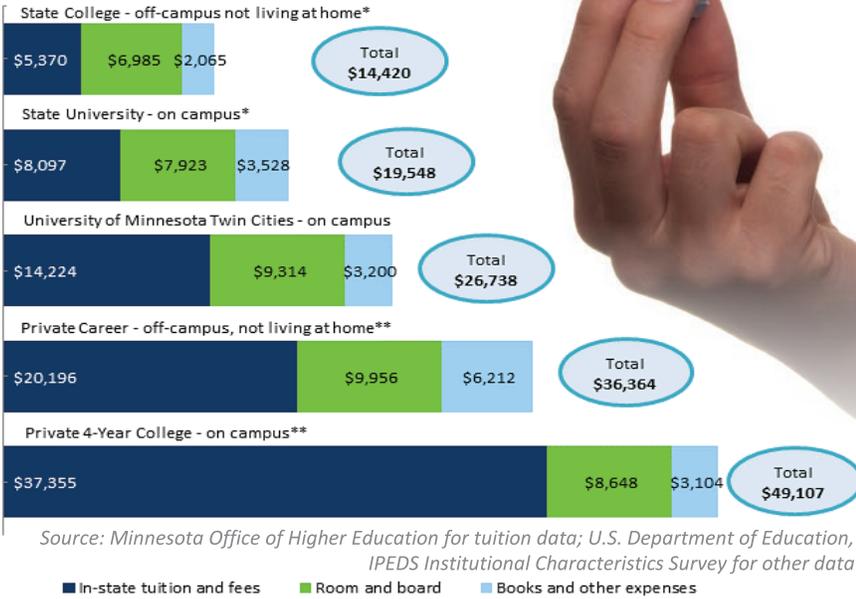


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Average Annual Expense for a Resident Undergraduate Attending Full-Time at a Minnesota College, 2016-2017



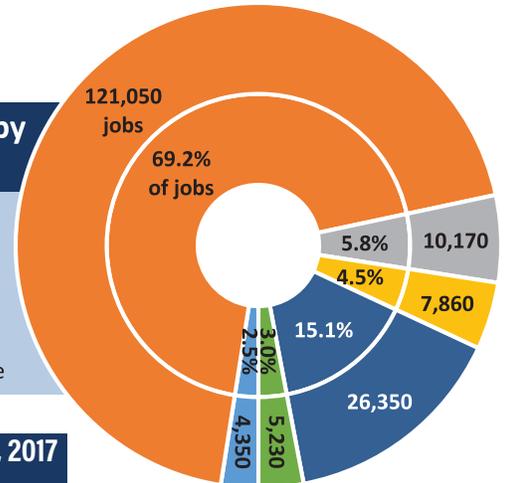
not all **great jobs** require college, and not all college graduates end up in great paying jobs.

well over half of all jobs in Minnesota can be started with a **high school diploma** or less, and just over one-third require **college**.

Southwest Minnesota Share of Jobs by Educational Requirements, 2017

Source: DEED Occupational Employment Statistics (OES)

- No Formal Educational Requirement
- Associate's Degree
- Bachelor's Degree
- High School
- Graduate or Professional Degree
- Vocational Training



OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND BY TYPICAL REQUIRED EDUCATION IN SOUTHWEST MINNESOTA, 2017

with (Median Hourly Wage)

Less than High School	High School or Equivalent	Voc. Award or Assoc. Degree	Bachelor's Degree or Higher
Personal Care Aides (\$12.72)	Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers (\$19.51)	Nursing Assistants (\$13.04)	Accountants & Auditors (\$30.19)
Cashiers (\$9.84)	Teacher Assistants (\$13.40)	Registered Nurses (\$27.31)	Elementary School Teachers (\$24.74)
Combined Food Prep & Serving Workers (\$9.99)	Sales Representatives, Wholesale & Mfg. (\$26.19)	Licensed Practical Nurses (\$20.64)	Secondary School Teachers (\$27.75)
Retail Salespersons (\$10.14)	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers (\$17.12)	Police & Sheriff's Patrol Officers (\$26.17)	Child, Family, & School Social Workers (\$25.06)
Slaughterers & Meat Packers (\$14.78)	First-Line Supervisors of Food Prep & Serving Workers (\$16.69)	Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics (\$17.83)	Mental Health Counselors (\$35.78)
Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers (\$14.91)	Secretaries & Administrative Assistants (\$18.02)	Heating, Air Conditioning, & Refriger. Mechanics (\$22.96)	Physician Assistants (\$51.83)
Stock Clerks & Order Fillers (\$11.32)	Farmers, Ranchers, & Other Agricultural Managers (\$38.40)	Industrial Machinery Mechanics (\$22.42)	Family & General Practitioners (\$91.73)
Janitors & Cleaners (\$12.46)	Social & Human Service Assistants (\$20.12)	Machinists (\$17.94)	Industrial Engineers (\$36.45)
Farmworkers, Farm, Ranch, & Aquacultural Animals (\$9.77)	Office Clerks, General (\$15.17)	Computer User Support Specialists (\$20.68)	Medical & Health Services Managers (\$34.01)
Construction Laborers (\$20.00)	Bus & Truck Mechanics & Diesel Engine Specialists (\$17.55)	Farm Equipment Mechanics & Service Technicians (\$19.21)	Computer Systems Analysts (\$37.16)

Source: DEED Occupations in Demand

ADDITIONAL ONLINE RESOURCES

FREE CAREER ASSESSMENTS

- careeronestop.org
- onetcenter.org
- mn.gov/deed/job-seekers/job-guide

LIST OF MN COLLEGE TUITIONS/FEEES

- www.ohe.state.mn.us

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- minnesotaworks.net



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