Highest Ranked Occupations

Top 50 Occupations (3-Digit) in Washington County, AR

Lightcast Q1 2024 Data Set

March 2024

Arkansas

Parameters

Regions:

Code	Description
5143	Washington County, AR

Timeframe: 2020 - 2023

Datarun: 2024.1 - QCEW Employees, Non-QCEW Employees, and Self-Employed

Largest Occupations



Occupation	2020 Jobs	2023 Jobs	Change in Jobs (2020- 2023)	% Change	2022 Median Hourly Earnings
Retail Sales Workers	6,548	6,974	426	7%	\$13.52
Motor Vehicle Operators	6,061	5,558	-503	-8%	\$16.25
Food and Beverage Serving Workers	5,822	6,796	974	17%	\$12.44
Material Moving Workers	5,584	6,405	821	15%	\$14.74
Construction Trades Workers	5,253	5,572	319	6%	\$19.52
Healthcare Diagnosing or Treating Practitioners	4,971	5,581	610	12%	\$35.02
Business Operations Specialists	4,895	5,569	674	14%	\$34.05
Preschool, Elementary, Middle, Secondary, and Special Education Teachers	3,832	4,093	261	7%	\$26.57
Information and Record Clerks	3,508	4,018	510	15%	\$16.01
Other Management Occupations	3,416	3,904	488	14%	\$32.43
Other Production Occupations	3,252	2,934	-318	-10%	\$17.78
Other Office and Administrative Support Workers	3,027	2,917	-110	-4%	\$16.28
Home Health and Personal Care Aides; and Nursing Assistants, Orderlies, and Psychiatric Aides	3,017	3,141	124	4%	\$14.69
Computer Occupations	2,824	2,963	139	5%	\$43.03
Other Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	2,734	3,149	415	15%	\$20.55

Building Cleaning and Pest Control Workers	2,661	2,967	306	11%	\$13.34
Cooks and Food Preparation Workers	2,648	3,556	908	34%	\$13.11
Health Technologists and Technicians	2,635	2,866	231	9%	\$21.54
Postsecondary Teachers	2,460	2,621	161	7%	\$33.68
Food Processing Workers	2,144	2,169	25	1%	\$14.13
Top Executives	1,931	2,941	1,010	52%	\$35.22
Other Educational Instruction and Library Occupations	1,926	2,128	202	10%	\$14.72
Material Recording, Scheduling, Dispatching, and Distributing Workers	1,807	1,974	167	9%	\$19.41
Financial Clerks	1,605	1,763	158	10%	\$17.76
Assemblers and Fabricators	1,573	1,482	-91	-6%	\$16.53
Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	1,501	1,685	184	12%	\$20.72
Other Personal Care and Service Workers	1,483	1,500	17	1%	\$12.13
Other Healthcare Support Occupations	1,404	1,556	152	11%	\$16.59
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	1,402	1,409	7	0%	\$17.73
Financial Specialists	1,390	1,599	209	15%	\$29.68
Supervisors of Sales Workers	1,334	1,352	18	1%	\$21.35
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing	1,262	1,075	-187	-15%	\$30.65
Sales Representatives, Services	1,200	1,458	258	22%	\$21.28
Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	1,146	1,249	103	9%	\$28.25
Counselors, Social Workers, and Other Community and Social Service Specialists	1,126	1,285	159	14%	\$21.99
Metal Workers and Plastic Workers	1,125	1,173	48	4%	\$20.35
Operations Specialties Managers	1,117	1,406	289	26%	\$57.84
Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	1,083	1,434	351	32%	\$14.85

Grounds Maintenance Workers	938	956	18	2%	\$14.88
Supervisors of Production Workers	896	1,027	131	15%	\$28.21
Other Sales and Related Workers	794	613	-181	-23%	\$16.89
Other Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers	780	1,074	294	38%	\$11.92
Law Enforcement Workers	767	745	-22	-3%	\$20.93
Art and Design Workers	766	820	54	7%	\$21.25
Agricultural Workers	728	727	-1	0%	\$13.49
Other Protective Service Workers	645	776	131	20%	\$14.01
Supervisors of Construction and Extraction Workers	600	758	158	26%	\$28.64
Religious Workers	569	519	-50	-9%	\$24.16
Engineers	569	654	85	15%	\$40.39
Personal Appearance Workers	561	600	39	7%	\$12.67

