

Workforce Solutions of Central Texas Targeted Occupations List 2019-2020

Target Occupation Job Title (Name)	Percent Growth 2016-2026	Entry Wage Per Hour	Experienced Wage per hour	Typical Education Needed for Entry into Occupation
Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	2.2%	\$11	\$29	Postsecondary nondegree award
Career/Technical Education Teachers, Secondary School	11.4%	\$20	\$30	Bachelor's degree, Postsecondary nondegree award
Computer Network Support Specialists	10.0%	\$20	\$34	Associate's degree
Computer Systems Analysts	17.5%	\$25	\$55	Bachelor's degree, Postsecondary nondegree award
Computer User Support Specialists	18.8%	\$14	\$49	Some college, no degree
Diagnostic Medical Sonographers	19.3%	\$22	\$44	Associate's degree
Dental Hygienists	63.3%	\$17	\$46	Associate's degree
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	13.8%	\$19	\$29	Bachelor's degree
Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	4.8%	\$10	\$24	Postsecondary nondegree award
Firefighters	2.1%	\$15	\$29	Postsecondary nondegree award
Health Technologists and Technicians	10.8%	\$13	\$29	Postsecondary nondegree award
Surgical Technologists	3.2%	\$16	\$31	Postsecondary nondegree award
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	7.6%	\$13	\$34	Postsecondary nondegree award
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	8.2%	\$18	\$25	Postsecondary nondegree award
Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	-5.1%	\$18	\$37	Postsecondary nondegree award
Medical Records and Health Information Technicians	10.5%	\$12	\$30	Postsecondary nondegree award
Medical Assistants	27.4%	\$11	\$19	Postsecondary nondegree award
Pharmacy Technicians	7.3%	\$13	\$23	Postsecondary nondegree award
Machinists	7.4%	\$12	\$24	Postsecondary nondegree award
Radiologic Technologists	7.1%	\$20	\$37	Associate's degree
Registered Nurses	9.5%	\$19	\$42	Bachelor's degree/Postsecondary nondegree award
Respiratory Therapists	12.1%	\$21	\$37	Associate's degree
Secondary School Teachers	16.4%	\$19	\$29	Bachelor's degree, Postsecondary nondegree award
Web Developers	27.0%	\$12	\$40	Associate's degree
Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	11.8%	\$12	\$25	Postsecondary nondegree award