## ARKANSAS’ TOP 10 INDUSTRIES

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### For Career Information or Job Search Help, Visit an Arkansas Comprehensive Workforce Center

- **Central Arkansas**
  - 1500 N. Museum Rd., Suite 111
  - Conway, AR 72032
  - 501.730.9865
- **City of Little Rock**
  - 5401 S. University Ave.
  - Little Rock, AR 72209
  - 501.682.7719
- **Eastern Arkansas**
  - ASU Mid-South
    - 2000 W. Broadway
    - West Memphis, AR 72301
    - 870.400.2269
  - Batesville, AR 72501
  - 870.793.4156
  - 501 W. Arch Ave.
  - Searcy, AR 72143
  - 501.268.8601
- **Northeast Arkansas**
  - 2254 Albert Pike
    - Suite A
    - Hot Springs, AR 71913
    - 501.525.3450
  - 818 Hwy 62-65 North
    - Harrison, AR 72601
    - 870.741.8236
- **Southwest Arkansas**
  - 523 E. Sixth Street
    - El Dorado, AR 71730
    - 870.863.6465
  - 205 Smith Road
    - Suite A
    - Hope, AR 71801
    - 870.777.3421

### For more information, other Workforce Centers, and DWS local offices, please visit dws.arkansas.gov

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“Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.”

TTD/TTYVoice: 1-800-285-1121  
TDD: 1-800-285-1131
### Occupation | O*NET Skills | Total Annual Openings | Education | May 2022 Mean Wage
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**HIGH SKILL**

#### General and Operations Managers
- Active Listening, Coordination, Monitoring
- Social Perceivers, Active Listening, Coordination
3,281 | B | $84,460

#### Registered Nurses
- Active Listening, Service Orientation
1,717 | B | $46,530

#### Clergy
- Speaking, Active Listening, Service Orientation
1,435 | B | $44,910

#### Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education
- Instructing, Speaking, Learning Strategies
1,066 | B | $50,610

#### Accountants and Auditors
- Active Listening, Reading Comprehension, Critical Thinking
1,048 | B | $70,660

#### Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education
- Instructing, Speaking, Active Listening
957 | B | $53,080

#### Management Analysts
- Active Listening, Critical Thinking, Reading Comprehension
836 | B | $78,380

#### Financial Managers
- Active Listening, Critical Thinking, Reading Comprehension
762 | B | $115,200

#### Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists
- Critical Thinking, Reading Comprehension, Writing
690 | B | $75,990

#### Medical and Health Services Managers
- Critical Thinking, Speaking, Active Listening
657 | B | $94,840

#### Project Management Specialists
- O*NET Skills unavailable
541 | B | $82,180

#### Human Resources Specialists
- Active Listening, Reading Comprehension, Speaking
519 | B | $58,750

#### Fundraisers
- Speaking, Active Listening, Service Orientation
506 | B | $56,510

#### Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education
- Instructing, Speaking, Active Listening
483 | B | $52,990

#### Buyers and Purchasing Agents
- Speaking, Negotiation, Critical Thinking
465 | B | $83,870

**MODERATE SKILL**

#### Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers
- Operation and Control, Operations Monitoring, Critical Thinking
4,917 | PS | $47,090

#### Nursing Assistants
- Service Orientation, Active Listening, Social Perceivers
2,531 | PS | $29,970

#### Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks
- Mathematics, Active Listening, Critical Thinking
1,687 | SC | $41,160

#### Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary
- Critical Thinking
1,399 | SC | $28,840

#### Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses
- Service Orientation, Coordination, Social Perceivers
863 | PS | $45,990

#### Medical Assistants
- Active Listening, Speaking, Active Listening
684 | PS | $33,940

#### Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education
- Instructing, Speaking, Active Listening
650 | A | $31,680

#### Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics
- Repairing, Troubleshooting, Critical Thinking
544 | PS | $43,280

#### Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers
- Operations Monitoring, Critical Thinking, Troubleshooting
544 | PS | $45,560

#### Dental Assistants
- Active Listening, Speaking, Reading Comprehension
478 | PS | $36,570

#### Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists
- Active Listening, Speaking, Service Orientation
414 | PS | $28,510

#### Paralegals and Legal Assistants
- Reading Comprehension, Active Listening, Speaking
399 | A | N/A

#### Computer User Support Specialists
- Active Listening, Reading Comprehension, Speaking
318 | SC | $50,080

#### Physical Therapist Assistants
- Active Listening, Monitoring, Social Perceivers
283 | A | $44,210

#### Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers, Except Line Installers
- Repairing, Troubleshooting, Critical Thinking
201 | PS | $51,470

**BASIC SKILL**

#### Fast Food and Counter Workers
- Service Orientation, Active Listening, Social Perceivers
8,649 | NFE | $25,580

#### Cashiers
- Service Orientation, Active Listening, Speaking
6,063 | NFE | $25,760

#### Retail Salespersons
- Persuasion, Active Listening, Service Orientation
5,610 | NFE | $31,130

#### Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand
- Coordination, Critical Thinking, Operation and Control
4,655 | NFE | $32,880

#### Farmers, Ranchers, and Other Agricultural Managers
- Critical Thinking, Speaking, Monitoring
4,638 | HS | $53,020

#### Stockers and Order Fillers
- Active Listening, Reading Comprehension, Monitoring
4,202 | HS | $32,090

#### Waiters and Waitresses
- Active Listening, Service Orientation, Speaking
3,751 | NFE | $26,270

#### Office Clerks, General
- Active Listening, Reading Comprehension, Speaking
3,632 | HS | $36,190

#### Customer Service Representatives
- Active Listening, Service Orientation, Speaking
3,012 | HS | $37,110

#### Home Health and Personal Care Aides
- Service Orientation, Active Listening, Social Perceivers
2,953 | HS | $36,680

#### Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners
- Active Listening, Coordination, Critical Thinking
2,566 | NFE | $29,130

#### Cooks, Restaurant
- Monitoring, Active Listening, Coordination
2,256 | NFE | $28,530

#### First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers
- Active Listening, Service Orientation, Speaking
2,150 | HS | $42,820

#### Receptionists and Information Clerks
- Active Listening, Speaking, Service Orientation
2,034 | HS | $39,610

#### First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers
- Coordination, Monitoring, Speaking
1,939 | HS | $32,350

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**Doctoral or professional degree (D) - Requires at least three years of full-time academic study beyond a bachelor's degree.**

**Bachelor's degree (B) - Requires four or five years of full-time academic study.**

**High School diploma or equivalent (HS) - Requires the completion of high school or equivalent program resulting in the award of a high school diploma or an equivalent, such as a GED.**

**No Formal Education (NFE) - Signifies that a formal credential issued by an educational institution, such as a high school diploma or postsecondary certificate, is not typically needed for entry into the occupation.**

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