

**Labor Market Information**

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Occupational Title	Employment 2010	Employment 2020	Total Openings	Median Wage	Training Codes
<b>Primary &amp; Secondary</b>					
Secondary School Teachers	4,106	4,249	1,266	\$54,020	3
Elementary School Teachers	3,472	3,925	1,216	\$72,470	3
Middle School Teachers	2,090	2,363	732	\$71,510	3
Special Education Teachers, Preschool, Kindergarten, and Elementary School	814	947	373	\$75,410	3
Kindergarten Teachers	744	844	293	\$29,960	3
Education Administrators, Elementary & Secondary School	846	891	283	\$97,330	2
Educational, Guidance, School, and Vocational Counselors	705	800	246	\$30.56	2
Special Education Teachers, Secondary School	511	529	169	\$70,760	3
Special Education Teachers, Middle School	360	418	164	\$68,110	3
Preschool Teachers	157	171	55	\$14.40	4
Career/Technical Education Teachers, Secondary School	90	87	25	\$69,980	3
Career/Technical Education Teachers, Middle School	57	61	17	\$69,020	3
<b>Postsecondary</b>					
Education Administrators	572	659	248	\$46.03	2
Art, Drama, and Music Teachers	475	550	151	\$74,570	1
English Language and Literature Teachers	384	431	108	\$71,570	1
Business Teachers	304	349	94	\$98,910	1
Graduate Teaching Assistants	332	372	93		
Health Specialties Teachers	255	293	79	\$93,190	1
Vocational Education Teachers	251	287	76	\$20.33	3
Mathematical Science Teachers	237	264	65	\$82,140	1
Biological Science Teachers	214	241	61	\$82,640	1
Engineering Teachers	207	234	60	\$95,610	1
<b>Educational Support</b>					
Teacher Assistants	3,444	3,745	1,078	\$30,520	7
Coaches and Scouts	639	863	386	\$40,250	7
Janitors and Cleaners	1,450	1,529	352	\$11.82	8
Childcare Workers	830	888	319	\$10.46	7
Office Clerks, General	759	843	218	\$14.33	7
Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	1,526	1,512	205	\$17.66	7
Instructional Coordinators	494	578	193	\$25.41	2
Computer Support Specialists	357	393	130	\$22.98	6
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	445	488	125	\$18.00	7

<i>Training Codes:</i>	3 - Bachelor's Degree	6 - Some College - No Degree
1 - Professional Degree	4 - Associate Degree	7 - High School Diploma or equivalent
2 - Master's Degree	5 - Postsecondary - Non Degree	8 - Less Than High School

Wage rate reflects the median wage paid by all RI employers during May 2011



Rhode Island employment is expected to increase by more than 52,000 jobs during the 2010-2020 projection period as the state's economy continues to recover from recessionary losses. Employment in 2020 is projected to reach 540,550, an increase of 52,372 (10.7%) from the 2010 employment level.

Job openings result from the creation of new jobs due to industry growth and the need to replace workers who have left an existing position due to job change, retirement, or other personal reasons. During the 2010-2020 projection period, it is estimated that employers will need to fill over 170,000 total job openings statewide. Nearly one-third of the projected openings are attributed to growth that is expected to occur during the projection period, while the remainder will exist due to replacement needs.

The Educational Services sector includes establishments that provide instruction and training in a wide variety of subjects by teachers or instructors at locations such as schools, colleges, universities and training centers. Employment in Educational Services in

Rhode Island is dominated by Elementary and Secondary Schools (57.2%) and Colleges and Universities (35.0%) The remaining employment is found in Junior Colleges, Business Schools, Trade Schools and Educational Support Services. Also included in the Educational Services sector is the "Other Schools and Instruction" subsector. This industry group consists of establishments offering various types of instruction and training including Fine Arts Schools; Sports & Recreation Instruction; Language Schools; Exam Preparation & Tutoring; and Driving Schools.

Nearly 2,500 job openings are projected for both Elementary and Secondary School Teachers during the ten year projection period. Over 60 percent (62.7%) of the demand for Elementary School Teachers and 89 percent of the demand for Secondary School Teachers is attributed to the need to replace teachers who leave their positions. Demand will also be high for Teacher Assistants as schools try to fill over 1,000 positions due to both growth and replacement needs.

**Educational Services  
Fastest Growing Jobs\***

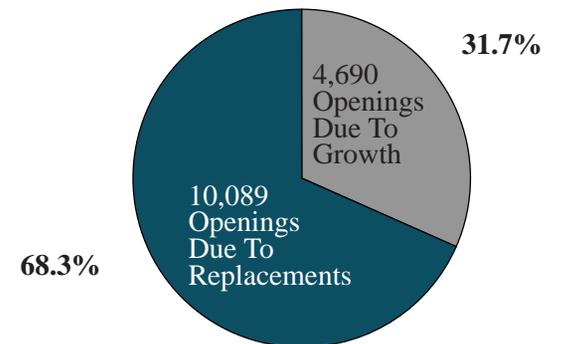
- Instructional Coordinators
- Special Education Teachers, Preschool, Kindergarten, and Elementary School
- Special Education Teachers, Middle School
- Art, Drama, and Music Teachers, Postsecondary
- Education Administrators, Postsecondary
- First-Line Supervisors: Office and Administrative Support Workers
- Educational, Guidance, School, and Vocational Counselors
- Kindergarten Teachers
- Middle School Teachers
- Elementary School Teachers

\*Jobs with a minimum projected growth rate of 10 percent and generate a minimum of 100 openings during the projection period.

**2010 Employment in Educational Services**

	Average Number of Firms	Average Covered Employment	Average Annual Wage
<b>Total</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>45,486</b>	<b>\$49,874</b>
Elementary & Secondary Schools	141	26,023	\$49,993
Junior Colleges	7	1,332	\$49,043
Colleges & Universities	46	15,905	\$52,320
Business, Computer & Management Training	62	377	\$43,411
Technical & Trade Schools	39	380	\$36,412
Other Schools & Instruction	233	1,165	\$22,873
Educational Support Services	53	304	\$43,617

**Distribution of Openings  
in Education**



Job openings result from two major factors: the need to replace workers who leave an occupation and the need to fill vacancies created by economic expansion. During the projection period employers in Education will need to fill over 14,700 positions.