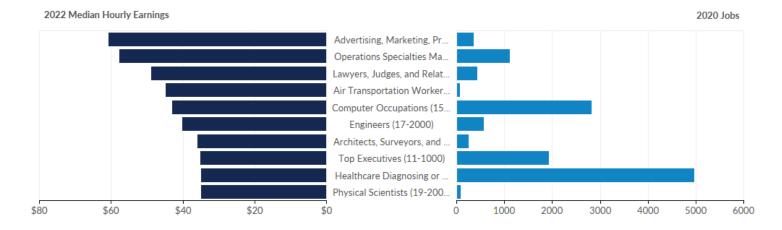
Top Posted Occupations

Occupation (SOC)	Total/Unique (Sep 2023 - Feb 2024)	Posting Intensity	Median Posting Duration
Healthcare Diagnosing or Treating Practitioners	5,695 / 1,637	3:1	23 days
Health Technologists and Technicians	2,055 / 703	3:1	22 days
Motor Vehicle Operators	2,207 / 625	4:1	27 days
Other Management Occupations	1,210 / 541	2:1	24 days
Retail Sales Workers	1,202 / 472	3:1	25 days
Computer Occupations	753 / 418	2:1	20 days
Business Operations Specialists	877 / 399	2:1	23 days
Supervisors of Sales Workers	570 / 267	2:1	23 days
Information and Record Clerks	595 / 264	2:1	21 days
Operations Specialties Managers	620 / 254	2:1	25 days
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing	548 / 226	2:1	26 days
Material Moving Workers	530 / 217	2:1	18 days
Home Health and Personal Care Aides; and Nursing Assistants, Orderlies, and Psychiatric Aides	493 / 211	2:1	28 days
Other Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	457 / 209	2:1	24 days
Advertising, Marketing, Promotions, Public Relations, and Sales Managers	463 / 196	2:1	23 days
Engineers	361 / 195	2:1	21 days
Food and Beverage Serving Workers	495 / 185	3:1	16 days
Financial Specialists	411 / 184	2:1	28 days
Construction Trades Workers	322 / 181	2:1	29 days
Other Production Occupations	621 / 169	4:1	25 days
Counselors, Social Workers, and Other Community and Social Service Specialists	393 / 163	2:1	19 days
Postsecondary Teachers	270 / 150	2:1	30 days
Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	302 / 141	2:1	31 days
Building Cleaning and Pest Control Workers	333 / 132	3:1	29 days
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Other Healthcare Support Occupations	291 / 129	2:1	19 days
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	199 / 126	2:1	19 days
Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	325 / 120	3:1	28 days
Art and Design Workers	245 / 106	2:1	22 days
Sales Representatives, Services	198 / 99	2:1	24 days
Top Executives	178 / 88	2:1	26 days
Drafters, Engineering Technicians, and Mapping Technicians	194 / 86	2:1	24 days
Financial Clerks	153 / 85	2:1	26 days
Other Protective Service Workers	126 / 71	2:1	19 days
Cooks and Food Preparation Workers	171 / 71	2:1	31 days
Material Recording, Scheduling, Dispatching, and Distributing Workers	141 / 70	2:1	22 days
Media and Communication Workers	158 / 67	2:1	27 days
Other Sales and Related Workers	159 / 64	2:1	29 days
Supervisors of Production Workers	169 / 60	3:1	18 days
Mathematical Science Occupations	104 / 58	2:1	28 days
Other Office and Administrative Support Workers	88 / 53	2:1	18 days
Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	90 / 51	2:1	15 days
Other Transportation Workers	129 / 50	3:1	20 days
Life Scientists	135 / 47	3:1	23 days
Entertainers and Performers, Sports and Related Workers	65 / 43	2:1	33 days
Preschool, Elementary, Middle, Secondary, and Special Education Teachers	66 / 41	2:1	30 days
Other Teachers and Instructors	53 / 41	1:1	14 days
Other Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers	103 / 39	3:1	27 days
Personal Appearance Workers	132 / 39	3:1	23 days

Supervisors of Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers	95 / 37	3:1	29 days
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Highest Paying Occupations

