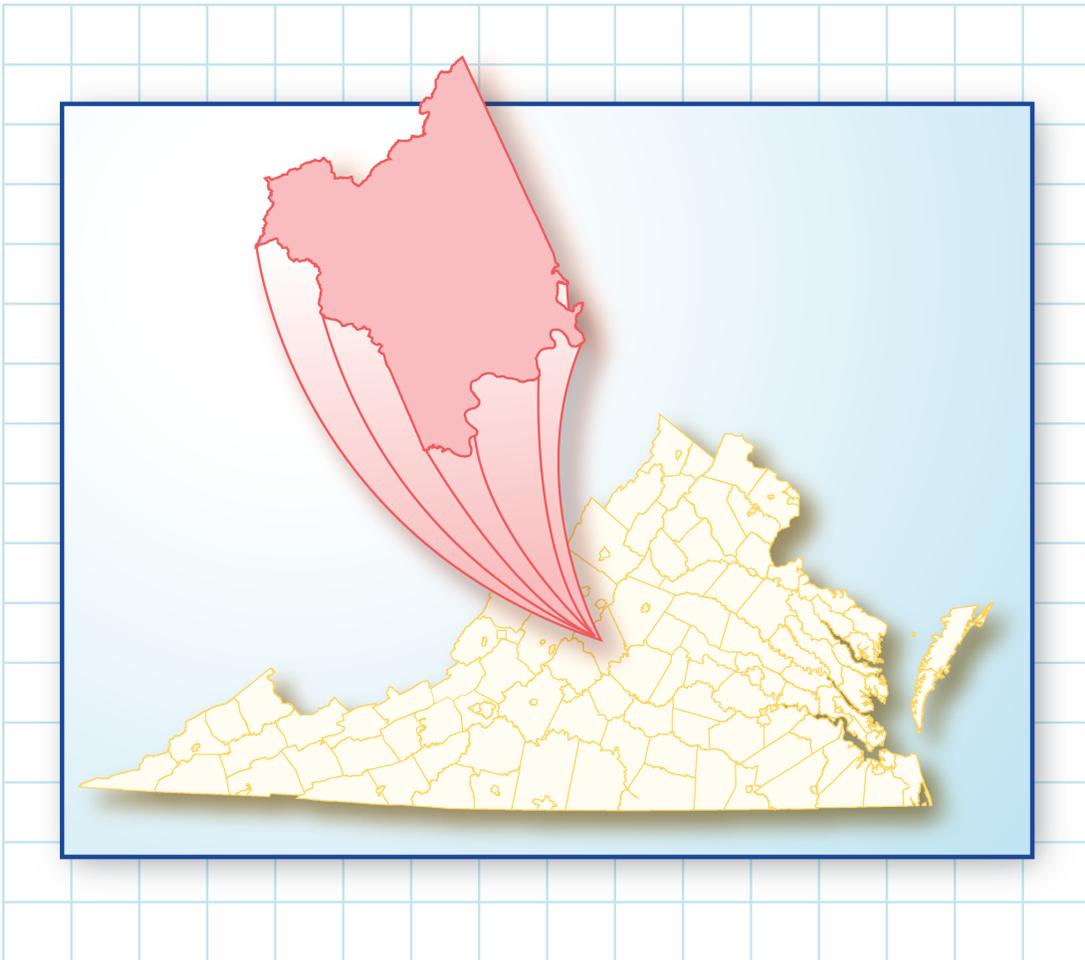


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COMMUNITY PROFILE

Nelson County



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I. Introduction

This report provides a community profile of Nelson County. It is intended to complement the information found in our Virginia Workforce Connection application, which can be accessed online at:

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The report is divided into three major sections. The first contains a profile of regional demographic characteristics and trends, the second supplies similar information for the regional economy, and the third provides a profile of regional education characteristics.

II. Demographic Profile

Overview

This Demographic Profile provides an in-depth analysis of the population in Nelson County. Most of the data is produced by the U.S. Census Bureau, and includes demographic characteristics such as age, race/ethnicity, and gender.



