.00	1,034	1,027	36.5	53,819	53,426	1,898
Accountants and auditors	33.57	34.28	1,204	1,200	35.9	62,635	62,388	1,866
Tax examiners, collectors, preparers, and revenue agents	28.79	27.13	1,083	1,017	37.6	56,304	52,896	1,956
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Computer and mathematical science occupations	33.89	29.58	1,255	1,100	37.0	64,439	56,407	1,901
Computer support specialists	27.92	24.30	1,061	911	38.0	53,143	47,383	1,903
Computer systems analysts	40.80	36.41	1,468	1,396	36.0	75,491	71,124	1,850
Network and computer systems administrators	33.67	29.29	1,321	1,172	39.2	68,178	56,407	2,025
Architecture and engineering occupations	36.04	34.98	1,357	1,385	37.6	70,565	71,910	1,958
Engineers	36.34	34.98	1,365	1,386	37.6	70,976	72,076	1,953
Civil engineers	36.11	36.11	1,425	1,399	39.5	74,156	72,881	2,054
Life, physical, and social science occupations	36.24	32.52	1,345	1,207	37.1	67,551	62,931	1,864
Physical scientists	34.51	29.01	1,238	1,015	35.9	64,400	52,802	1,866
Environmental scientists and geoscientists	39.89	43.60	1,463	1,526	36.7	76,141	79,359	1,909

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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 specialists, including health	\$41.30	\$43.60	\$1,511	\$1,534	36.6	\$78,596	\$79,774	1,903
Psychologists	49.06	43.05	1,791	1,673	36.5	79,539	80,921	1,621
Clinical, counseling, and school psychologists	49.65	44.30	1,807	1,673	36.4	79,068	80,483	1,592
Community and social services occupations	36.07	30.32	1,295	1,128	35.9	60,686	57,254	1,682
Counselors	48.20	48.20	1,691	1,728	35.1	69,910	68,621	1,450
Educational, vocational, and school counselors ..	53.41	53.34	1,841	1,837	34.5	72,497	73,050	1,357
Social workers	33.57	26.16	1,205	981	35.9	58,258	51,020	1,736
Mental health and substance abuse social workers	26.49	29.15	1,023	1,129	38.6	53,215	58,725	2,009
Miscellaneous community and social service specialists	29.71	25.99	1,092	965	36.7	54,848	48,112	1,846
Probation officers and correctional treatment specialists	32.59	31.39	1,195	1,159	36.7	62,185	60,260	1,908
Social and human service assistants	23.77	20.42	876	715	36.8	42,493	37,170	1,788
Legal occupations	42.01	37.83	1,515	1,444	36.1	78,757	75,088	1,875
Lawyers	50.34	50.30	1,835	1,923	36.4	95,409	100,000	1,895
Judges, magistrates, and other judicial workers	60.60	47.68	2,129	1,788	35.1	110,693	92,974	1,827
Miscellaneous legal support workers	25.21	21.91	931	811	36.9	48,390	42,171	1,919
Law clerks	27.86	23.87	1,005	835	36.1	52,267	43,436	1,876
Education, training, and library occupations	44.74	43.19	1,577	1,534	35.2	61,167	58,787	1,367
Postsecondary teachers	54.32	49.75	1,944	1,737	35.8	76,827	70,161	1,414
Math and computer teachers, postsecondary	64.29	61.51	2,349	2,153	36.5	91,546	88,888	1,424

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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								
Arts, communications, and humanities teachers, postsecondary	\$56.01	\$53.90	\$2,069	\$2,021	36.9	\$75,555	\$67,167	1,349
Miscellaneous postsecondary teachers	47.78	45.30	1,687	1,614	35.3	70,398	71,026	1,473
Primary, secondary, and special education school teachers	48.60	46.02	1,720	1,629	35.4	66,044	63,041	1,359
Preschool and kindergarten teachers	48.44	49.75	1,699	1,741	35.1	65,901	64,424	1,360
Preschool teachers, except special education	45.06	41.96	1,574	1,497	34.9	61,277	55,989	1,360
Kindergarten teachers, except special education	51.63	49.75	1,817	1,741	35.2	70,263	64,424	1,361
Elementary and middle school teachers	49.45	46.55	1,744	1,657	35.3	66,673	63,346	1,348
Elementary school teachers, except special education	49.94	47.24	1,756	1,672	35.2	66,887	64,003	1,339
Middle school teachers, except special and vocational education	47.72	44.49	1,702	1,574	35.7	65,908	59,806	1,381
Secondary school teachers	45.87	43.49	1,641	1,558	35.8	63,620	60,072	1,387
Secondary school teachers, except special and vocational education	45.82	43.17	1,647	1,563	35.9	63,813	60,123	1,393
Vocational education teachers, secondary school	46.20	44.55	1,606	1,545	34.8	62,381	60,041	1,350
Special education teachers	49.01	47.88	1,732	1,671	35.3	66,996	66,065	1,367
Special education teachers, preschool, kindergarten, and elementary school	46.95	47.88	1,658	1,648	35.3	64,586	66,077	1,376
Special education teachers, middle school	47.73	45.36	1,705	1,644	35.7	65,097	61,831	1,364