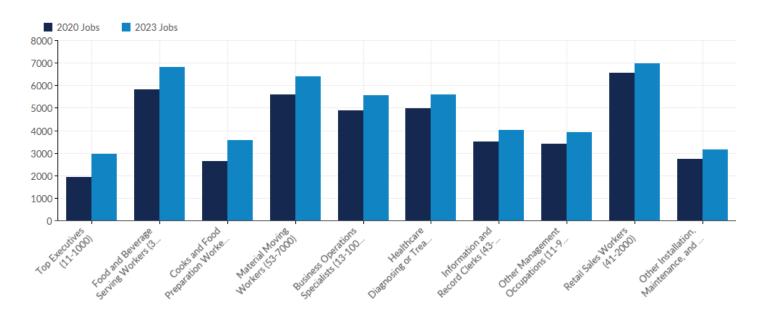


Occupation	2020 Jobs	2023 Jobs	Change in Jobs (2020- 2023)	% Change	2022 Median Hourly Earnings
Advertising, Marketing, Promotions, Public Relations, and Sales Managers	361	441	80	22%	\$60.76
Operations Specialties Managers	1,117	1,406	289	26%	\$57.84
Lawyers, Judges, and Related Workers	445	516	71	16%	\$49.02
Air Transportation Workers	76	58	-18	-24%	\$44.91
Computer Occupations	2,824	2,963	139	5%	\$43.03
Engineers	569	654	85	15%	\$40.39
Architects, Surveyors, and Cartographers	255	263	8	3%	\$36.09
Top Executives	1,931	2,941	1,010	52%	\$35.22
Healthcare Diagnosing or Treating Practitioners	4,971	5,581	610	12%	\$35.02
Physical Scientists	92	96	4	4%	\$34.98
Rail Transportation Workers	24	22	-2	-8%	\$34.26
Mathematical Science Occupations	299	419	120	40%	\$34.07
Business Operations Specialists	4,895	5,569	674	14%	\$34.05
Postsecondary Teachers	2,460	2,621	161	7%	\$33.68
Social Scientists and Related Workers	161	145	-16	-10%	\$32.86
Other Management Occupations	3,416	3,904	488	14%	\$32.43
Life Scientists	271	187	-84	-31%	\$31.63

Supervisors of Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers	470	605	135	29%	\$31.03
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing	1,262	1,075	-187	-15%	\$30.65
Financial Specialists	1,390	1,599	209	15%	\$29.68
Supervisors of Protective Service Workers	406	442	36	9%	\$28.94
Supervisors of Construction and Extraction Workers	600	758	158	26%	\$28.64
Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	1,146	1,249	103	9%	\$28.25
Supervisors of Production Workers	896	1,027	131	15%	\$28.21
Other Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	74	107	33	45%	\$26.99
Occupational Therapy and Physical Therapist Assistants and Aides	172	190	18	10%	\$26.93
Preschool, Elementary, Middle, Secondary, and Special Education Teachers	3,832	4,093	261	7%	\$26.57
Supervisors of Transportation and Material Moving Workers	369	515	146	40%	\$26.01
Drafters, Engineering Technicians, and Mapping Technicians	413	433	20	5%	\$25.77
Librarians, Curators, and Archivists	278	270	-8	-3%	\$25.29
Water Transportation Workers	23	20	-3	-13%	\$24.89
Religious Workers	569	519	-50	-9%	\$24.16
Electrical and Electronic Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	332	357	25	8%	\$23.90
Media and Communication Workers	444	482	38	9%	\$23.29
Extraction Workers	70	41	-29	-41%	\$22.95
Occupational Health and Safety Specialists and Technicians	57	72	15	26%	\$22.25
Legal Support Workers	314	277	-37	-12%	\$22.17
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Supervisors of Sales Workers	1,334	1,352	18	1%	\$21.35
Supervisors of Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Workers	25	26	1	4%	\$21.34
Sales Representatives, Services	1,200	1,458	258	22%	\$21.28
Art and Design Workers	766	820	54	7%	\$21.25
Media and Communication Equipment Workers	257	255	-2	-1%	\$21.03
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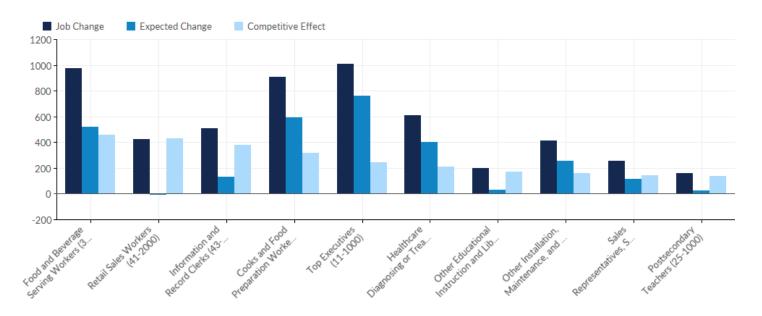


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Animal Care and Service Workers	236	338	102	43%	\$12.95
Woodworkers	184	279	95	52%	\$16.80
Engineers	569	654	85	15%	\$40.39
Supervisors of Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Workers	275	358	83	30%	\$19.07
Textile, Apparel, and Furnishings Workers	290	373	83	29%	\$13.11
Advertising, Marketing, Promotions, Public Relations, and Sales Managers	361	441	80	22%	\$60.76
Lawyers, Judges, and Related Workers	445	516	71	16%	\$49.02
Entertainment Attendants and Related Workers	203	269	66	33%	\$12.34
Helpers, Construction Trades	247	313	66	27%	\$16.39
Art and Design Workers	766	820	54	7%	\$21.25
Metal Workers and Plastic Workers	1,125	1,173	48	4%	\$20.35
Other Construction and Related Workers	273	313	40	15%	\$18.42
Other Teachers and Instructors	538	577	39	7%	\$18.31
Personal Appearance Workers	561	600	39	7%	\$12.67

Highest Performing Occupations



Occupation	Job Change	Occ Mix Effect	Nat Growth Effect	Expected Change	Competitive Effect	2022 Median Hourly Earnings
Food and Beverage Serving Workers	974	55	464	519	455	\$12.44
Retail Sales Workers	426	-525	522	-3	429	\$13.52
Information and Record Clerks	510	-150	280	130	381	\$16.01
Cooks and Food Preparation Workers	908	379	211	590	317	\$13.11
Top Executives	1,010	610	154	764	246	\$35.22
Healthcare Diagnosing or Treating Practitioners	610	5	396	401	209	\$35.02
Other Educational Instruction and Library Occupations	202	-124	154	30	172	\$14.72
Other Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	415	37	218	255	160	\$20.55
Sales Representatives, Services	258	17	96	113	146	\$21.28
Postsecondary Teachers	161	-173	196	23	138	\$33.68
Building Cleaning and Pest Control Workers	306	-32	212	180	127	\$13.34
Construction Trades Workers	319	-223	419	196	123	\$19.52
Financial Clerks	158	-88	128	40	118	\$17.76

Other Office and Administrative Support Workers	-110	-467	241	-226	115	\$16.28
Other Management Occupations	488	101	272	373	115	\$32.43
Health Technologists and Technicians	231	-88	210	122	109	\$21.54
Woodworkers	95	-22	15	-7	102	\$16.80
Other Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers	294	136	62	198	96	\$11.92
Operations Specialties Managers	289	110	89	199	90	\$57.84
Textile, Apparel, and Furnishings Workers	83	-30	23	-7	90	\$13.11
Helpers, Construction Trades	66	-39	20	-19	85	\$16.39
Counselors, Social Workers, and Other Community and Social Service Specialists	159	-16	90	74	85	\$21.99
Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	184	-17	120	103	82	\$20.72
Other Personal Care and Service Workers	17	-174	118	-56	72	\$12.13
Engineers	85	-31	45	14	70	\$40.39
Financial Specialists	209	32	111	143	67	\$29.68
Other Protective Service Workers	131	17	51	68	62	\$14.01
Entertainers and Performers, Sports and Related Workers	135	33	44	77	58	\$20.26
Supervisors of Transportation and Material Moving Workers	146	60	29	89	57	\$26.01
Material Moving Workers	821	327	445	772	49	\$14.74
Metal Workers and Plastic Workers	48	-88	90	2	46	\$20.35
Lawyers, Judges, and Related Workers	71	-10	35	25	46	\$49.02
Other Teachers and Instructors	39	-48	43	-5	45	\$18.31

Supervisors of Construction and Extraction Workers	158	68	48	116	43	\$28.64
Supervisors of Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers	135	56	37	93	41	\$31.03
Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	103	-30	91	61	41	\$28.25
Supervisors of Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Workers	83	22	22	44	38	\$19.07
Other Healthcare Support Occupations	152	3	112	115	36	\$16.59
Electrical and Electronic Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	25	-37	26	-11	36	\$23.90
Animal Care and Service Workers	102	50	19	69	33	\$12.95
Military-only occupations	33	-33	37	4	30	\$20.03
Other Construction and Related Workers	40	-7	22	15	26	\$18.42
Life, Physical, and Social Science Technicians	28	-16	18	2	25	\$20.95
Drafters, Engineering Technicians, and Mapping Technicians	20	-37	33	-4	24	\$25.77
Mathematical Science Occupations	120	77	24	101	19	\$34.07
Supervisors of Production Workers	131	41	71	112	18	\$28.21
Other Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	33	11	6	17	16	\$26.99
Preschool, Elementary, Middle, Secondary, and Special Education Teachers	261	-61	306	245	16	\$26.57
Plant and System Operators	7	-24	17	-7	14	\$22.12
Tour and Travel Guides	13	1	1	2	11	\$12.31

Appendix A - Data Sources and Calculations

Occupation Data

Emsi occupation employment data are based on final Emsi industry data and final Emsi staffing patterns. Wage estimates are based on Occupational Employment Statistics (QCEW and Non-QCEW Employees classes of worker) and the American Community Survey (Self-Employed and Extended Proprietors). Occupational wage estimates are also affected by county-level Emsi earnings by industry.

Lightcast Job Postings

Job postings are collected from various sources and processed/enriched to provide information such as standardized company name, occupation, skills, and geography.

State Data Sources

This report uses state data from the following agencies: Arkansas Division of Workforce Services