Related Terms and Definitions

Ability to speak English

For people who speak a language other than English at home, the response represents the person's own perception of his or her ability to speak English. Because census questionnaires are usually completed by one household member, the responses may represent the perception of another household member.

Age

The age classification is based on the age of the person in complete years as of April 1, 2010. The age of the person usually was derived from their date of birth information. Their reported age was used only when date of birth information was unavailable.

Gender

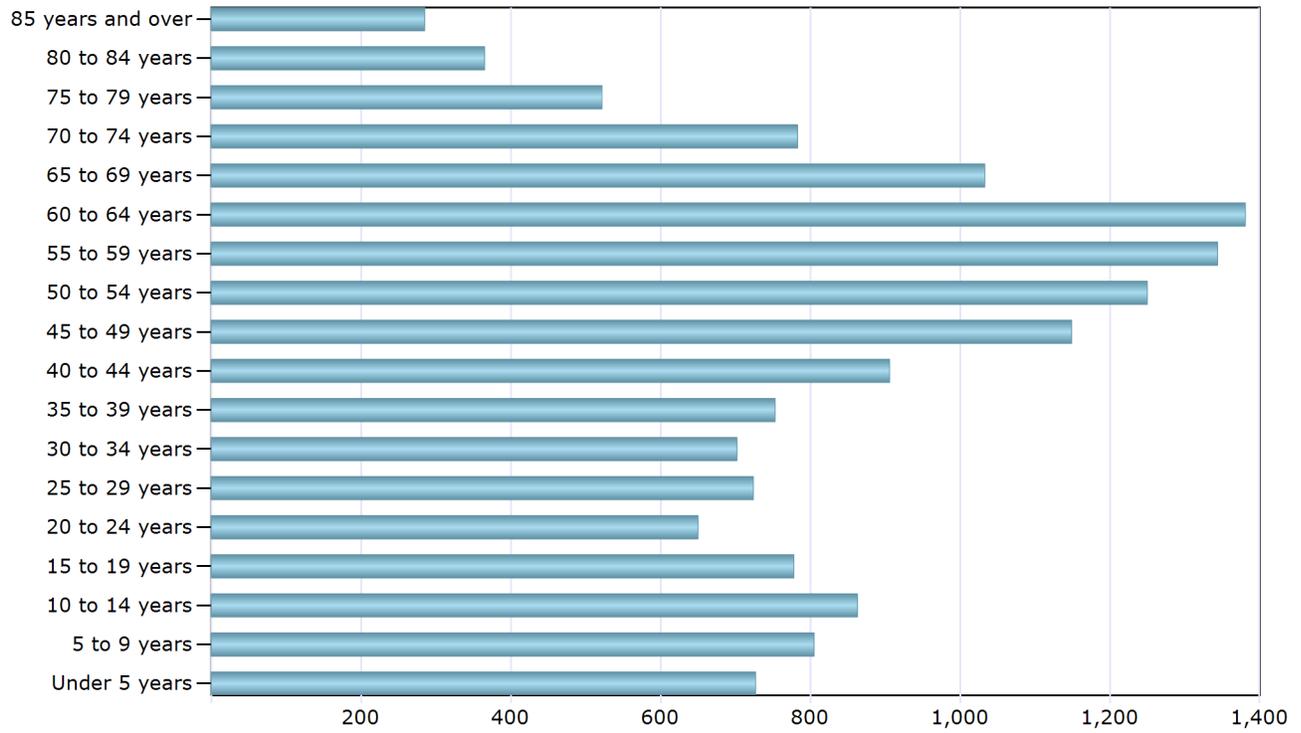
The data on gender were derived from answers to a question that was asked of all people. Individuals were asked to mark either "male" or "female" to indicate their gender. For most cases in which gender was not reported, it was determined by the appropriate entry from the person's given (i.e., first) name and household relationship. Otherwise, gender was imputed according to the relationship to the householder and the age of the person.

Race

The concept of race as used by the Census Bureau reflects self-identification by people according to the race or races with which they most closely identify. The categories are sociopolitical constructs and should not be interpreted as being scientific or anthropological in nature. Furthermore, the race categories include both racial and national-origin groups.

