

<u>Pathways to Your Future</u>

- College
- Military
- Technical
- Workforce

By 2020, 74% of Colorado jobs will require training beyond high school.

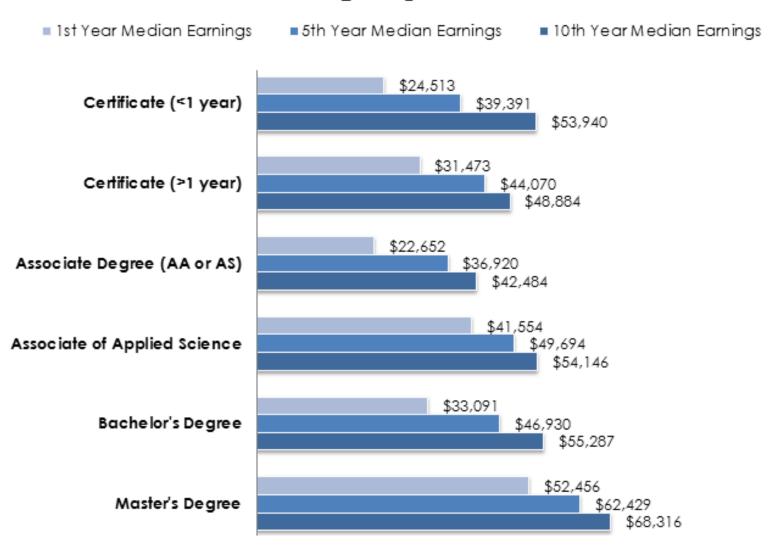
-Colorado Department of Higher Education website:

Where is the job market headed?



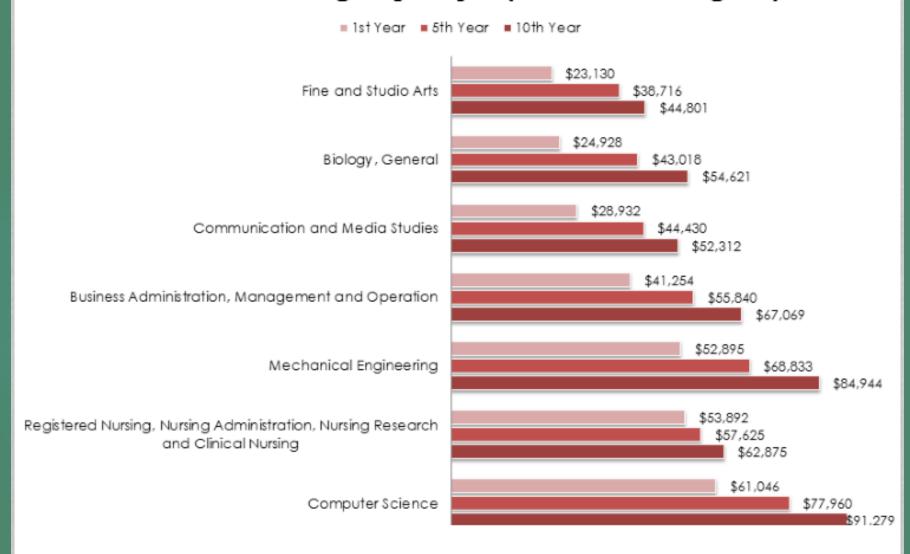
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Median Earnings by Credential Level



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Median Earnings by Major (Bachelor's Degree)



Want to play NCAA sports in college?

- Your credits matter! Only certain classes are NCAA approved, check out the FMHS course guide:
- http://fmhs.mesa.k12.co.us/counseling/documents/planning guide2017-18.pdf (page 10)
- 4 years of academic cores/electives required: English,
 Social Studies, Math, Science, Foreign Language
- Must take Math 1, 2, 3 to be eligible!
- Register early, preferably by end of sophomore year to get the process started: www.eligibilitycenter.org

Military Pathway:

Most also earn college credits

Enlist

- ASVAB test, March 10, 2017 @ Central High School
- Physical requirements
- Meeting with a recruiter

ROTC

- Apply to college and ROTC early
- Physical requirements

Service Academies

- Start planning now! Meet with your school counselor
- Get nomination from Congressman/Senator
- Physical requirements

Junior timeline



- WCCC/Technical Scholars
- Apprenticeships: offer pay-as-you-learn and college credit
 (AAS) to help you pass the licensing exam
- ▶ Job shadow
- Volunteer this is the year to work on community/school involvement! Abbey cord = 250 hours, service letter = 150 hours, scholarships
- Internships Careerwise 3 year commitment, get paid to learn about the job and obtain college credit

Naviance

- Go to About Me
- Go to Cluster Finder
- You should have results from last year.
- Based on these results, look at related careers.
 (View my previous survey results)
- Select Top Cluster category and look at related careers.
- Go to About Me, left side, career cluster survey.
- Answer questions related to the career.

Update email and goal

- Go to the About Me tab
 - 1. Click on Profile at bottom of page
 - 2. Update email address & add birth date

Go back to the About Me tab

- 1. Click on Goals.
- 2. Click on "Add a goal".
- 3. Scroll down to the Other Goal.
- 4. Add 1 new goal related to career interest.
- 5. Answer questions related to goal.



H.E.A.R. or Higher Education Admission Requirements – Colorado

English – 4.0 credits

Math – 4.0 credits

Natural/Physical Sciences (2.0 must be lab-based) – 3.0 credits Social Sciences – 3.0 credits

Foreign Language – 1.0 credit (or more: varies from school to school)

Academic Electives – 2.0 credits

extra curricular activities

List your activities: work, school clubs, sports, church youth group...
Remember, these are guidelines. Each college is different, and to get the most up-to-date info, contact the school directly by getting on their website or calling the admissions office!

Registration talking points:

- --Full Schedule at least six classes per semester.
- ----Financial Literacy # Economics, Personal Finance, Life Management, Ag Business Mgmt, AP Microeconomics
- --Grade replacement check transcript
- --HEAR requirements (previous slide)
- --Athletic Eligibility NCAA approved classes
- --Releases 2 allowed each semester (1,8,1/2, 7/8) **unless WCCC or if you have Seminary in your schedule**
- --Tutor mentor, peer tutor, aide
 - -Can use for volunteer hours to earn letter and/or Abbey Cord.
 - -Can only be listed as alternates, until position is secured and paperwork completed.
- --WCCC Put into alternates, takes up 8 slots.

New classes in 2017-18 year

- Career and College Preparation Course
- AP Computer Science Principals-Hayward & Sommerville
- Tech math- Rutkowski (combined with Ag, Engineering, Business classes)
- Women's Studies Parentice
- AP Seminar/AP Research (AP Capstone) Miller
- Applications of Statistics
- AP Art History Sturrock
- Advanced Astronomy Garske
- FBLA Leadership (must be in FBLA)

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