US Earnings & Unemployment Rates by Educational Attainment, 2021

All US Workers:
$1,057 Median Usual Weekly Earnings
4.7% Unemployment Rate

Median usual weekly earnings ($) and Unemployment rate (%)

- Less than a high school diploma: $626, 8.3%
- High school diploma: $809, 6.2%
- Some college, no degree: $899, 5.5%
- Associate’s degree: $963, 4.6%
- Bachelor’s degree: $1,334, 3.5%
- Master’s degree: $1,574, 2.6%
- Professional degree: $1,924, 1.8%
- Doctoral degree: $1,909, 1.5%

Data are for persons age 25 and over. Earnings are for full-time wage and salary workers.

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