Please note: In the past, our population by race/ethnicity data has always excluded the Hispanic ethnicity from each race category. Starting in January 2013, each race category now includes all ethnicities.

Population by Age



	Nelson County	Virginia	United States
Under 5 years	727	509,625	20,201,362
5 to 9 years	805	511,849	20,348,657
10 to 14 years	863	511,246	20,677,194
15 to 19 years	778	550,965	22,040,343
20 to 24 years	650	572,091	21,585,999
25 to 29 years	724	564,342	21,101,849
30 to 34 years	702	526,077	19,962,099
35 to 39 years	753	540,063	20,179,642
40 to 44 years	906	568,865	20,890,964
45 to 49 years	1,149	621,155	22,708,591
50 to 54 years	1,250	592,845	22,298,125
55 to 59 years	1,344	512,595	19,664,805
60 to 64 years	1,381	442,369	16,817,924
65 to 69 years	1,033	320,302	12,435,263
70 to 74 years	783	229,502	9,278,166
75 to 79 years	522	173,929	7,317,795
80 to 84 years	365	130,801	5,743,327
85 years and over	285	122,403	5,493,433
	15,020	8,001,024	308,745,538

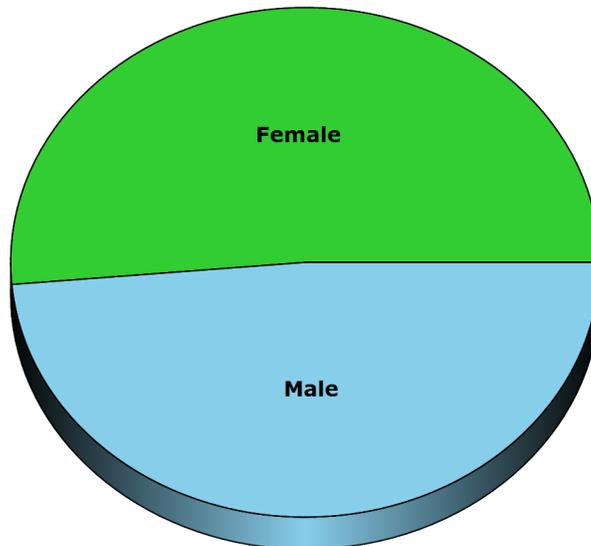
Source: 2010 Census.

Population by Race/Ethnicity

	Nelson County	Virginia	United States
Total			
Total Population	15,020	8,001,024	308,745,538
Race			
White	12,509	5,486,852	223,553,265
Black or African American	1,967	1,551,399	38,929,319
American Indian or Alaska Native	48	29,225	2,932,248
Asian	68	439,890	14,674,252
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	4	5,980	540,013
Other	172	254,278	19,107,368
Multiple Races	252	233,400	9,009,073
Ethnicity			
Not Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	14,561	7,369,199	258,267,944
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	459	631,825	50,477,594

Source: 2010 Census.

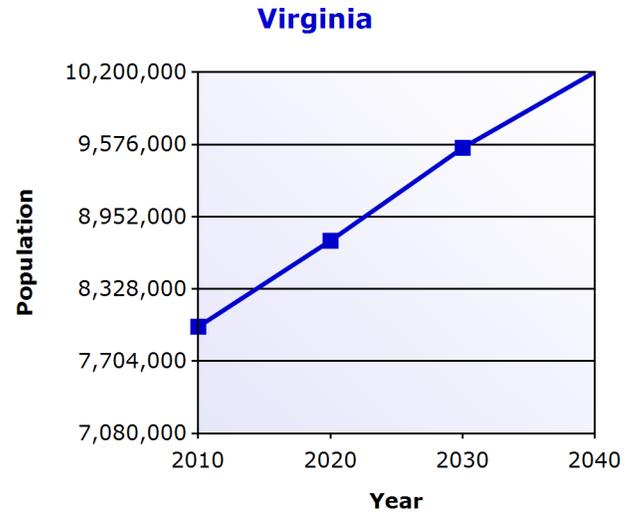
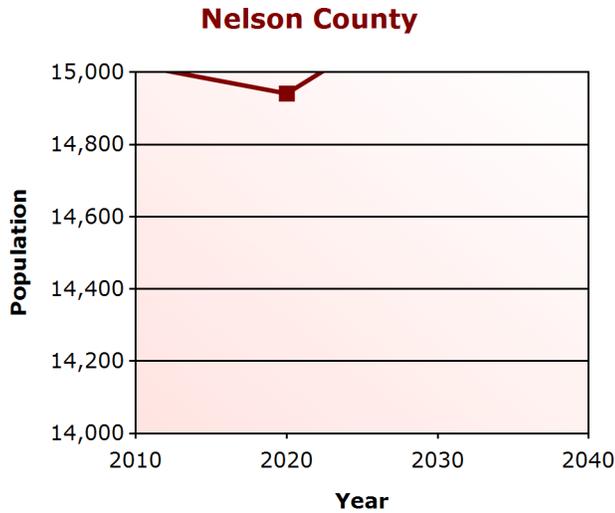
Population by Gender