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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, secondary school	\$53.79	\$49.03	\$1,894	\$1,819	35.2	\$72,678	\$67,303	1,351
Other teachers and instructors	51.45	48.40	1,739	1,653	33.8	66,286	64,534	1,288
Librarians	29.91	24.70	1,130	988	37.8	55,011	51,366	1,839
Teacher assistants	17.91	17.84	606	612	33.8	23,305	23,494	1,301
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	29.38	32.85	1,123	1,196	38.2	58,393	62,171	1,987
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	35.99	32.15	1,392	1,241	38.7	68,994	62,808	1,917
Physicians and surgeons	48.74	33.67	2,121	1,406	43.5	110,302	73,095	2,263
Registered nurses	35.75	34.45	1,365	1,320	38.2	67,340	67,124	1,883
Therapists	43.58	40.18	1,573	1,607	36.1	69,881	69,908	1,604
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses	20.91	20.97	813	796	38.9	42,286	41,397	2,022
Healthcare support occupations	17.40	17.65	680	685	39.1	35,227	35,638	2,024
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	17.34	17.65	679	682	39.2	35,335	35,508	2,037
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	16.63	17.45	636	662	38.3	33,080	34,410	1,989
Psychiatric aides	17.91	18.18	716	727	40.0	37,264	37,816	2,081
Miscellaneous healthcare support occupations	18.69	17.40	697	696	37.3	34,524	36,303	1,848
Protective service occupations	30.61	28.81	1,212	1,147	39.6	62,477	59,149	2,041
First-line supervisors/managers, law enforcement workers	44.62	46.16	1,765	1,846	39.6	91,766	96,009	2,057
First-line supervisors/managers of police and detectives	47.95	46.96	1,892	1,878	39.5	98,406	97,666	2,052
Fire fighters	31.65	34.95	1,307	1,471	41.3	67,983	76,488	2,148
Fire inspectors	24.87	24.90	876	871	35.2	45,535	45,311	1,831
Bailiffs, correctional officers, and jailers	27.06	26.32	1,071	1,053	39.6	55,734	54,748	2,060

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	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours	Mean earnings	Median earnings	Mean hours
Protective service occupations –Continued								
Correctional officers and jailers	\$26.79	\$26.17	\$1,065	\$1,047	39.7	\$55,393	\$54,432	2,068
Detectives and criminal investigators	40.94	40.83	1,619	1,633	39.5	84,192	84,920	2,057
Police officers	34.60	35.10	1,373	1,428	39.7	71,400	74,237	2,064
Police and sheriff's patrol officers	34.60	35.10	1,373	1,428	39.7	71,400	74,237	2,064
Security guards and gaming surveillance officers	18.81	18.13	750	720	39.9	35,642	34,350	1,895
Security guards	18.81	18.13	750	720	39.9	35,642	34,350	1,895
Food preparation and serving related occupations	16.73	17.21	598	635	35.7	26,117	24,311	1,561
Fast food and counter workers	15.33	14.52	542	544	35.4	23,673	21,449	1,544
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	18.92	17.23	747	689	39.5	38,716	35,836	2,046
First-line supervisors/managers, building and grounds cleaning and maintenance workers	34.18	39.48	1,264	1,471	37.0	65,733	76,502	1,923
Building cleaning workers	17.80	16.69	705	666	39.6	36,609	34,651	2,057
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners	17.90	16.71	709	668	39.6	36,814	34,724	2,056
Grounds maintenance workers	20.41	19.72	805	726	39.4	41,353	37,731	2,027
Landscaping and groundskeeping workers	20.23	17.74	798	716	39.4	40,884	36,899	2,021
Personal care and service occupations	14.68	13.74	540	548	36.8	23,997	20,800	1,635
Child care workers	13.72	13.74	492	412	35.9	19,658	14,839	1,433
Sales and related occupations	22.36	19.52	819	680	36.6	42,277	35,344	1,891
Retail sales workers	20.34	19.40	750	679	36.9	38,677	35,313	1,902
Cashiers, all workers	20.34	19.40	750	679	36.9	38,677	35,313	1,902

