

Rhode Island In-Demand Occupations

SOC Code	SOC Title	RI Entry Wage
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	\$ 25.91
15-2011	Actuaries	\$ 28.86
25-3011	Adult Basic and Secondary Education and Literacy Teachers and Instructors	\$ 55,090
39-3091	Amusement and Recreation Attendants	\$ 8.33
33-9011	Animal Control Workers	\$ 15.34
11-9041	Architectural and Engineering Managers	\$ 48.51
29-9091	Athletic Trainers	\$ 21,540
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	\$ 12.62
39-6011	Baggage Porters and Bellhops	\$ 8.40
43-3011	Bill and Account Collectors	\$ 14.22
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	\$ 15.14
43-4011	Brokerage Clerks	\$ 18.65
13-2031	Budget Analysts	\$ 19.13
13-1199	Business Operations Specialists, All Other	\$ 25.22
51-3021	Butchers and Meat Cutters	\$ 10.37
29-2031	Cardiovascular Technologists and Technicians	\$ 22.46
47-2041	Carpet Installers	\$ 14.18
41-2011	Cashiers	\$ 8.48
51-8091	Chemical Plant and System Operators	\$ 19.67
19-2031	Chemists	\$ 25.50
21-1021	Child, Family, and School Social Workers	\$ 18.91
39-9011	Childcare Workers	\$ 9.02
17-3022	Civil Engineering Technicians	\$ 18.40
17-2051	Civil Engineers	\$ 31.75
53-7061	Cleaners of Vehicles and Equipment	\$ 9.20
21-2011	Clergy	\$ 15.63
27-2022	Coaches and Scouts	\$ 23,230
49-9091	Coin, Vending, and Amusement Machine Servicers and Repairers	\$ 13.26
35-3021	Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	\$ 8.15
27-1021	Commercial and Industrial Designers	\$ 21.50
13-1041	Compliance Officers	\$ 24.62
43-9011	Computer Operators	\$ 15.66
49-2011	Computer, Automated Teller, and Office Machine Repairers	\$ 10.02
47-4011	Construction and Building Inspectors	\$ 13.95
35-2014	Cooks, Restaurant	\$ 10.76
33-3012	Correctional Officers and Jailers	not available
41-2021	Counter and Rental Clerks	\$ 8.94
35-3022	Counter Attendants, Cafeteria, Food Concession, and Coffee Shop	\$ 8.08
43-5021	Couriers and Messengers	\$ 9.34
43-4031	Court, Municipal, and License Clerks	\$ 17.67
13-2041	Credit Analysts	\$ 28.33
33-9091	Crossing Guards	\$ 9.22
51-9021	Crushing, Grinding, and Polishing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	\$ 11.05
51-4031	Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	\$ 9.64
29-2021	Dental Hygienists	\$ 31.30
33-3021	Detectives and Criminal Investigators	\$ 27.37
29-2032	Diagnostic Medical Sonographers	\$ 32.04
29-1031	Dietitians and Nutritionists	\$ 24.25
35-9011	Dining Room and Cafeteria Attendants and Bartender Helpers	\$ 8.14
21-2021	Directors, Religious Activities and Education	\$ 12.39
35-9021	Dishwashers	\$ 8.19
41-9091	Door-to-Door Sales Workers, News and Street Vendors, and Related Workers	not available
53-3031	Driver/Sales Workers	\$ 8.32
27-3041	Editors	\$ 23.48