	Nelson County	Virginia	United States
Male	7,302	3,925,983	151,781,326
Female	7,718	4,075,041	156,964,212
	15,020	8,001,024	308,745,538

Source: 2010 Census.

Population Change



	Nelson County	Percent change	Number Change	Virginia	Percent change	Number Change
2000	14,445			7,079,030		
2010	15,020	3.98 %	575	8,001,024	13.02 %	921994
2020	14,941	-0.53 %	-79	8,744,273	9.29 %	743249
2030	15,200	1.73 %	259	9,546,958	9.18 %	802685
2040	15,244	0.29 %	44	10,201,530	6.86 %	654572

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.

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Population Projections by Age and Gender

	2020		2030		2040	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
Under 5 years	348	329	356	336	370	349
5 to 9 years	355	347	375	367	380	372
10 to 14 years	396	407	412	423	427	438
15 to 19 years	359	396	350	386	376	414
20 to 24 years	270	293	280	304	296	321
25 to 29 years	288	309	312	335	308	331
30 to 34 years	378	355	365	343	385	361
35 to 39 years	387	399	356	367	392	404
40 to 44 years	399	372	465	433	456	425
45 to 49 years	423	389	492	453	460	424
50 to 54 years	482	448	458	426	542	503
55 to 59 years	635	575	500	453	591	536
60 to 64 years	695	664	577	551	556	532
65 to 69 years	721	692	650	624	519	498
70 to 74 years	696	626	689	621	576	519
75 to 79 years	368	360	497	486	444	434
80 to 84 years	252	199	417	329	411	324
85 years and over	248	82	309	103	428	142
	7,700	7,242	7,860	7,340	7,917	7,327
	14,942		15,200		15,244	

Source: Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.

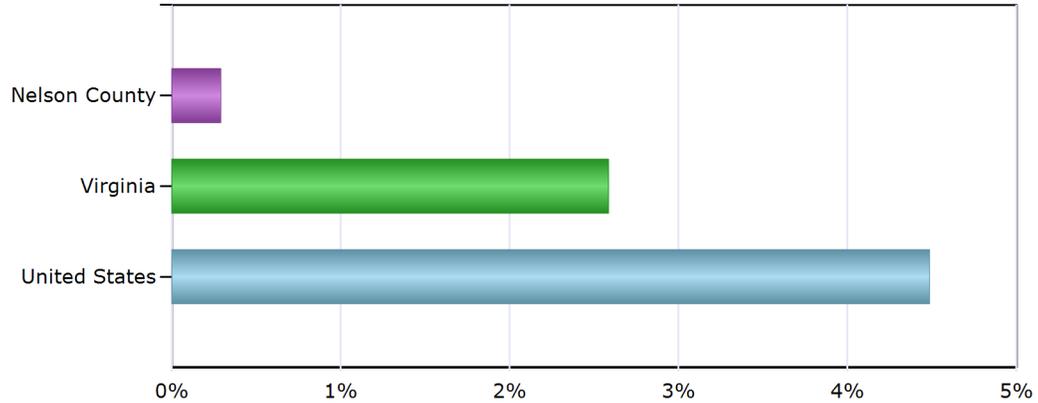
Population Projections by Race/Ethnicity

	2020	2030	2040
Total			
Total Population	14,941	15,200	15,244
Race			
White	11,781	11,305	10,215
Black or African American	1,775	1,609	1,412
Asian	103	141	192
Other	323	351	357
Ethnicity			
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	959	1,794	3,068

Source: Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.

