

| Occupation | Median |
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| Meat, Poultry & Fish Cutters & Trimmers | \$14.39 |
| Medical & Health Services Managers | \$57.57 |
| Medical Assistants | \$18.20 |
| Medical Secretaries & Administrative Assistants | \$22.22 |
| Meeting, Convention & Event Planners | \$23.91 |
| Mental Health & Substance Abuse Social Workers | \$36.74 |
| Middle School Teachers | \$76,880 |
| Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines | \$28.63 |
| Model Makers, Metal & Plastic | \$29.12 |
| Nuclear Medicine Technologists | \$48.18 |
| Nurse Practitioners | \$60.36 |
| Nursing Assistants | \$17.84 |
| Occupational Therapists | \$46.09 |
| Occupational Therapy Assistants | \$29.97 |
| Opticians, Dispensing | \$22.22 |
| Order Clerks | \$17.82 |
| Orderlies | \$17.68 |
| Packers & Packagers, Hand | \$13.74 |
| Painters, Construction & Maintenance | \$22.68 |
| Painting, Coating & Decorating Workers | \$15.10 |
| Paralegals & Legal Assistants | \$28.12 |
| Paramedics | \$22.57 |
| Parts Salespersons | \$17.59 |
| Payroll & Timekeeping Clerks | \$28.73 |
| Pest Control Workers | \$18.37 |
| Pharmacy Technicians | \$17.70 |
| Phlebotomists | \$22.22 |
| Photographers | \$18.42 |
| Physical Therapists | \$46.12 |
| Physician Assistants | \$61.39 |
| Plumbers, Pipefitters & Steamfitters | \$29.29 |
| Police & Sheriff's Patrol Officers | \$31.46 |
| Postal Service Mail Carriers | \$24.58 |
| Printing Press Operators | \$18.18 |
| Private Detectives & Investigators | \$30.33 |
| Property Appraisers & Assessors | \$37.92 |
| Public Relations Specialists | \$31.77 |

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| Real Estate Sales Agents | \$23.10 |
| Receptionists & Information Clerks | \$17.67 |
| Registered Nurses | \$37.93 |
| Residential Advisors | \$18.12 |
| Retail Salespersons | \$14.18 |
| Roofers | \$28.45 |
| Sales Representatives of Services | \$29.99 |
| School Bus Monitors | \$17.75 |
| Secretaries & Administrative Assistants | \$22.62 |
| Security Guards | \$16.80 |
| Self-Enrichment Teachers | \$16.22 |
| Sewing Machine Operators | \$17.34 |
| Sheet Metal Workers | \$29.80 |
| Shipping, Receiving & Inventory Clerks | \$18.01 |
| Shuttle Drivers & Chauffeurs | \$14.91 |
| Skincare Specialists | \$14.34 |
| Software Developers | \$50.53 |
| Special Education Teacher | \$76,880 |
| Stockers & Order Fillers | \$14.58 |
| Substance Abuse & Mental Health Counselors | \$28.99 |
| Tax Examiners & Collectors & Revenue Agents | \$38.80 |
| Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary | \$97,620 |
| Teaching Assistants, Postsecondary | \$48,890 |
| Tellers | \$17.97 |
| Textile Cutting Machine Setters, Operators & Tenders | \$13.14 |
| Tire Repairers & Changers | \$17.46 |
| Title Examiners, Abstractors & Searchers | \$22.17 |
| Tool & Die Makers | \$28.83 |
| Tour & Travel Guides | \$13.84 |
| Travel Agents | \$18.41 |
| Tutors | \$28.19 |
| Veterinary Technologists & Technicians | \$17.88 |
| Waiters & Waitresses | \$12.56 |
| Web & Digital Interface Designers | \$38.14 |
| Web Developers | \$38.36 |
| Welders, Cutters, Solderers & Brazers | \$27.61 |
| Word Processors & Typists | \$22.62 |

The RI Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics survey estimates are produced by combining data collected over a three-year period. The median is the middle value of the wage distribution. If 101 wage values are reported for an occupation & are listed in ascending order, the median wage would be the 51st value on the list. There are 50 values below it & 50 values above it.