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Sales and related occupations –Continued								
Cashiers	\$20.34	\$19.40	\$750	\$679	36.9	\$38,677	\$35,313	1,902
Office and administrative support occupations	21.61	20.42	792	731	36.6	40,505	37,980	1,874
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers	26.30	26.73	957	1,002	36.4	49,810	52,098	1,894
Financial clerks	22.64	23.10	824	809	36.4	42,855	42,049	1,893
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks	23.23	23.10	837	809	36.0	43,521	42,049	1,874
Payroll and timekeeping clerks	21.52	22.11	804	814	37.4	41,803	42,335	1,943
Court, municipal, and license clerks	24.81	22.43	882	819	35.5	45,857	42,570	1,848
Eligibility interviewers, government programs	22.99	22.12	823	774	35.8	42,775	40,260	1,861
Library assistants, clerical	17.20	17.15	652	623	37.9	32,698	31,213	1,901
Dispatchers	26.55	28.25	1,050	1,130	39.5	54,583	58,768	2,056
Police, fire, and ambulance dispatchers	20.75	20.33	805	796	38.8	41,870	41,392	2,018
Secretaries and administrative assistants	24.06	22.85	882	858	36.6	43,895	44,565	1,825
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants	23.46	23.36	861	857	36.7	44,592	44,565	1,900
Legal secretaries	27.12	25.33	962	887	35.5	50,010	46,101	1,844
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive	24.23	21.87	890	848	36.7	43,013	44,077	1,775
Data entry and information processing workers	18.44	17.55	681	656	36.9	35,127	34,177	1,905
Data entry keyers	19.38	18.42	712	695	36.7	37,005	36,132	1,909
Word processors and typists	18.00	16.57	667	631	37.0	34,258	32,833	1,903
Office clerks, general	19.00	18.15	692	646	36.4	35,360	33,128	1,861
Construction and extraction occupations	23.34	21.33	911	853	39.0	46,829	43,680	2,007

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Construction and extraction occupations –Continued								
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers	\$29.49	\$27.34	\$1,179	\$1,094	40.0	\$61,329	\$56,867	2,080
Construction laborers	17.43	19.93	697	797	40.0	29,376	30,306	1,685
Construction equipment operators	19.67	19.25	767	757	39.0	39,932	39,492	2,030
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators	19.70	19.25	767	757	38.9	39,938	39,492	2,027
Pipelayers, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters	24.39	22.08	965	828	39.6	50,207	43,188	2,059
Construction and building inspectors	26.33	24.77	1,037	991	39.4	53,936	51,524	2,048
Highway maintenance workers	18.68	18.90	745	756	39.9	38,751	39,312	2,074
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	25.50	24.57	1,007	987	39.5	52,379	51,347	2,054
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers	33.27	36.15	1,331	1,446	40.0	69,198	75,192	2,080
Automotive technicians and repairers	25.58	23.55	1,013	942	39.6	52,717	48,990	2,061
Automotive service technicians and mechanics	24.44	23.02	965	921	39.5	50,222	47,882	2,055
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists ...	26.18	25.29	1,047	1,012	40.0	54,464	52,603	2,080
Industrial machinery installation, repair, and maintenance workers	23.68	22.16	921	828	38.9	47,872	43,033	2,022
Maintenance and repair workers, general	23.69	22.16	921	828	38.9	47,878	43,033	2,021
Production occupations	23.49	22.49	933	888	39.7	48,517	46,195	2,065
Stationary engineers and boiler operators	21.78	23.90	871	956	40.0	45,303	49,712	2,080

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Production occupations –Continued								
Water and liquid waste treatment plant and system operators	\$19.75	\$17.46	\$790	\$698	40.0	\$41,074	\$36,317	2,080
Transportation and material moving occupations	23.91	24.73	923	973	38.6	45,330	46,821	1,895
Bus drivers	23.56	24.48	881	952	37.4	40,514	40,233	1,720
Bus drivers, transit and intercity	25.17	26.92	1,007	1,077	40.0	52,356	55,994	2,080
Bus drivers, school	21.90	20.90	767	690	35.0	31,951	30,932	1,459
Driver/sales workers and truck drivers	19.07	17.26	749	690	39.3	38,922	35,901	2,041
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer	17.94	16.50	718	660	40.0	37,311	34,320	2,080
Truck drivers, light or delivery services	20.95	23.99	798	960	38.1	41,474	49,899	1,980
Refuse and recyclable material collectors	27.94	33.34	1,102	1,333	39.4	54,760	69,339	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 The NCS uses the 2000 Standard Occupational Classification coding structure, which defines more than 800 unique occupations, to match jobs sampled by the survey. Military occupations are excluded from the survey.

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, weighted by hours.

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distribution at which 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.

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

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, National Compensation Survey.