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# Graduate Outcomes Employment and Wage Data

Source: Nebraska Department of Labor, Nebraska Longitudinal Data System

Employment and wage data is produced using administrative data from the educational institution and the Nebraska Department of Labor and complies with all applicable employment security and student data confidentiality laws.

When there are small numbers of students in a program/major/industry, a few unusual results can dramatically affect percentages. To protect individual confidentiality, programs with fewer than four graduates are not published. Non-publishable or unavailable data is denoted as “\*\*\*\*” or “na” throughout the spreadsheet.

Not all graduates can be found. If a graduate is not found, it does not necessarily mean they are unemployed; it means they were not located in the search of Nebraska’s Unemployment Insurance database. Individuals who are self-employed, work in industries not covered by Unemployment Insurance, are enrolled in other postsecondary education and are not working, work in another state, or work for the federal government are unlikely to be found in the database. An institution’s proximity to bordering states may make some students less likely to be employed in Nebraska, and therefore, not found in Nebraska’s Unemployment Insurance database.

Earnings may be for full or part-time work. Earnings reported in the database include wages, salaries, bonuses, commissions and other income designated as earnings under Nebraska Unemployment law. Wages tend to be higher in some regions than others. The wage information listed relates to all individuals found working in Nebraska and may be influenced by strong regional variation.

It is not possible to tell if graduates are employed in occupations related to their education since employers do not report occupation.

The CIP Code field identifies the six digit classification of instructional program (CIP) code for each field of study.

Any questions about the data or requests for customized reports or other related data should be submitted to:

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Employing Industry	Number of Graduates Working in Nebraska	Average Quarterly Earnings
Accommodation and Food Services	14	\$2,498
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	7	\$8,839
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	2	***
Construction	5	\$6,381
Educational Services	16	\$7,749
Finance and Insurance	4	\$7,059
Health Care and Social Assistance	52	\$9,275
Information	3	***
Manufacturing	1	***
Other Services (except Public Administration)	2	***
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	2	***
Public Administration	10	\$7,702
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1	***
Retail Trade	10	\$6,256
Transportation and Warehousing	2	***
Unknown	7	\$3,821
Utilities	4	\$12,233
Wholesale Trade	2	***

Most Popular Industries of Employment by Age Group									
18-24		25-34		35-44		45-54		55+	
Health Care and Social Assistance	13	Health Care and Social Assistance	22	Health Care and Social Assistance	12	Health Care and Social Assistance	5	Unknown	1
Accommodation and Food Services	11	Educational Services	5	Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	4	Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	1	Accommodation and Food Services	1
Educational Services	7	Public Administration	2	Educational Services	3	Educational Services	1		
Retail Trade	7	Utilities	2	Public Administration	2	Retail Trade	1		
Public Administration	6	Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	2	Construction	2				



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Field of Study	Cip	Degree	Total Graduates	Graduates Working in Nebraska	Percentage of Graduates Working in Nebraska	Average Quarterly Earnings
Accounting	520301	03	6	3	50.0%	****
Airframe Mechanics and Aircraft Maintenance Technology/Technician	470607	03	2	0	0.0%	****
Airframe Mechanics and Aircraft Maintenance Technology/Technician	470607	04	3	0	0.0%	****
Athletic Training/Trainer	510913	03	2	1	50.0%	****
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician	470603	02	2	2	100.0%	****
Autobody/Collision and Repair Technology/Technician	470603	03	1	0	0.0%	****
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	470604	02	3	1	33.3%	****
Automobile/Automotive Mechanics Technology/Technician	470604	03	2	2	100.0%	****
Business Administration and Management, General	520201	03	24	11	45.8%	\$8,285
Computer and Information Sciences, General	110101	02	2	0	0.0%	****
Computer and Information Sciences, General	110101	03	9	5	55.6%	\$11,121
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies	430104	03	7	5	71.4%	\$6,997
Dental Hygiene/Hygienist	510602	03	1	0	0.0%	****
Early Childhood Education and Teaching	131210	03	6	4	66.7%	\$8,314
Economics, General	450601	03	1	1	100.0%	****
Elementary Education and Teaching	131202	03	7	6	85.7%	\$2,569
Engineering, General	140101	03	1	1	100.0%	****
Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences, General	190101	03	1	0	0.0%	****
Health and Medical Administrative Services, Other	510799	02	1	1	100.0%	****
Health Information/Medical Records Technology/Technician	510707	03	11	3	27.3%	****
History, Other	540199	03	1	1	100.0%	****
Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies	240101	03	46	22	47.8%	\$5,029
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	513901	02	29	20	69.0%	\$7,435
Lineworker	460303	02	13	7	53.8%	\$10,265
Lineworker	460303	03	11	4	36.4%	\$8,962
Medical Radiologic Technology/Science - Radiation Therapist	510907	03	2	1	50.0%	****
Mental and Social Health Services and Allied Professions, Other	511599	03	5	4	80.0%	\$5,918
Music Teacher Education	131312	03	2	1	50.0%	****
Physical Education Teaching and Coaching	131314	03	2	0	0.0%	****
Political Science and Government, General	451001	03	1	0	0.0%	****
Pre-Nursing Studies	511105	03	8	3	37.5%	****
Psychology, General	420101	03	8	6	75.0%	\$5,410
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	513801	03	23	18	78.3%	\$12,497

Secondary Education and Teaching	131205	03	7	2	28.6%	****
Social Work	440701	03	2	1	50.0%	****
Spanish Language and Literature	160905	03	1	1	100.0%	****
Surgical Technology/Technologist	510909	03	6	3	50.0%	****
Welding Technology/Welder	480508	01	3	3	100.0%	****
Welding Technology/Welder	480508	02	1	1	100.0%	****