

A Dance Party with Labor Market Information (LMI): *Learning New Moves to Choreograph Your Course Curriculum (Pass the MIC w/DJ Cassidy...vol. 3)*



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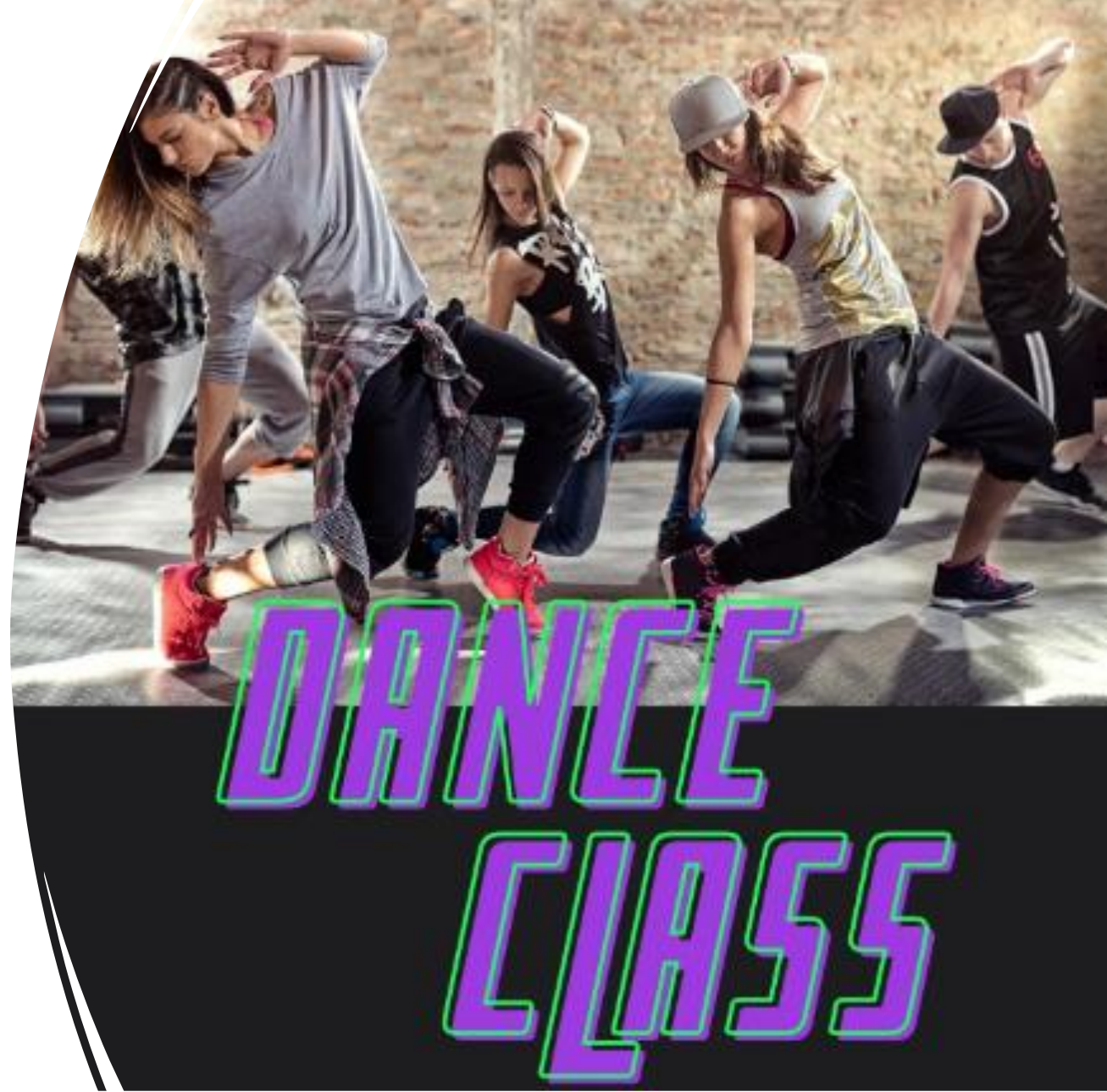


CHOREOGRAPHY FOR THIS SESSION:

Creating dance moves that are a connection between labor market information, the community, parents, and students by helping make better education and career choices.



LMI DANCE CLASS PROVIDES:



2-STEPPING

TOWARDS THEIR INTERESTS



Jobs that I would LOVE:

Love and Hate

Why?