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| RI Entry Level Wage | \$14.84 |
| RI Median Wage | \$22.97 |
| RI Experienced Wage | \$37.24 |

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| Accountants & Auditors | \$38.41 | Construction Managers | \$48.78 | First-Line Supervisors of Landscaping Workers | \$29.68 |
| Actuaries | \$38.60 | Cooks, Fast Food | \$12.79 | First-Line Supervisors of Non-Retail Sales Workers | \$48.98 |
| Administrative Services Managers | \$63.05 | Cooks, Institution & Cafeteria | \$18.36 | First-Line Supervisors of Office Workers | \$29.74 |
| Advertising Sales Agents | \$23.44 | Cost Estimators | \$30.27 | First-Line Supervisors of Personal Service Workers | \$23.61 |
| Aircraft Mechanics & Service Technicians | \$34.06 | Counter & Rental Clerks | \$17.83 | First-Line Supervisors of Police & Detectives | \$39.45 |
| Ambulance Drivers & Attendants | \$15.47 | Court, Municipal & License Clerks | \$22.89 | First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers | \$23.22 |
| Animal Caretakers | \$14.38 | Credit Analysts | \$38.49 | Floral Designers | \$16.92 |
| Architectural & Civil Drafters | \$29.07 | Crossing Guards & Flaggers | \$18.24 | Food Preparation Workers | \$14.77 |
| Architectural & Engineering Managers | \$77.96 | Curators | \$37.16 | Foundry Mold & Coremakers | \$22.39 |
| Art Directors | \$38.92 | Customer Service Representatives | \$18.21 | Fundraisers | \$31.41 |
| Art, Drama & Music Teachers, Postsecondary | \$78,610 | Cutters & Trimmers, Hand | \$14.38 | Funeral Attendants | \$22.22 |
| Automotive Body & Related Repairers | \$23.23 | Data Entry Keyers | \$17.83 | Funeral Home Managers | \$57.75 |
| Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics | \$22.91 | Dental Assistants | \$22.79 | Furniture Finishers | \$18.01 |
| Bakers | \$14.38 | Dental Hygienists | \$37.49 | Glaziers | \$28.36 |
| Bartenders | \$13.41 | Dental Laboratory Technicians | \$22.55 | Graphic Designers | \$30.19 |
| Bill & Account Collectors | \$18.23 | Detectives & Criminal Investigators | \$37.66 | Grinding & Polishing Workers, Hand | \$18.21 |
| Billing & Posting Clerks | \$22.73 | Diagnostic Medical Sonographers | \$45.85 | Hairdressers, Hairstylists & Cosmetologists | \$13.99 |
| Bookkeeping, Accounting & Auditing Clerks | \$22.88 | Dietetic Technicians | \$21.95 | Health Specialties Teachers, Postsecondary | \$102,130 |
| Brickmasons & Blockmasons | \$29.14 | Dietitians & Nutritionists | \$36.04 | Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers | \$24.01 |
| Budget Analysts | \$39.22 | Dishwashers | \$13.83 | Highway Maintenance Workers | \$23.06 |
| Bus & Truck Mechanics & Diesel Engine Specialists | \$28.73 | Dispatchers, Except Police, Fire & Ambulance | \$22.68 | Home Health & Personal Care Aides | \$14.09 |
| Bus Drivers, School | \$23.17 | Driver/Sales Workers | \$17.95 | Hosts & Hostesses, Restaurant, Lounge & Coffee Shop | \$13.59 |
| Business Teachers, Postsecondary | \$102,130 | Drywall & Ceiling Tile Installers | \$18.35 | Hotel, Motel & Resort Desk Clerks | \$13.99 |
| Butchers & Meat Cutters | \$14.56 | Editors | \$30.43 | Human Resources Specialists | \$36.56 |
| Buyers & Purchasing Agents | \$36.92 | Education Administrators | \$100,010 | Industrial Machinery Mechanics | \$28.62 |
