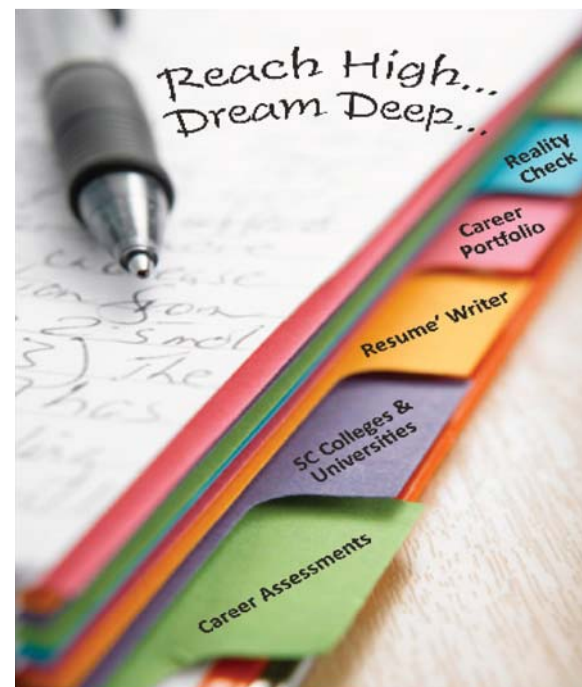


# YOUR PATHWAY TO SUCCESS



SC Occupational Information System  
www.scois.net

The US Department of Education has identified 16 Career Clusters. A Career Cluster is a grouping of occupations and broad industries based on things they have in common.

Look inside for a SAMPLE list of occupations which may interest you. There are many other occupations you may wish to consider.

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Identified as a "Green Job" in SC...from the Labor Market Information Division of the SCESC

Identified as one of the Top 50 Fastest Growing Occupations in SC 2006 - 2016 (www.acinet.org)

High Wage, High Skill, High Demand Occupations in South Carolina (OSDS System) (www.occsupplydemand.org)

High Wage, High Skill, High Demand and one of the Top 50 Fastest Growing Occupations in SC (www.acinet.org)

Revised August 2009

The average annual salaries based on the May 2008 Wage and Outlook Report by the Bureau of Labor Statistics Department of the South Carolina Employment Security Commission



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Agricultural Products Grader	\$16,640
Farm and Ranch Worker	\$20,860
Logger	\$28,410
Water Treatment Plant Operator	\$34,480

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Agricultural Inspector	\$36,960
Forestry Technician	\$36,000
Veterinary Technician	\$29,370

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Agricultural Scientist	\$78,150
Park Naturalist	\$64,960
Veterinarian	\$86,130
Zoologist	\$52,330



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Cement Mason	\$28,790
Fence Builder	\$25,690
General Construction Worker	\$25,510
Structural Metal Worker	\$34,750

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Construction Manager	\$79,280
Drafter	\$48,060
Hazardous Material Worker	\$45,060
Interior Designer	\$48,070

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Architect	\$80,020
Landscape Architect	\$57,690
Surveyor	\$46,210



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Animator & Multi Media Artist	\$42,800
Choreographer	\$36,400

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Graphic Designer	\$40,130
Producer/Director	\$69,860
Sound Engineering Tech.	\$32,220

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Announcer	\$40,850
Industrial Designer	\$49,890
News Reporter	\$34,210
Writer	\$45,160



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Bookkeeping/Accounting Clerk	\$30,380
Computer Operator	\$34,070

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Administrative Service Manager	\$66,480
Court Reporter	\$39,120
Executive Secretary	\$38,520
Statistical Clerk	\$32,150

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Advertising Manager	\$68,620
Employment Interviewer	\$42,540
General/Operators Manager	\$92,390
Management Analyst	\$66,910
Property/Real Estate Manager	\$60,320



High School and/or Technical College Required:

NA

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Audio Visual Specialist	\$29,650
Library Technical Assistant	\$24,960
Teacher Aide	\$18,080

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Adult and Vocational Ed Teacher	\$45,390
Elementary School Teacher	\$44,520
Instructional Coordinator	\$56,700
Librarian	\$49,660
Preschool/Kindergarten Teacher	\$44,190
Speech Pathologist	\$60,190



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Bank Teller	\$24,170
Bill/Account Collector	\$27,650

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Appraiser/Assessor	\$42,520
Insurance Agent	\$46,030

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Economist	\$66,970
Financial Analyst	\$58,740
Financial Manager	\$90,380
Securities Salespeople	\$75,960



High School and/or Technical College Required:

License Clerk	\$29,890
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Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Construction/Bldg. Inspector	\$42,250
Transportation Inspector	\$67,970

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Interpreters/Translators	\$31,790
Occupational Health/Safety Spec.	\$49,620
Social/Community Serv. Manager	\$52,040
Social Science Research Asst.	\$40,030