Anything in common?



Jobs that I would HATE:

Why?



Take 5 minutes to write about a job that you would love to do and jobs that you would hate to do.

CAREER CLUSTERS



https://rms.jcsd.net/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=440083&type=d&pREC_ID=1814700

...OR JOBS BASED ON YOUR FAVORITE CLASSES

What class do you hate to miss?

In what subject(s) do you get good grades?

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Career Exploration

Explore careers based on your interests! Learn about the education and skills necessary for various careers, as well as the pay, job outlook, work and more.

- Building and fixing things [+ Show]
- Music and art [+ Show]
- Computers [+ Show]
- Nature [+ Show]

Sports [-] Hide

- Referee
- Professional Athlete
- Coach
- Fitness Trainer

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- Judge
- Lawyer
- Paralegal

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- Anthropologist
- Economist
- Historian
- Psychologist

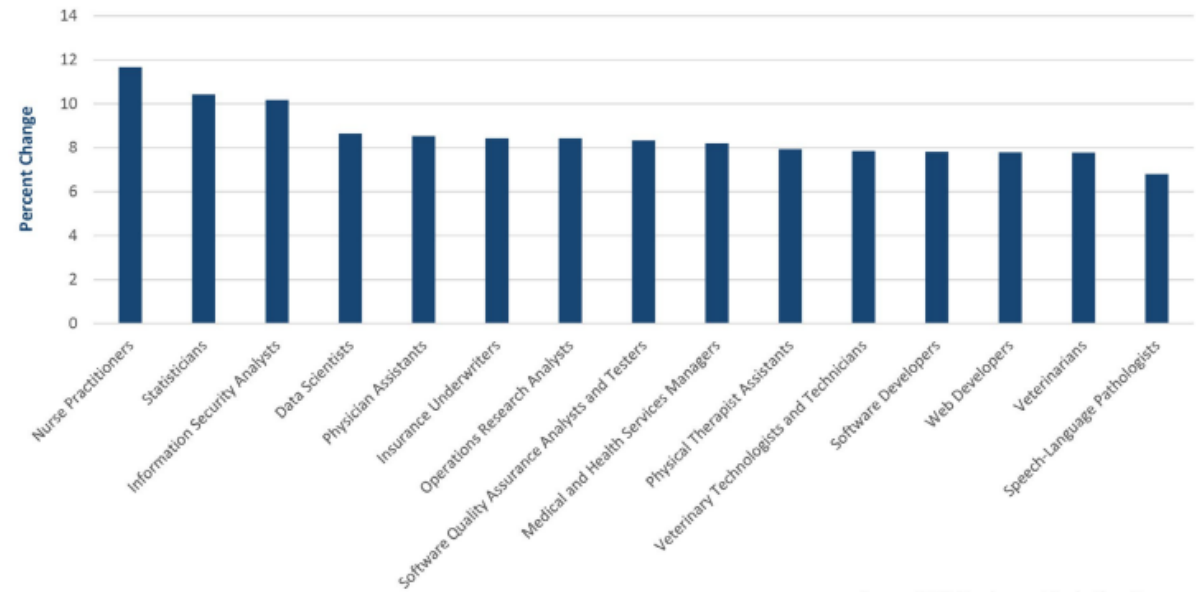
Bureau of Labor Statistics at www.bls.gov/k12/students/careers/career-exploration.htm

GROWING JOBS ON THE DANCE FLOOR

- **Management... over 3,000**
- **Construction... over 2,800**
- **Transportation and Warehousing... over 2,100**
- **Accommodation and Food Services... over 2,000**
- **Healthcare Practitioners and Technical... over 5,500**



WHAT OCCUPATIONS REQUIRE EDUCATION BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL



Source: DEW, Employment Projections Program

- The increased demand for advanced healthcare providers to address the needs of aging populations and expand healthcare services is apparent from the sheer number of healthcare occupations in the listing.
- The rising importance of data analysis and statistical expertise, driven by the growing emphasis on data-driven decision-making and analytics, is also evident by the many computer and mathematical positions.

The more you LEARN, the more you EARN!!

