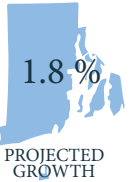


OCCUPATIONAL OUTLOOK 2023-2025

Rhode Island employment is expected to increase by nearly 10,000 jobs between 2023 and 2025, a gain of 1.8 percent. The occupational groups projected to grow at the fastest rates include Personal Care & Service Occupations (4.6%), Construction & Extraction Occupations (3.9%), Farming, Fishing, & Forestry Occupations (3.7%) and Healthcare Support Occupations (3.4%).



SOC Code	Occupational Group	2023	2025	Percent Change	Numeric Change	Exits	Transfers	Total
	Total, All Occupations	534,480	544,300	1.8	9,820	51,870	64,270	125,960
11-0000	Management Occupations	25,620	26,170	2.2	550	1,460	2,370	4,380
11-1000	Top Executives	7,700	7,860	2.1	160	400	810	1,370
11-2000	Advertising, Marketing, Promotions, Public Relations, and Sales Managers	1,770	1,800	1.8	30	80	190	300
11-3000	Operations Specialties Managers	5,190	5,290	1.9	100	270	450	820
11-9000	Other Management Occupations	10,970	11,230	2.4	260	710	920	1,890
13-0000	Business and Financial Operations Occupations	40,530	41,070	1.3	540	2,480	3,840	6,860
13-1000	Business Operations Specialists	25,510	25,900	1.5	390	1,600	2,560	4,550
13-2000	Financial Specialists	15,010	15,170	1.0	160	880	1,270	2,310
15-0000	Computer and Mathematical Occupations	16,940	17,350	2.4	410	750	1,260	2,420
15-1200	Computer Occupations	15,990	16,360	2.3	370	700	1,190	2,260
15-2000	Mathematical Science Occupations	950	1,000	5.0	50	40	70	160
17-0000	Architecture and Engineering Occupations	7,470	7,600	1.8	130	400	540	1,070
17-1000	Architects, Surveyors, and Cartographers	550	560	0.4	10	30	40	80
17-2000	Engineers	5,610	5,720	2.0	110	260	370	740
17-3000	Drafters, Engineering Technicians, and Mapping Technicians	1,310	1,330	1.5	20	110	130	260
19-0000	Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
19-1000	Life Scientists	1,010	1,030	1.7	20	30	90	140
19-2000	Physical Scientists	590	600	0.8	10	20	70	100
19-3000	Social Scientists and Related Workers	1,800	1,830	2.1	30	90	140	260
19-4000	Life, Physical, and Social Science Technicians	630	640	0.3	10	30	120	160
19-5000	Occupational Health and Safety Specialists and Technicians	290	300	3.5	10	20	50	80
21-0000	Community and Social Service Occupations	10,860	11,150	2.7	290	840	1,040	2,170
21-1000	Counselors, Social Workers, and Other Community and Social Service Specialists	8,950	9,200	2.8	250	670	870	1,790
21-2000	Religious Workers	1,910	1,950	2.4	40	160	170	370
23-0000	Legal Occupations	7,000	7,080	1.2	80	370	360	810
23-1000	Lawyers, Judges, and Related Workers	5,480	5,570	1.6	90	260	170	520
23-2000	Legal Support Workers	1,510	1,510	-0.2	-	120	190	310
25-0000	Educational Instruction and Library Occupations	31,570	31,600	0.1	30	2,710	2,580	5,320
25-1000	Postsecondary Teachers	5,580	5,600	0.3	20	490	380	890
25-2000	Preschool, Elementary, Middle, Secondary, and Special Education Teachers	15,990	15,960	-0.2	(30)	1,070	1,140	2,180
25-3000	Other Teachers and Instructors	3,210	3,240	1.1	30	420	380	830
25-4000	Librarians, Curators, and Archivists	1,110	1,140	2.9	30	130	100	260
25-9000	Other Educational Instruction and Library Occupations	5,690	5,670	-0.3	(20)	600	580	1,160