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Medical Appliance Technician \$32,080  
 Medical Assistant \$27,190  
 Personal/Home Care Aide \$18,880

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Cardiovascular Technologist \$45,570  
 Dental Hygienist \$53,510  
 Emergency Medical Technician \$30,340  
 Massage Therapist \$40,980  
 Respiratory Therapist \$48,800

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Dietitian \$47,360  
 Health Service Administrator \$78,650  
 Medical Scientist \$54,920  
 Occupational Therapist \$58,260  
 Optometrist \$89,860  
 Pharmacist \$103,000  
 Physical Therapist \$72,240  
 Registered Nurse \$57,610



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Food Service Worker Supv. \$29,430  
 Restaurant Host \$16,580  
 Waiter/Waitress \$16,630

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Office Manager \$42,520  
 Recreation Worker \$22,330  
 Reservation/Ticket Agent \$24,580  
 Restaurant Manager \$46,890  
 Travel Agent \$26,480

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Hotel/Motel Manager \$53,020  
 Professional Athlete \$46,430



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Child Care Worker \$16,900  
 Hairstylist/Cosmetologist \$26,770  
 Skin Care Specialist \$34,770

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Embalmer \$41,630

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Addictions Counselor \$39,530  
 Clergy \$42,490  
 Funeral Director \$66,100  
 Marriage and Family Therapist \$39,690  
 Social Worker \$38,870



High School and/or Technical College Required:

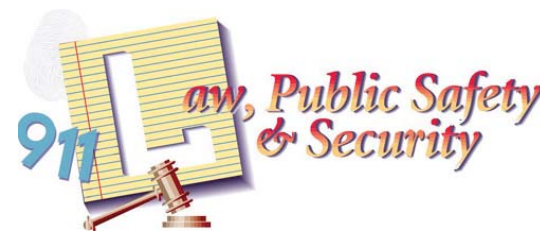
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Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Computer Security Specialist \$58,000  
 Computer Support Specialist \$40,770  
 Technical Writer \$51,410

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Computer Engineer \$74,120  
 Computer/Info. System Manager \$95,690  
 Computer Programmer \$61,480  
 Computer System Administrator \$58,000  
 Data Communications Analyst \$63,540  
 Database Administrator \$61,000



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Ambulance Driver \$20,440  
 Correction Officer \$31,060  
 Court Clerk \$27,980  
 Life Guard \$17,780  
 Security Guard \$26,330

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Fire Fighter \$31,390  
 Fire Inspector/Investigator \$39,040  
 Paralegal/Legal Assistant \$39,690  
 Police Patrol Officer \$37,180

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Forensic Science Technician \$39,440  
 Judge \$58,030  
 Lawyer \$105,400  
 Private Detective/Investigator \$44,800  
 Probation Officer \$36,990



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Building Maintenance Worker \$33,470  
 Crane/Tower Operator \$40,000  
 Forklift Operator \$28,700  
 Glass Blower \$30,040  
 Metal/Plastic Process Worker \$28,340  
 Numerical Control Machine Oper. \$34,010  
 Quality Control Inspector \$31,260  
 Welder \$33,840

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Chemical Equipment Operator \$57,790  
 Power Plant Operator \$64,890  
 Production/Planning Clerk \$40,740

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Chemical Engineer \$83,880  
 Sales Representative \$85,380



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Customer Service Representative \$28,850  
 Floral Designer \$21,980

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Advertising Sales People \$41,170  
 Buyer/Purchasing Agent \$52,900  
 Merchandise Displayer \$25,910

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Public Relations Manager \$74,450  
 Public Relations Specialist \$47,030  
 Purchasing Manager \$84,160  
 Sales Representative \$67,490



High School and/or Technical College Required:

NA

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Engineering Tech. Electrical \$54,500  
 Engineering Tech. Mechanical \$49,260  
 Science Tech. Chemical \$44,710  
 Science Tech. Nuclear \$53,980  
 Science Tech. Health \$46,690

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Aerospace Engineer \$91,430  
 Biologist/Biophysicist \$71,780  
 Chemist \$67,870  
 Civil Engineer \$71,700  
 Electrical Engineer \$80,820  
 Geologist/Geophysicist \$60,530  
 Nuclear Engineer \$94,120  
 Physicist \$55,180



High School and/or Technical College Required:

Bicycle Repairer \$18,110  
 Bus Driver \$22,870  
 Deckhand \$39,450  
 Heavy Truck Driver \$36,140  
 Service Station Attendant \$20,040  
 Tire Repairer/Changer \$21,700

Technical, Community or Junior College Required:

Aircraft Mechanic \$47,620  
 Heavy Equipment Mechanic \$41,500  
 Locomotive Engineer \$45,600  
 Storage/Transportation Mgr. \$74,920  
 Train Conductor/Yardmaster \$47,470

College, University or Graduate/Professional School Required:

Airplane Pilot \$90,680  
 Ship Engineer \$65,950  
 Traffic Technician \$36,650