THIS NOTE IS LEGAL TENDER
FOR ALL DEBTS, PUBLIC AND PRIVATE
In South Carolina



Less than HS/GED HS/GED Some college/Associate's Bachelor's Master's and above



SC Department of Employment and Workforce, Business Intelligence Department,
www.scworkforceinfo.com Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey; Table S1501, 2021 data for South Carolina, revised Oct. 2022



AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGE BY INDUSTRY



<https://lmi.dew.sc.gov/lmi%20site/Documents/CommunityProfiles/15000085.pdf>

- Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services ... **\$87,308**
- Finance and Insurance... **\$80,756**
- Mining Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction... **\$87,256**
- Wholesale Trade... **\$83,096**
- Management of Companies and Enterprise ... **\$93,548**

LET'S TWIST AGAIN



COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY OPTIONS

- There are nearly 6,000 colleges and universities in the U.S.
 - 61 Colleges and Universities in S.C
 - 130 Colleges and Universities in N.C.
 - 90 Colleges and Universities in GA
- Of those schools, 3,982 are degree-granting postsecondary institutions.
- Private nonprofit institutions make up the largest percentage of four-year schools.



**Can You Learn to Dance If
You Have No Rhythm?**

<https://www.bestcolleges.com/blog/how-many-colleges-in-us/>

How will I pay for it?

Lottery-Funded Tuition Assistance

- Nearly most students qualify regardless of financial need.
- Must be a resident of the state for at least one year.
- Must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form.
- You may have to show financial need for this special state funding (depending on the state you reside)..

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SITE (YES)



Scan to be among the first employers to take advantage of this incredible new resource!

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EMPOWERING TOMORROW'S LEADERS

Search Events Filter

Help and Tips for Employers	How can we help?	City of North Myrtle Beach Sports Complex - Concessions Positions	Season's Coffee	Chick-PA: Goose Creek	City of North Myrtle Beach Activities Positions	The Hangout	The YMCA of Columbia	Buy View on the Beachdeck	Myrtle Waves	Breakley Good Pie	Thoroughbreds Restaurant
Join the Team!	We're Hiring!	Grow With Us!	Join the Team!	Join Our Party Crew!	Join Our Team!	Love what you do!	Make a Splash!	Join our team!	Become Elite!		
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Work at the Y!	We want YOU!	Are you looking for...	Apply Today!	Grow With Us!	Investing In You.	Join the Regal Team!	Join The Team!	#FunbelievablyFun	How Will You Shine?	Work With Us!	Build A Career

How do I use the Search Feature?
 For the best search experience we recommend saving the search box and setting Addressed Search, this will allow you to filter jobs by location, employment type, and experience level.

Why is a First Job Important?
 While not every one can currently be trained at school and at home, the workplace provides the real-world experience of applying those skills - and a wage!

How Do I Apply for a job?
 Many employers have moved to an online process in order for a job, however, this will vary depending on where you live and how big the business is. A direct phone call or visit will mean you in the right direction.

While it may not be required for all jobs, many will require a resume. These can be easy to put together and a quick internet search for "resume templates" will present you with a few options.

Remember that you and your child are not in this alone! The representatives in the SC Works Center can help your child write their resume and they have the pulse of the local community. They know which employers are open to young people looking for a first job, and they know how to help your child apply. You can learn more by contacting the local SC Works Center. If you are...

Which Employers are Hiring Teenagers and Young Adults?
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How Much Money will I Make?
 While each job is different, the state minimum wage is \$7.25 an hour. It's not uncommon for many jobs today to pay above minimum wage.

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A Message from Lt. Gov. Henry McMaster


Frequently Asked Questions
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Related:


<https://app.brazenconnect.com/app/events/Bn0gV#!lobby;eventCode=Bn0gV>

What about the Military?

Pay for an entry-level soldier with no college: **\$26,841**
(includes pay plus housing and health services) www.todaysmilitary.com

...but it's not easy to get accepted:

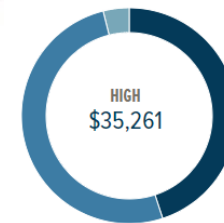
- Candidates with a GED are often turned away and encouraged to take 15 college credits before re-applying.
- 3 of 4 candidates don't make it in due to failure to graduate HS, obesity/medical condition, drug/alcohol involvement, and criminal activity

(Data from the Pentagon)

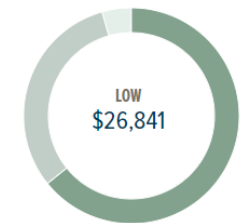


Pros

- Everything is provided
- Promotions
- Great way to get skills
- Must stay in top physical shape



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- HOUSING ALLOWANCE \$9,994
- FICA 6.2% contribution



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Cons

- Possible danger
- Long Commitment
- Must follow commands
- Must stay in top physical shape

I WANT YOU BACK!!!



