

# Education and Training

## Cluster Definition

- Are you patient?
- Have you coached sports activities?
- Do you like to speak in front of groups?
- Have you helped out in a school or library?
- Do you enjoy teaching games to children?
- Are you outgoing?
- Do you like being in school?

If you answered yes to two or more of the questions above, you might be interested in considering a career in education and training.

In the Education and Training cluster, you would have the opportunity to guide and train young people. As a teacher, you could influence young lives. In addition, you could support the work of the classroom teacher as a counselor, librarian, or principal. If you are interested in working with adults, you could provide training to employees in a business. Each of these settings provides you with the chance to help people learn and improve their lives.



## Related High School Electives

Most educators focus on one subject or subject area to teach. Take as many courses as you can in the subject you are interested in teaching.

Other subjects that may be helpful include:

Business Management  
Child Development  
Computer Applications  
Psychology  
Public Speaking  
Sociology

[Adult and Vocational Education Teachers](#)

[Audio-Visual Specialists](#)

[Coaches and Scouts](#)

[College and University Administrators](#)

[Education Administrators](#)

[Elementary School Teachers](#)

[Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors](#)

[High School Teachers](#)

[Instructional Coordinators](#)

[Librarians](#)

[Library Assistants and Bookmobile Drivers](#)

[Library Technical Assistants](#)

[Middle School Teachers](#)

[Preschool and Kindergarten Teachers](#)

[Public Health Educators](#)

[Special Education Teachers](#)

[Speech-Language Pathologists and Audiologists](#)

[Teacher Aides](#)

[University and College Teachers](#)

## Level of Education and Earnings

### Short-Term On-the-Job Training (Less than One Month)

	State Annual Median Wage		State Annual Median Wage
<a href="#">Library Assistants and Bookmobile Drivers</a>	\$25,899	<a href="#">Teacher Aides</a>	\$28,812

### Long-Term On-the-Job Training (Over One Year)

<a href="#">Audio-Visual Specialist</a>	\$37,495 - \$41,737	<a href="#">Coaches and Scouts</a>	\$33,394
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### Work Experience in a Related Occupation

<a href="#">Adult and Vocational Education Instructors</a>	\$39,970 – \$57,271
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### Postsecondary Vocational Training (Certificate or Diploma)

<a href="#">Fitness Trainers/Aerobics Instructors</a>	\$34,426	<a href="#">Preschool Teachers</a>	\$25,612
<a href="#">Library Technical Assistants</a>	\$35,541		

### Bachelor's Degree

<a href="#">Adult and Vocational Education Instructors</a>	\$39,970 – \$57,271	<a href="#">Kindergarten Teachers</a>	\$50,759
<a href="#">Audio-Visual Specialists</a>	\$37,495 - \$41,737	<a href="#">Middle School Teachers</a>	\$55,496
<a href="#">Elementary School Teachers</a>	\$55,263	<a href="#">Public Health Educators</a>	\$47,962
<a href="#">High School Teachers</a>	\$57,676 - \$59,373	<a href="#">Special Education Teachers</a>	\$53,370 - \$53,689

### Work Experience Plus a Bachelors or Higher Degree

<a href="#">College/University Administrators</a>	\$80,343	<a href="#">High School Teachers</a>	\$57,676 - \$59,373
<a href="#">Education Administrators</a>	\$46,558 - \$95,290	<a href="#">Middle School Teachers</a>	\$55,496

### Master's Degree

<a href="#">Instructional Coordinators</a>	\$64,556	<a href="#">Speech-Language Pathologists and Audiologists</a>	\$63,036
<a href="#">Librarians</a>	\$61,886		

### Doctoral Degree

<a href="#">Adult and Vocational Education Instructors</a>	\$64,556	<a href="#">University and College Teachers</a>	\$48,656 - \$69,132
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### Professional Degree

<a href="#">Audiologists</a>	\$64,299
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