

CAREER ROADMAP

Access the *Occupational Outlook Handbook* from the Bureau of Labor Statistics at <https://www.bls.gov/ooh/> to complete the following sections.

1. After selecting an Occupation, use that job's *Summary* box to complete the first section, then use the tabs and/or blue headings at the top of your Occupation page to answer the questions in the second section.

Name of Occupation: _____

Annual Median Pay: \$ _____

(The median pay is "in the middle," that is, half of the workers earned below this level and half earned above this level. Most workers do not start out earning this pay level.)

Typical Entry-Level Education: _____

On-the-job Training: _____

Job Outlook: _____% (**Slower than / As fast as / Faster than**) Average

A. "What They Do:" Summarize the three main duties of workers in your Occupation.

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- _____
- _____

B. "Work Environment"

1) What group employs the largest percentage of workers in this Occupation?

2) Describe any potential problems or difficulties related to safety or schedules in this Occupation.

C. "How to Become One:" What do you consider to be the three most important qualities that are useful in this occupation? _____

D. "Pay:" You may begin your career in an entry-level position; such workers are typically paid on the lower 10% of the pay scale. What do the lowest 10% of workers earn in your Occupation?

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