SALARY: CAN I LIVE ON THAT AMOUNT?

HOW I THINK I DANCE



HOW I ACTUALLY DANCE



Expense (each month)

Housing, 1 bedroom apartment

Electricity

Cell Phone/Cable/Internet

Food (eat mostly at home)

Transportation: Small car
(includes car payment,
insurance, gas and maintenance)

Clothes/Personal Care (Some
new clothes, grooming
essentials, hair care and gym
membership)

Health Insurance (from work)

Fun (split between hanging out
at home and going out)

TOTAL MONTHLY EXPENSES

Annual Expenses

Federal Taxes

State Taxes

Total Salary Needed



Actual

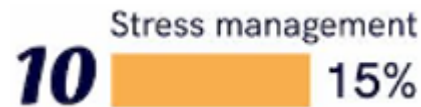


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EMPLOYERS WANT

*Dancing Your
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A Soft Skills
Tutorial*



Limited spots available. Register now!



<https://zety.com/blog/skills-employers-look-for>

WHAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN IN THE FUTURE?

New and Expanding Companies in SC...

- **Auto Manufacturing: Volvo, Daimler-Mercedes Benz, BMW, Scout**
- **Tire Manufacturing: Giti, Bridgestone, Michelin, Firestone
(SC is the #1 exporter of tires in the US!)**
- **Aerospace Manufacturing: Boeing**
- **Kraft Heinz Food Company: Newberry**



EVERYBODY WANTS TO KNOW...



WHERE CAN WE FIND MORE INFORMATION?



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...OR JOBS BASED ON YOUR FAVORITE CLASSES

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The screenshot shows the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics Classroom website. The main navigation bar includes Home, Subjects, Data Tools, Publications, Economic Releases, Classroom (selected), and Beta. The breadcrumb trail is Bureau of Labor Statistics > Classroom > Student's Desk > Career Exploration. The page features a 'K-12' badge and a search bar. The 'Career Exploration' section encourages users to explore careers based on interests. There are four categories with expandable lists: Building and fixing things, Music and art, Computers, and Nature. Below the main content, three subject-specific dropdown menus are shown: Sports (with a 'Hide' button), Law (with a 'Hide' button), and Social studies (with a 'Hide' button).

Bureau of Labor Statistics at www.bls.gov/k12/students/careers/career-exploration.htm

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SOUTH CAROLINA LABOR MARKET INFORMATION

LATEST NEWS


- APRIL 2023 EMPLOYMENT SITUATION**
Posted May 19, 2023
The April 2023 press release of the state's Employment Situation is available by clicking [here](#).
- APRIL 2023 LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS**
Posted May 19, 2023
The April 2023 data release of the Local Area Unemployment Statistics program is available by clicking the "Local Area Unemployment Statistics (Household Survey)" button to the right.
- APRIL 2023 CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS**
Posted May 19, 2023
The April 2023 data release of the Current Employment Statistics program is available by clicking the "Current Employment Statistics (Employer Survey)" button to the right.
- APRIL 2023 LABOR SUPPLY AND DEMAND REPORT**
Posted June 2, 2023
The April 2023 release of the Labor Supply and Demand Report is available by clicking the "Labor Supply and Demand" button to the right.
- MARCH 2023 COMMUNITY PROFILE REPORTS**
Posted April 21, 2023
The March 2023 release of the Community Profile Reports are available by clicking the "Community Profiles" button to the right.
- MARCH 2023 EMPLOYMENT SITUATION**






QUICK LINKS



 Local Area Unemployment Statistics (Household Survey)	 Current Employment Statistics (Employer Survey)	 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages
 Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics	 Employment Projections	 Occupation and Staffing Data
 Hot Jobs	 Job Journeys	 Job Listings Data
 Community Profiles	 Regional Economic Reports	 South Carolina Data Trends
		

OCCUPATIONAL EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES STATISTICS (ANALYZE)






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This page displays Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics (OEWS).
Use the Filter options to change the selections displayed in the table and data visualizations.




Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics (OEWS) ?