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27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	8,850	9,050	2.3	200	690	980	1,870
27-1000	Art and Design Workers	2,630	2,650	0.6	20	180	270	470
27-2000	Entertainers and Performers, Sports and Related Workers	2,000	2,090	4.1	90	210	250	550
27-3000	Media and Communication Workers	3,010	3,080	2.4	70	220	320	610
27-4000	Media and Communication Equipment Workers	1,210	1,240	2.7	30	80	130	240
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	43,070	43,950	2.0	880	2,660	1,950	5,490
29-1000	Health Diagnosing or Treating Practitioners	31,980	32,690	2.2	710	1,870	1,140	3,720
29-2000	Health Technologists and Technicians	10,390	10,530	1.4	140	740	770	1,650
29-9000	Other Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	710	720	1.8	10	50	40	100
31-0000	Healthcare Support Occupations	24,760	25,600	3.4	840	3,270	3,850	7,960
31-1100	Home Health and Personal Care Aides; and Nursing Assistants, Orderlies, and Psychiatric Aides	17,570	18,250	3.9	680	2,530	2,630	5,840
31-2000	Occupational Therapy and Physical Therapist Assistants and Aides	1,270	1,320	3.9	50	130	230	410
31-9000	Other Healthcare Support Occupations	5,920	6,040	2.0	120	610	1,000	1,730
33-0000	Protective Service Occupations	12,440	12,430	-0.1	(10)	1,280	1,360	2,630
33-1000	Supervisors of Protective Service Workers	2,110	2,110	-0.1	-	120	160	280
33-2000	Firefighting and Prevention Workers	1,800	1,800	0.2	-	90	170	260
33-3000	Law Enforcement Workers	3,600	3,580	-0.5	(20)	230	340	550
33-9000	Other Protective Service Workers	4,930	4,930	0.1	-	840	670	1,510
35-0000	Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	48,070	49,260	2.5	1,190	8,260	9,910	19,360
35-1000	Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	4,710	4,860	3.1	150	470	890	1,510
35-2000	Cooks and Food Preparation Workers	14,200	14,680	3.4	480	2,150	2,420	5,050
35-3000	Food and Beverage Serving Workers	23,370	23,800	1.8	430	4,460	5,510	10,400
35-9000	Other Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers	5,800	5,930	2.3	130	1,190	1,090	2,410
37-0000	Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	18,800	19,060	1.4	260	2,300	2,700	5,260
37-1000	Supervisors of Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Workers	2,180	2,220	2.0	40	190	270	500
37-2000	Building Cleaning and Pest Control Workers	10,860	10,990	1.2	130	1,530	1,520	3,180
37-3000	Grounds Maintenance Workers	5,760	5,850	1.4	90	570	910	1,570
39-0000	Personal Care and Service Occupations	16,090	16,820	4.6	730	2,180	3,280	6,190
39-1000	Supervisors of Personal Care and Service Workers	1,240	1,290	4.7	50	110	170	330
39-2000	Animal Care and Service Workers	1,520	1,620	6.6	100	200	360	660
39-3000	Entertainment Attendants and Related Workers	1,700	1,780	4.8	80	360	540	980
39-4000	Funeral Service Workers	220	230	5.6	10	20	40	70
39-5000	Personal Appearance Workers	4,260	4,470	5.1	210	490	650	1,350
39-6000	Baggage Porters, Bellhops, and Concierges	70	70	2.8	-	10	10	20
39-7000	Tour and Travel Guides	150	160	8.1	10	30	40	80
39-9000	Other Personal Care and Service Workers	6,940	7,190	3.6	250	970	1,480	2,700
41-0000	Sales and Related Occupations	47,080	47,710	1.3	630	5,440	6,710	12,780
41-1000	Supervisors of Sales Workers	5,880	5,920	0.7	40	450	670	1,160
41-2000	Retail Sales Workers	24,990	25,230	1.0	240	3,890	4,290	8,420
41-3000	Sales Representatives, Services	8,800	8,910	1.2	110	560	960	1,630
41-4000	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing	6,380	6,600	3.5	220	430	710	1,360
41-9000	Other Sales and Related Workers	1,020	1,040	2.0	20	100	90	210
43-0000	Office and Administrative Support Occupations	62,970	62,770	-0.3	(200)	6,810	7,600	14,210
43-1000	Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	4,650	4,620	-0.5	(30)	390	500	860
43-2000	Communications Equipment Operators	110	110	-4.6	-	10	10	20
43-3000	Financial Clerks	10,090	10,000	-0.9	(90)	1,100	1,080	2,090
43-4000	Information and Record Clerks	21,650	21,650	0.0	-	2,460	3,110	5,570
43-5000	Material Recording, Scheduling, Dispatching, and Distributing Workers	7,240	7,310	0.9	70	630	760	1,460
43-6000	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	8,140	8,020	-1.5	(120)	900	850	1,630
43-9000	Other Office and Administrative Support Workers	11,090	11,060	-0.3	(30)	1,310	1,300	2,580