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11-9039	Education Administrators, All Other	\$ 31.51
51-2022	Electrical and Electronic Equipment Assemblers	\$ 11.25
17-3012	Electrical and Electronics Drafters	\$ 23.16
17-3023	Electrical and Electronics Engineering Technicians	\$ 20.33
17-2071	Electrical Engineers	\$ 34.84
49-9051	Electrical Power-Line Installers and Repairers	\$ 26.33
49-2096	Electronic Equipment Installers and Repairers, Motor Vehicles	\$ 10.85
17-2072	Electronics Engineers, Except Computer	\$ 45.15
25-2021	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	\$ 63,850
43-4061	Eligibility Interviewers, Government Programs	not available
39-4011	Embalmers	not available
29-2041	Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	\$ 13.27
17-3029	Engineering Technicians, Except Drafters, All Other	\$ 23.63
17-2199	Engineers, All Other	\$ 35.96
17-2081	Environmental Engineers	\$ 33.12
19-2041	Environmental Scientists and Specialists, Including Health	\$ 27.14
51-4021	Extruding and Drawing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	\$ 11.78
51-6091	Extruding and Forming Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Synthetic and Glass Fibers	\$ 13.35
51-9041	Extruding, Forming, Pressing, and Compacting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	\$ 14.55
43-4071	File Clerks	\$ 9.97
13-2051	Financial Analysts	\$ 25.43
13-2061	Financial Examiners	\$ 23.99
11-3031	Financial Managers	\$ 43.16
13-2099	Financial Specialists, All Other	\$ 18.58
33-2011	Firefighters	\$ 20.40
33-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Correctional Officers	not available
35-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	\$ 13.22
49-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	\$ 25.81
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	\$ 22.19
39-1021	First-Line Supervisors of Personal Service Workers	\$ 15.86
33-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Police and Detectives	\$ 29.46
39-9031	Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors	\$ 11.03
47-2042	Floor Layers, Except Carpet, Wood, and Hard Tiles	\$ 16.27
47-2043	Floor Sanders and Finishers	not available
27-1023	Floral Designers	\$ 9.70
51-3092	Food Batchmakers	\$ 8.30
35-2021	Food Preparation Workers	\$ 9.35
39-4021	Funeral Attendants	not available
41-2012	Gaming Change Persons and Booth Cashiers	not available
39-3019	Gaming Service Workers, All Other	not available
39-5012	Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists	\$ 8.92
21-1091	Health Educators	\$ 24.99
47-4051	Highway Maintenance Workers	\$ 16.53
31-1011	Home Health Aides	\$ 10.73
35-9031	Hosts and Hostesses, Restaurant, Lounge, and Coffee Shop	\$ 8.21
49-9041	Industrial Machinery Mechanics	\$ 16.32
47-2132	Insulation Workers, Mechanical	\$ 16.89
43-9041	Insurance Claims and Policy Processing Clerks	\$ 13.57
41-3021	Insurance Sales Agents	\$ 22.42
13-2053	Insurance Underwriters	\$ 25.79
27-3091	Interpreters and Translators	\$ 15.98
37-2011	Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	\$ 9.16
25-2012	Kindergarten Teachers, Except Special Education	\$ 24,190
53-7062	Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	\$ 10.21

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51-4034	Lathe and Turning Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	\$ 13.66
23-2099	Legal Support Workers, All Other	\$ 9.94
43-4121	Library Assistants, Clerical	\$ 9.46
25-4031	Library Technicians	\$ 13.88
19-4099	Life, Physical, and Social Science Technicians, All Other	\$ 15.63
33-9092	Lifeguards, Ski Patrol, and Other Recreational Protective Service Workers	\$ 8.29
43-4131	Loan Interviewers and Clerks	\$ 12.96
51-4041	Machinists	\$ 16.67
37-2012	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	\$ 8.90
13-1111	Management Analysts	\$ 26.62
39-5092	Manicurists and Pedicurists	\$ 11.59
31-9011	Massage Therapists	not available
51-3022	Meat, Poultry, and Fish Cutters and Trimmers	\$ 9.00
49-9011	Mechanical Door Repairers	not available
17-2141	Mechanical Engineers	\$ 35.15
29-2012	Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technicians	\$ 23.73
29-2011	Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technologists	\$ 27.28
51-9082	Medical Appliance Technicians	\$ 14.91
31-9093	Medical Equipment Preparers	\$ 13.51
49-9062	Medical Equipment Repairers	\$ 14.59
25-2022	Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	\$ 58,250
39-3021	Motion Picture Projectionists	not available
53-3099	Motor Vehicle Operators, All Other	\$ 24.26
49-3051	Motorboat Mechanics and Service Technicians	\$ 15.37
27-2042	Musicians and Singers	\$ 9.57
39-2021	Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	\$ 8.74
29-2033	Nuclear Medicine Technologists	\$ 36.69
31-1012	Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants	\$ 11.27
47-2073	Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	\$ 20.69
51-9083	Ophthalmic Laboratory Technicians	\$ 10.93
29-2081	Opticians, Dispensing	\$ 20.86
43-4151	Order Clerks	\$ 13.37
51-9196	Paper Goods Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	\$ 11.98
23-2011	Paralegals and Legal Assistants	\$ 17.23
41-2022	Parts Salespersons	\$ 13.68
13-2052	Personal Financial Advisors	\$ 21.33
31-9095	Pharmacy Aides	\$ 9.87
29-2052	Pharmacy Technicians	\$ 11.04
27-4021	Photographers	\$ 10.64
31-2022	Physical Therapist Aides	\$ 10.26
31-2021	Physical Therapist Assistants	\$ 20.76
47-2151	Pipelayers	\$ 17.99
33-3051	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	\$ 23.58
43-5031	Police, Fire, and Ambulance Dispatchers	\$ 16.22
43-5051	Postal Service Clerks	\$ 25.52
43-5052	Postal Service Mail Carriers	\$ 24.68
43-5053	Postal Service Mail Sorters, Processors, and Processing Machine Operators	\$ 25.00
51-8013	Power Plant Operators	\$ 25.73
43-3061	Procurement Clerks	\$ 15.70
11-9141	Property, Real Estate, and Community Association Managers	\$ 27.47
33-9099	Protective Service Workers, All Other	\$ 10.72
31-1013	Psychiatric Aides	\$ 15.00
29-2053	Psychiatric Technicians	not available
27-3012	Public Address System and Other Announcers	\$ 10.06