Filter 

Refine Results

Find:

Wage Rate Type: Hourly wage Annual wage or salary

More Info	Area	Time Period	Occupation	Occupation Code	Industry	Employment	Entry level	Median	Experienced	
	South Carolina	2021	Total, All	000000	Total, All Industries	2,067,330	\$23,390	\$37,250	\$59,370	
	South Carolina	2021	Management	110000	Total, All Industries	113,230	\$51,620	\$92,410	\$128,840	
	South Carolina	2021	Business and Financial Operations	130000	Total, All Industries	88,710	\$40,620	\$61,980	\$86,630	
	South Carolina	2021	Computer and Mathematical	150000	Total, All Industries	41,420	\$43,850	\$77,500	\$100,940	
	South Carolina	2021	Architecture and Engineering	170000	Total, All Industries	39,230	\$47,700	\$76,650	\$97,330	
	South Carolina	2021	Life, Physical, and Social Science	190000	Total, All Industries	10,790	\$38,620	\$59,240	\$79,460	
	South Carolina	2021	Community and Social Service	210000	Total, All Industries	31,010	\$29,210	\$38,850	\$52,150	
	South Carolina	2021	Legal	230000	Total, All Industries	14,540	\$37,730	\$59,590	\$100,360	
	South Carolina	2021	Educational Instruction and Library	250000	Total, All Industries	104,880	\$27,120	\$48,260	\$63,370	
	South Carolina	2021	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	270000	Total, All Industries	19,270	\$25,860	\$40,430	\$60,700	

Show:

Showing 1 to 10 of 23 entries


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<https://jobs.scworks.org/vosnet/analyzer/resultsNew.aspx?session=oeswage>

COMMUNITY PROFILE

A profile of your area is only three clicks away!

1. Click on “Community Profile Report”
2. Select your geographic area
3. Click on “View Report”

SC WORKS ONLINE SERVICES COMMUNITY PROFILES

Select An Area

- County
- Metropolitan Statistical Area
- Workforce Development Area
- WIOA Regions

View South Carolina State Profile

Quick Facts - Regional

Georgetown County
March 2023

Population: 60,158
Labor Force: 26,292
Employed: 25,296
Unemployed: 996
Unemployment Rate: **3.8%**
(The Unemployment Rate Is Lower Compared To February 2023 Rate Of: 4.4%)

Quick Facts - South Carolina

Population: 5,282,634
Labor Force: 2,393,147
Employed: 2,316,712
Unemployed: 76,435
Unemployment Rate: **3.2%** *(Seasonally Adjusted)*
(The Unemployment Rate Is Unchanged Compared To February 2023 Rate Of: 3.2%)

COMMUNITY PROFILE
Midlands Workforce Development Area

S.C. Department of Employment & Workforce
Business Intelligence Department

1550 Gadsden Street, PO Box 995
Columbia, SC 29202
803.737.2660
www.SCWorkforceInfo.com
Updated: 04/21/2023

The comprehensive 11-page report contains:

- ▶ Economic Data
- ▶ Employer Data
- ▶ Industry Data

REGIONAL ECONOMIC OVERVIEW REPORTS

Regional Economic Overview Reports are comprehensive quarterly reviews of population demographics, industry and occupational employment, and other labor force statistics. The data is gathered from Lightcast, a labor market analytics data vendor.



Link Upstate
Central
Pee Dee
South Coast

- Statewide Economic Overview
- Central WIOA Region Economic Overview
- South Coast WIOA Region Economic Overview
- Upstate WIOA Region Economic Overview
- Pee Dee WIOA Region Economic Overview
- WorkLink LWDA Economic Overview
- Waccamaw LWDA Economic Overview
- Low Country LWDA Economic Overview

- Upstate LWDA Economic Overview
- Greenville LWDA Economic Overview
- Catawba LWDA Economic Overview
- Upper Savannah LWDA Economic Overview
- Lower Savannah LWDA Economic Overview
- Santee-Lynches LWDA Economic Overview
- Midlands LWDA Economic Overview
- Pee Dee LWDA Economic Overview
- Trident LWDA Economic Overview

Regional Workforce Snapshot Reports

Regional Workforce Snapshot Reports are easily absorbed showcases of key education, economic development, and labor market statistics within each Local Workforce Development Area. The data is gathered from multiple State and Federal resources.

- Statewide Regional Workforce Snapshot Q2 2023
- Statewide Regional Workforce Snapshot Q3 2023
- Statewide Regional Workforce Snapshot Q4 2023
- WorkLink LWDA Regional Workforce Snapshot Q2 2023
- WorkLink LWDA Regional Workforce Snapshot Q3 2023
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- Greenville LWDA Regional Workforce Snapshot Q3 2023



WHAT IF I NEED TRAINING TO GET A JOB?