| Cabinetmakers & Bench Carpenters | \$22.13 | Education Teachers, Postsecondary | \$78,160 | Industrial Truck & Tractor Operators | \$22.62 |
| Carpenters | \$26.57 | Electrical & Electronics Drafters | \$29.92 | Information Security Analysts | \$47.76 |
| Carpet Installers | \$22.59 | Electrical Engineers | \$48.35 | Insurance Claims & Policy Processing Clerks | \$22.87 |
| Cashiers | \$13.70 | Electrical, Electronic Assemblers | \$15.11 | Interior Designers | \$31.87 |
| Cement Masons & Concrete Finishers | \$35.14 | Electricians | \$29.21 | Interpreters & Translators | \$23.62 |
| Chefs & Head Cooks | \$31.04 | Eligibility Interviewers, Government Programs | \$28.73 | Interviewers, Except Eligibility & Loan | \$22.58 |
| Chemical Engineers | \$43.73 | Emergency Medical Technicians | \$17.90 | Janitors & Cleaners | \$14.53 |
| Chemical Equipment Operators & Tenders | \$23.12 | Environmental Engineering Technologists & Technicians | \$35.94 | Jewelers & Precious Stone & Metal Workers | \$18.28 |
| Chemical Technicians | \$22.40 | Environmental Engineers | \$40.96 | Kindergarten Teachers, Except Special Education | \$76,880 |
| Child, Family & School Social Workers | \$29.65 | Environmental Scientists & Specialists, Including Health | \$39.27 | Laborers & Freight, Stock & Material Movers, Hand | \$16.97 |
| Childcare Workers | \$13.26 | Etchers & Engravers | \$18.13 | Landscaping & Groundskeeping Workers | \$18.24 |
| Chiropractors | \$37.96 | Secretaries & Executive Administrative Assistants | \$36.86 | Laundry & Dry-Cleaning Workers | \$14.15 |
| Civil Engineering Technologists & Technicians | \$22.84 | Exercise Trainers & Group Fitness Instructors | \$18.32 | Lawyers | \$72.74 |
| Civil Engineers | \$47.73 | Extruding & Drawing Machine Setters, Metal & Plastic | \$22.47 | Legal Secretaries & Administrative Assistants | \$28.27 |
| Claims Adjusters, Examiners & Investigators | \$37.82 | Extruding, Forming, Machine Setters | \$22.40 | Library Assistants, Clerical | \$14.28 |
| Cleaners of Vehicles & Equipment | \$14.19 | Facilities Managers | \$47.35 | Library Technicians | \$23.27 |
| Community Health Workers | \$24.08 | Fashion Designers | \$23.85 | Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses | \$28.96 |
| Compliance Officers | \$37.14 | File Clerks | \$17.83 | Light Truck Drivers | \$18.26 |
| Computer & Information Research Scientists | \$56.78 | Financial & Investment Analysts | \$38.96 | Loan Interviewers & Clerks | \$22.55 |
| Computer Hardware Engineers | \$49.23 | Financial Examiners | \$38.92 | Loan Officers | \$37.81 |
| Computer Numerically Controlled Tool Operators | \$23.09 | Fire Inspectors & Investigators | \$29.62 | Machinists | \$23.32 |
| Computer Programmers | \$38.59 | Firefighters | \$30.33 | Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners | \$14.84 |
| Computer Science Teachers, Postsecondary | \$79,640 | First-Line Supervisors of Construction Workers | \$37.28 | Manicurists & Pedicurists | \$12.52 |
| Computer Systems Analysts | \$49.23 | First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation Workers | \$23.08 | Market Research Analysts & Marketing Specialists | \$30.40 |
| Construction & Building Inspectors | \$30.05 | First-Line Supervisors of Gambling Services Workers | \$29.02 | Marketing Managers | \$73.25 |
| Construction Laborers | \$22.97 | First-Line Supervisors of Housekeeping Workers | \$22.90 | Massage Therapists | \$14.59 |