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45-0000	Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
45-1000	Supervisors of Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Workers	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
45-2000	Agricultural Workers	890	970	8.8	80	110	170	360
45-3000	Fishing and Hunting Workers	2,850	2,910	2.1	60	300	450	810
45-4000	Forest, Conservation, and Logging Workers	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
47-0000	Construction and Extraction Occupations	23,170	24,080	3.9	910	1,610	2,350	4,870
47-1000	Supervisors of Construction and Extraction Workers	2,360	2,440	3.4	80	160	220	460
47-2000	Construction Trades Workers	19,190	19,990	4.2	800	1,300	1,960	4,060
47-3000	Helpers, Construction Trades	220	230	2.7	10	20	30	60
47-4000	Other Construction and Related Workers	1,230	1,240	1.2	10	120	120	250
47-5000	Extraction Workers	180	180	0.6	-	20	20	40
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	17,900	18,380	2.7	480	1,420	1,780	3,680
49-1000	Supervisors of Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers	1,490	1,520	2.1	30	120	130	280
49-2000	Electrical and Electronic Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	1,520	1,530	0.9	10	110	190	310
49-3000	Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	5,670	5,760	1.7	90	440	560	1,090
49-9000	Other Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	9,220	9,560	3.7	340	750	900	1,990
51-0000	Production Occupations	29,640	30,380	2.5	740	2,730	3,770	7,240
51-1000	Supervisors of Production Workers	2,410	2,510	4.1	100	180	280	560
51-2000	Assemblers and Fabricators	5,450	5,710	4.8	260	470	700	1,430
51-3000	Food Processing Workers	3,000	3,120	4.2	120	370	450	940
51-4000	Metal Workers and Plastic Workers	6,140	6,410	4.4	270	450	770	1,490
51-5100	Printing Workers	670	630	-5.4	(40)	60	80	100
51-6000	Textile, Apparel, and Furnishings Workers	2,440	2,430	-0.2	(10)	330	270	590
51-7000	Woodworkers	370	370	-0.3	-	30	40	70
51-8000	Plant and System Operators	600	610	1.8	10	50	70	130
51-9000	Other Production Occupations	8,570	8,580	0.1	10	800	1,120	1,930
53-0000	Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	33,560	34,480	2.8	920	3,640	4,990	9,550
53-1000	Supervisors of Transportation and Material Moving Workers	1,270	1,310	2.5	40	90	170	300
53-2000	Air Transportation Workers	120	120	6.1	-	10	20	30
53-3000	Motor Vehicle Operators	13,640	13,950	2.3	310	1,520	1,560	3,390
53-4000	Rail Transportation Workers	210	210	1.0	-	10	20	30
53-5000	Water Transportation Workers	310	320	3.3	10	20	40	70
53-6000	Other Transportation Workers	630	640	2.2	10	70	110	190
53-7000	Material Moving Workers	17,390	17,940	3.2	550	1,930	3,070	5,550

Exits are the projected number of workers leaving an occupation and exiting the labor force entirely. Labor force exits are more common at older ages as workers retire, but can occur at any age. Labor force exits are not necessarily permanent exits from the labor force; for example, some workers exit the labor force to pursue additional education with the intention of returning to the labor force. They do represent permanent separations from an occupation.

Transfers are the projected number of workers leaving an occupation and transferring to a different occupation. Transfers represent permanent separations from an occupation, not temporary movements where the worker is expected to return to the same occupation in the future.

Openings are the projected number of openings (positions) for workers entering the occupation. The openings are defined as the sum of net occupational employment change and occupational separations. Workers who change jobs within an occupation do not generate openings since there is no net change in openings from this movement.

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