SC Works Greenville

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Connection Points

Connection Points include free public access to computers and tools to guide jobseekers through the job search process.

Because the status of the connection point facilities is determined locally, please call ahead before visiting to ensure that they are open.

Hughes Main - Greenville County Library

25 Heritage Green Place
Greenville, SC 29601
Phone: (864) 242-5000

Anderson Road - Greenville County Library

2625 Anderson Road
Greenville, SC 29611
Phone: (864) 269-5210

Augusta Road - Greenville County Library

100 Lydia Street
Greenville, SC 29605
Phone: (864) 277-0161

Berea - Greenville County Library

111 North Highway 25 Bypass
Greenville, SC 29617
Phone: (864) 246-1695

Pelham Road - Greenville County Library

1508 Pelham Road
Greenville, SC 29615
Phone: (864) 288-6688

Fountain Inn Library

311 North Main Street
Fountain In, SC 29644
Phone: (864) 862-2576

Greer Library

505 Pennsylvania Avenue
Greer, SC 29650
Phone: (864) 877-8722

Mauldin Library

800 West Butler Road
Greenville, SC 29607
Phone: (864) 277-7397

Simpsonville Library

626 N.E. Main St.
Simpsonville, SC 29681
Phone: (864) 963-9031

Taylor's Library

316 W Main St.
Taylors, SC 29687
Phone: (864) 268-5955

Travelers Rest Library

17 Center Street
Travelers Rest, SC 29690
Phone: (864) 834-3650

Five Forks Branch Library

104 Sunnydale Drive,
Simpsonville, SC 29681
Phone: (864) 234-4904

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Visit their website here: <https://scworksupstate.com/>

The **McAlister Square location is now open to the public.** The Greer Center is providing limited services by phone during normal operating hours indicated below.

And as always, these online services are available 24/7:

The **Claimant Self Service Portal** where individuals can create an account and file for Unemployment Insurance Benefits.



SC Works Centers

SC Works Centers include re-employment services for jobseekers, partner services, business services and resource rooms for use when filing for unemployment benefits or searching for work online.

Greenville/McAlister Square Center

225 South Pleasantburg Drive
Suite E-1

Greenville, SC 29607

Monday-Friday: 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

Phone: (864) 467-8080

Fax: (864) 467-8870

<https://scworks.org/about-us/statewide-centers/greenville>



SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF
Employment and Workforce
"The Workforce Agency"

LABOR MARKET INFORMATION

THE LABOR MARKET INFORMATION DIVISION SUPPORTS SOUTH CAROLINA'S BUSINESSES, ITS WORKFORCE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SYSTEM, THE WORKERS OF TODAY AND TOMORROW, AND BRIDGING THE GAP BETWEEN LABOR MARKET INFORMATION AND OUR STUDENTS TO AID IN MAKING BETTER EDUCATION AND CAREER CHOICES.



SCQIS/REALITY CHECK: A FREE SOUTH CAROLINA'S OFFICIAL COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS PLATFORM WITH AN ACTIVITY ABOUT "REALITY CHECK" (THE COST OF LIVING CALCULATIONS BASED ON THE CAREER AND LIFESTYLE)



JOB JOURNEY: VARIOUS CAREERS AVAILABLE AND DETAILED INFORMATION (WAGES, EDUCATION, ETC.)



O*NET: A FREE ONLINE DATABASE THAT CONTAINS HUNDREDS OF JOB DEFINITIONS TO HELP STUDENTS, JOB SEEKERS, BUSINESSES, AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT PROFESSIONALS TO UNDERSTAND TODAY'S WORLD OF WORK IN THE UNITED STATES.



MORE YOU EARN: HIGHLIGHTS THE EDUCATION LEVEL AND SALARY TO BE MADE:



LMI/OCCUPATION GAMES: VARIOUS GAMES (SPOT THE DIFFERENCE, CROSSWORD PUZZLES, WORD SEARCH, ETC.)



