

## TARGETED OCCUPATIONS 2021-2024

	Wages per Year: ENTRY LEVEL	Wages per Year: EXPERIENCED
<a href="#">Architectural and Civil Drafter - 17-3011</a>	\$43,400	\$72,400
<a href="#">Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics - 49-3023</a>	\$32,300	\$53,300
<a href="#">Billing and Postal Clerks - 43-3021</a>	\$27,400	\$41,000
<a href="#">Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks - 43-3031</a>	\$27,900	\$45,100
<a href="#">Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists - 49-3031</a>	\$35,100	\$53,100
<a href="#">Carpenters - 47-2031</a>	\$35,500	\$54,700
<a href="#">Chemical Equipment Operators and Tenders - 51-9011</a>	\$40,600	\$81,900
<a href="#">Chemical Plant and System Operators - 51-8091</a>	\$37,500	\$82,200
<a href="#">Computer User Support Specialists - 15-1232</a>	\$28,700	\$55,100
<a href="#">Correctional Officers and Jailers - 33-3012</a>	\$34,300	\$44,700
<a href="#">Dental Assistant- 31-9091</a>	\$26,200	\$40,200
<a href="#">Electricians - 47-2111</a>	\$38,400	\$68,100
<a href="#">Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education -25-2021</a>	\$42,700	\$58,100
<a href="#">Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers - 49-9021</a>	\$40,000	\$55,500
<a href="#">Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers - 53-3032</a>	\$25,100	\$47,000
<a href="#">Industrial Machinery Mechanics - 49-9041</a>	\$41,400	\$80,300
<a href="#">Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand -53-7062</a>	\$21,900	\$37,600
<a href="#">Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses - 29-2061</a>	\$34,000	\$47,300
<a href="#">Machinists - 51-4041</a>	\$32,400	\$65,500
<a href="#">Medical Secretaries and Administrative Assistants - 43-6013</a>	\$22,300	\$32,100
<a href="#">Middle School Teachers, Except Special/Career/Technical Ed - 25-2022</a>	\$41,900	\$54,500
<a href="#">Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines - 49-3042</a>	\$40,200	\$62,500
<a href="#">Nursing Assistants - 31-1131</a>	\$21,200	\$32,200
<a href="#">Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators - 47-2073</a>	\$37,300	\$59,800
<a href="#">Petroleum Pump System Operators/Refinery Operators/Gaugers - 51-8093</a>	\$61,000	\$101,000
<a href="#">Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters - 47-2152</a>	\$39,800	\$70,300
<a href="#">Phlebotomists - 31-9097</a>	\$24,300	\$37,100
<a href="#">Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers - 33-3051</a>	\$42,900	\$72,100
<a href="#">Registered Nurses - 29-1141</a>	\$55,300	\$77,800
<a href="#">Structural Metal Fabricators and Fitters - 51-2041</a>	\$37,900	\$55,100
<a href="#">Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers - 51-4121</a>	\$36,700	\$61,300



# High Growth / High Demand Jobs

*In Southeast Texas - What You Can Expect to Earn*

Targeted occupations offer both good employment growth prospects *and* a large number of expected job openings, demonstrating “**high growth / high demand.**”