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SOC Code	SOC Title	RI Entry Wage
27-3031	Public Relations Specialists	\$ 19.67
13-1023	Purchasing Agents, Except Wholesale, Retail, and Farm Products	\$ 23.63
29-1124	Radiation Therapists	\$ 32.77
27-3011	Radio and Television Announcers	\$ 11.27
47-4061	Rail-Track Laying and Maintenance Equipment Operators	not available
41-9022	Real Estate Sales Agents	\$ 16.51
43-4171	Receptionists and Information Clerks	\$ 11.31
39-9032	Recreation Workers	\$ 8.99
53-7081	Refuse and Recyclable Material Collectors	\$ 15.99
29-1111	Registered Nurses	\$ 29.53
21-2099	Religious Workers, All Other	\$ 8.72
29-1126	Respiratory Therapists	\$ 25.20
29-2054	Respiratory Therapy Technicians	\$ 20.29
41-2031	Retail Salespersons	\$ 8.93
49-9096	Riggers	\$ 15.84
53-5011	Sailors and Marine Oilers	\$ 8.72
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	\$ 21.39
25-2031	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	\$ 44,470
43-6014	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	\$ 15.08
49-2098	Security and Fire Alarm Systems Installers	\$ 17.83
25-3021	Self-Enrichment Education Teachers	\$ 14.15
51-9012	Separating, Filtering, Clarifying, Precipitating, and Still Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	not available
39-5094	Skincare Specialists	\$ 10.00
21-1093	Social and Human Service Assistants	\$ 11.71
25-2041	Special Education Teachers, Preschool, Kindergarten, and Elementary School	\$ 66,390
21-1011	Substance Abuse and Behavioral Disorder Counselors	\$ 13.39
29-2055	Surgical Technologists	\$ 17.53
47-2082	Tapers	\$ 17.31
13-2081	Tax Examiners and Collectors, and Revenue Agents	not available
53-3041	Taxi Drivers and Chauffeurs	\$ 8.78
25-9041	Teacher Assistants	\$ 24,350
51-2092	Team Assemblers	\$ 9.01
27-3042	Technical Writers	\$ 24.19
49-9052	Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers	\$ 26.19
51-6063	Textile Knitting and Weaving Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	\$ 8.89
51-6064	Textile Winding, Twisting, and Drawing Out Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	\$ 8.53
51-6099	Textile, Apparel, and Furnishings Workers, All Other	\$ 10.14
49-3093	Tire Repairers and Changers	\$ 12.43
41-3041	Travel Agents	\$ 13.37
51-6093	Upholsterers	\$ 9.34
29-2056	Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	\$ 11.62
35-3031	Waiters and Waitresses	\$ 8.24
51-8031	Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators	\$ 20.03
43-9022	Word Processors and Typists	\$ 15.08
27-3043	Writers and Authors	\$ 23.09
19-1023	Zoologists and Wildlife Biologists	not available