DOL: ADMINISTRATION OF FEDERAL LAWS GOVERNING OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH, WAGE AND HOUR STANDARDS, UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS,

The 20 Fastest Growing Jobs in South Carolina for

Less Than High School/High School/GED

Fast Food and Counter Workers: +14,830, \$10.30

Cashiers: +11,462, \$10.94

Retail Salespersons.: +10,633, \$12.99

Laborer and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand.: +2,850, \$30.47

Waiters and Waitresses: +7,912, \$10.57

Customer Service Representatives: +7,594, \$16.83

Stockers and Order Fillers: +5754, \$14.30

Home Health and Personal Care Aides: +5450, \$11.39

Some College/Technical Training/Associate's

Heavy and Tractor Truck Drivers: +3,933, \$22.70

Nursing Assistants: +2,435, \$14.07

Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks: +2,257, \$30.79

Medical Assistants: +1,807, \$16.48

Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics: +1,407, \$20.15

Computer User Support Specialists: +903, \$24.56

Bachelor's/Master's/Doctorate (4+ yrs. of college)

Civil Engineers: +462, \$41.85

Logisticians: +427, \$34.96

Network and Computer Systems Administrators: +461, \$40.29

Project Management Specialists: +422, \$38.92

Loan Officers: +430, \$30.94

Buyers and Purchasing Agents: +416, \$33.95



HANDS-ON TOOLS

Tips for Getting a Job

Use your networks!

Your network includes parents, family members, friends, friends of friends, parents of friends, teachers, counselors, or someone at church. Most jobs are gotten through personal contacts than any other way!

Start early...that means NOW!!!
Early spring is the time to start looking for a job.

Use online job sites!

Monster, Career Builder, and Indeed are great but also use smaller or specific sites. Make sure you register with your local SC Works office to get one-on-one job search help.

Volunteer!
If you can't find a summer job that you love, maybe you can volunteer and still gain valuable experience.

Be an entrepreneur!

Create your own job this summer. Start a small business mowing lawns, babysitting (kids and older folks), or cleaning houses.

Yes, you need a resume!

Even if you don't have any work experience, a resume will show the employer that you are serious about getting a job and it is a chance for you to show your communication skills.



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Do you have the information you need to find your next job?

What jobs are available?	If you want to see what jobs are open right now, go to https://jobs.scworks.org and start searching. Hot jobs for the future include many in the healthcare field (Registered Nurses, Physical Therapists, and Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs)), teachers, and supervisors (Construction, Office, Cashiers, and Food Preparation).
What companies are hiring?	You can find out what companies have the most job openings listed by going to www.scWorkforceInfo.com . In the list on the left, select "Area Specific Data," then "Jobs, Employers, and Candidates," and finally "Employer Data." The next step is to pick the location you want. That will give you a list of employers with job openings. Click on the number of jobs next to the company name and the actual job openings will come up.
What is a good wage for what I do?	How much does a job pay? You need to know so you can be sure you are being offered a decent wage. Go to www.scWorkforceInfo.com , and, in the list on the left, select "Employment & Wage Data," then "Occupation Data," and finally "Occupational Wages." The next step is to pick the location you want, the most recent year, and the occupation you are interested in. You can figure out the hourly wage by dividing the annual wage by 2,080.
How do I describe my skills on a resume?	Your resume is like an advertisement for YOU! Make sure you know how to describe the skills you have. Go to www.ONEonline.org and use the "Browse" area to find your occupation. When you get to the "Summary Report," look at the "Knowledge" and "Skills" sections to find words to use on your resume to describe your previous work.
What jobs are similar to my previous job(s)?	Don't be scared if the job you had doesn't have any openings... your skills can still transfer to a similar or related job. To find out what those jobs are, go to www.ONEonline.org and use the "Browse" area to find your previous occupation. When you get to the "Summary Report," look at the "Related Occupations" section to find jobs that are similar and that your skills can be transferred to.
Do I need more training to get a job?	Maybe you need to get more skills to work at a related job or maybe you need new training for a different job. You can find out what education you need by going to www.scWorkforceInfo.com , and select "Occupation Specific Data" (from the list on the left), then "Education, Training & Work Experience," and finally "Education & Training Data." The next step is to pick the location you want, the most recent year, and the occupation you are interested in. It will give you a percentage of the education of people working in that job.
Where can I get training?	Go to www.scWorkforceInfo.com , and, in the list on the left, select "Education & Training Data," then "Training & Education Programs." Select the location and then type in the name of the training you need. You will get a list of training available at many of the schools/colleges in your area, contact information, how long the training lasts, and how much they cost.

