

Architecture and Construction



Regional Career Opportunities – Listed by Highest Projected Demand

Job Zone 1

High School Diploma or Less Job Zone 2

Job Zone 3

Certificate or Associate's Degree Job Zone 4

Bachelor's Degree

Job Zone 5

Master's or **Doctorate Degree**

Architectural and Engineering

Managers

Annual Openings = 45

Median Wage = \$122,554

Operations Research Analysts

Annual Openings = 30

Median Wage = \$62,576

Few regional occupations in this

career cluster require education

at this degree level.

Cement Masons & Concrete **Finishers**

Annual Openings = 45 Median Wage = \$37,160

Septic Tank Servicers & Sewer Pipe Cleaners

Annual Openings = 5 Median Wage = \$39,655

Plasterers & Stucco Masons

Annual Openings = 5 Median Wage = \$40,243

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Construction Laborers

Annual Openings = 510 Median Wage = \$28,536

Carpenters

Annual Openings = 160

Median Wage = \$37,932

Helpers - Pipelayers, Plumbers,

Pipefitters & Steamfitters

Annual Openings = 100

Median Wage = \$35,828

Helpers – Electricians

Annual Openings = 80

Median Wage = \$29,227

Helpers - Installation,

Maintenance & Repair Workers

Annual Openings = 80

Median Wage = \$36,945

Maintenance & Repair Workers

Annual Openings = 510 Median Wage = \$36,921

Electricians

Annual Openings = 250 Median Wage = \$48,688

Plumbers, Pipefitters & **Steamfitters**

Annual Openings = 210 Median Wage = \$54,112

Heating, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Mechanics &...

> Annual Openings = 155 Median Wage = \$42,517

Supervisors of Construction & Extraction Workers

Annual Openings = 155 Median Wage = \$57,910 **Construction Managers**

Annual Openings = 95 Median Wage = \$73,761

Software Developers

Annual Openings = 60 Median Wage = \$88,433

Cost Estimators

Annual Openings = 60 Median Wage = \$60,531

Civil Engineers

Annual Openings = 40 Median Wage = \$88,050

Architects

Annual Openings = 20 Median Wage = \$77,723



Top five high-value occupations in this career cluster for the

Greater Memphis Region

Occupations with the highest annual openings that are stable or growing with median wages above \$35,000 are considered high-value.

* State level data was used due to limitations in regional data.









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Regional High School Requirements and Programs

English Language Arts	Math	Science	Social Studies	Foreign Language	Physical Education	Fine Arts	Elective Focus	
English I	Algebra I	Biology	World History and Geography	Foreign Language I	Lifetime Wellness	Fine Arts Selection	Minimum of Three Courses	
English II	Geometry	Chemistry	U.S. History	Foreign Language II	Strength and Exercise		Required: Freshman Mentoring Seminar	
English III	Algebra II	Physics	Economics and Government				See Architecture and Construction	
English IV	4 th Math Course						career programs below.	

Year	Architectural & Engineering Residential & Commercial Construction Program		Additional Electives	Regional Postsecondary Schools	
9	Freshman Mentoring Seminar (required)	Freshman Mentoring Seminar (required)	o	Certificates and Associate's Degrees	Bachelor's and Advanced Degrees
	(1)	(-	Community Colleges	Colleges and Universities
10	Career Success	Career Success	o	Southwest Tennessee Community College	 University of Memphis University of Tennessee
11	Arch. and Eng. Design I	Res. and Comm. Constr. I	o	 Tennessee College of Applied Technology 	- Heath Sciences Center- College of Medicine
			-		 Rhodes College
12	Arch. and Eng. Design II	Res. and Comm. Constr. II	o		Christian Brothers UniversityLe Moyne-Owen College

Postsecondary Programs/Majors for Occupations in this Career Cluster

Certificate or AA	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Bachelor's Degree	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Advanced Degree	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD