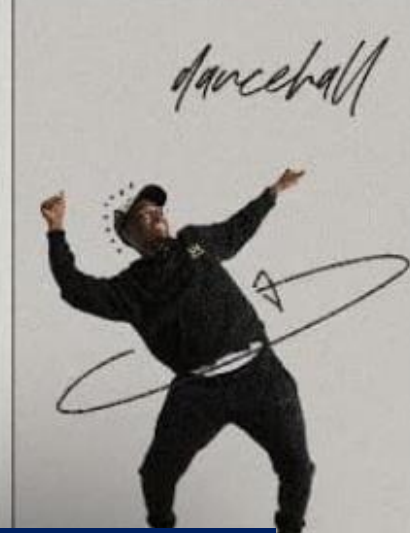
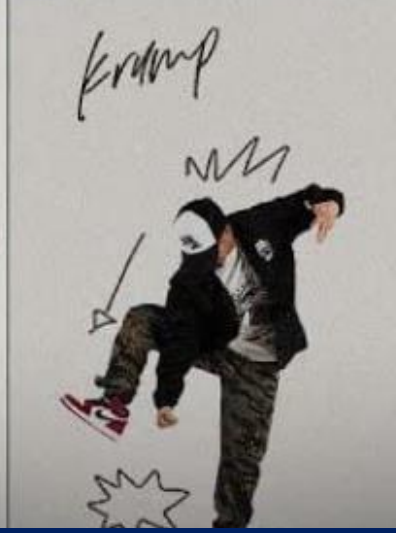
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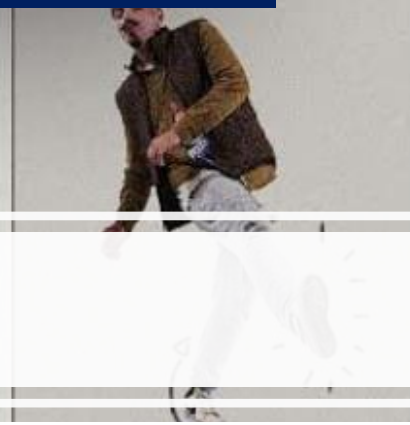
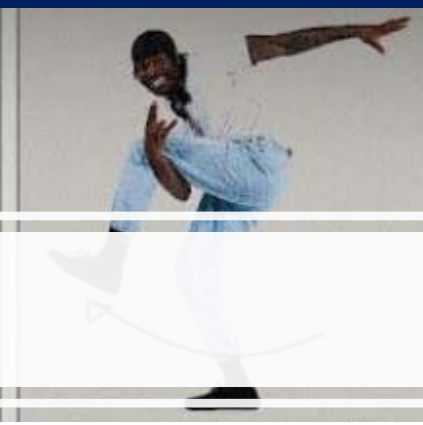
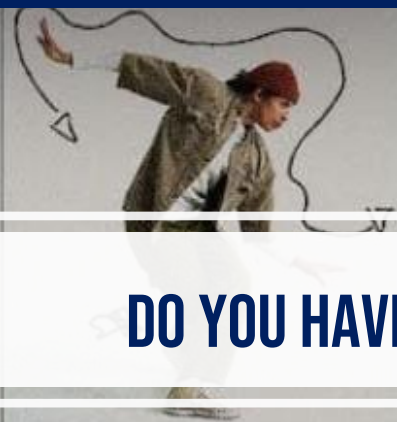
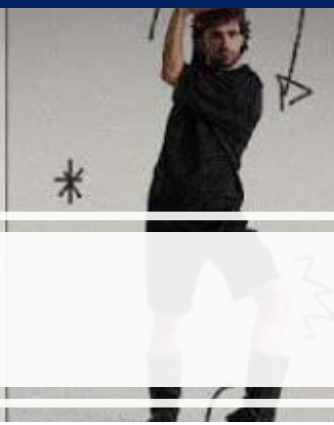
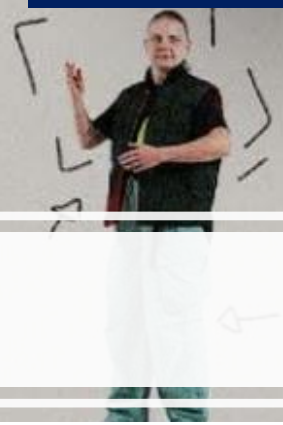
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- Data Dashboard: <https://dew.sc.gov/data-and-statistics/data-dashboard>
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