English Language Skills

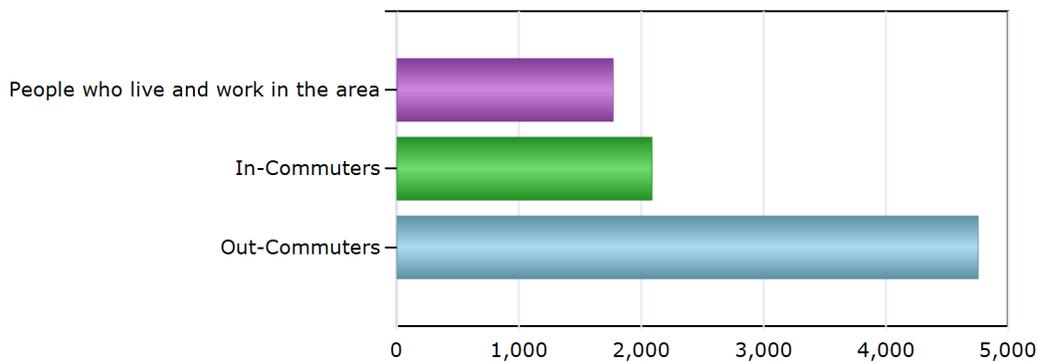
(Age 5 and over that speak English less than well)



	Total	Speak English less than well	Percent
Nelson County	14,173	41	0.29%
Virginia	7,800,044	201,628	2.58%
United States	298,691,202	13,400,003	4.49%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2012-2016.

Commuting Patterns



Commuting Patterns	
People who live and work in the area	1,769
In-Commuters	2,086
Out-Commuters	4,755
Net In-Commuters (In-Commuters minus Out-Commuters)	-2,669

Source: U.S. Census Bureau,
OnTheMap Application and LEHD Origin-Destination Employment Statistics, 2014.

Top 10 Places Residents are Commuting To

Area	Workers
Albemarle County, VA	1,195
Charlottesville city, VA	797
Amherst County, VA	279
Lynchburg city, VA	225
Augusta County, VA	214
Waynesboro city, VA	147
Henrico County, VA	89
Richmond city, VA	80
Fairfax County, VA	76
Roanoke city, VA	75

Top 10 Places Workers are Commuting From

Area	Workers
Albemarle County, VA	357
Amherst County, VA	340
Augusta County, VA	219
Waynesboro city, VA	136
Charlottesville city, VA	100
Campbell County, VA	65
Lynchburg city, VA	62
Appomattox County, VA	53
Bedford County, VA	47
Staunton city, VA	44

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, OnTheMap Application and LEHD Origin-Destination Employment Statistics, 2014.

Please Note: Commuting patterns data is no longer produced from the Decennial Census. As an alternative, we are providing commuting data from the U.S. Census Bureau's OnTheMap application and LEHD Origin-Destination Employment Statistics program. Since this data is produced from an entirely different data set, it is not advisable to compare the new data with previously released commuting patterns. For more information about the OnTheMap application or the LEHD program, please visit the following website:

<http://lehd.ces.census.gov>

III. Economic Profile

Overview

The Economic Profile of Nelson County consists primarily of data produced by Virginia Works, U.S. Census Bureau, and the Bureau of Labor Statistics.



Related Terms and Definitions

Average Weekly Wage

Computed as average quarterly wages divided by 13.

Consumer Price Index (CPI)

The Consumer Price Index measures the average change over time in the prices paid by urban consumers for a representative market basket of consumer goods and services.

Local Employment Dynamics (LED)

The Local Employment Dynamics Program at the Census Bureau, together with its state partners, provides employment information at the county, city, and Workforce Investment Area level. This information tracks workers in different industries by age and gender and provides statistics on job creation, separation, turnover, and wages.

Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages (QCEW)

A federal/state cooperative program that collects and compiles employment and wage data for workers covered by state unemployment insurance (UI) laws and the federal civilian workers covered by Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees (UCFE). These data are maintained at the state in micro and macro levels and also sent to BLS quarterly.

Unemployment Insurance (UI)

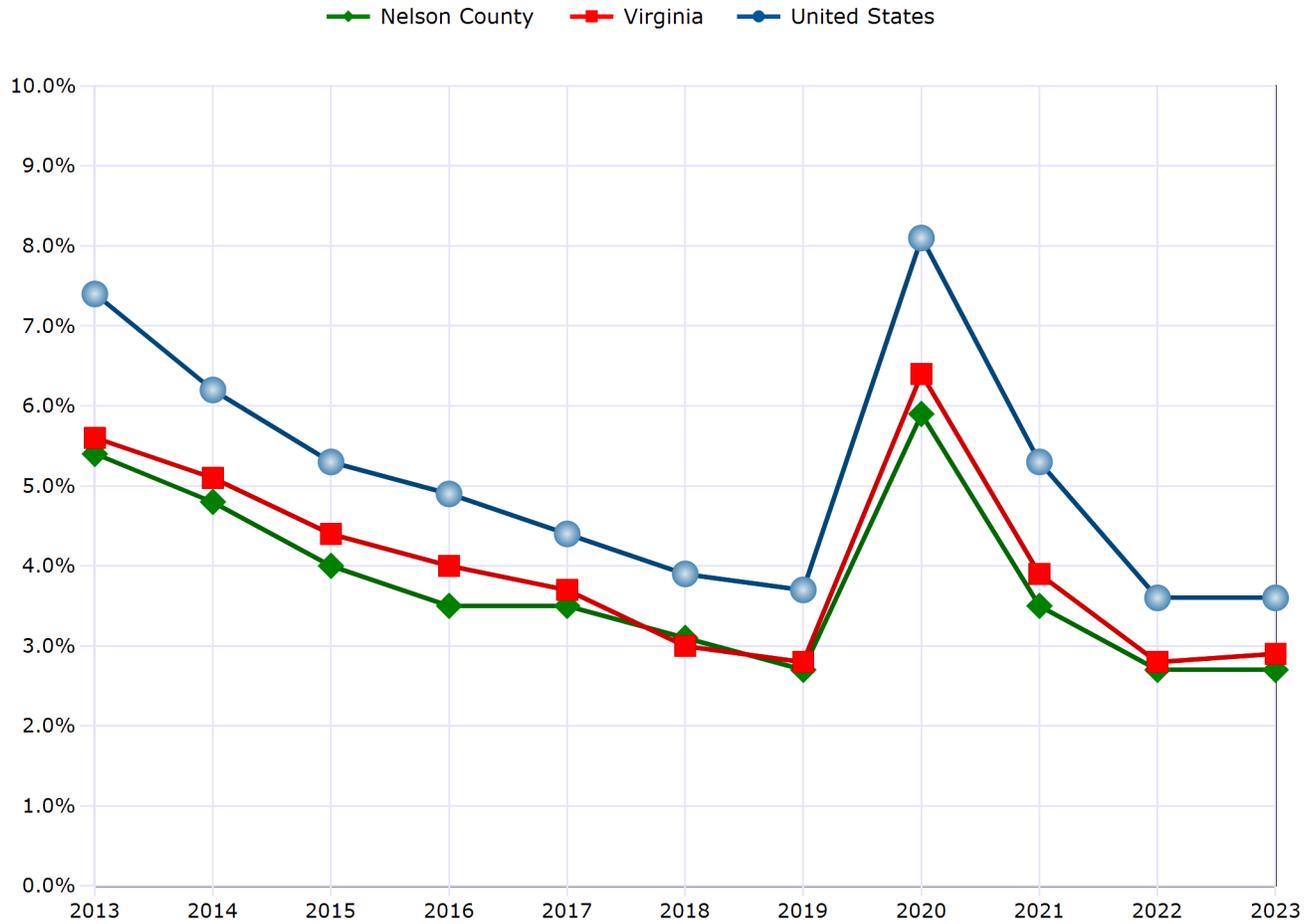
Unemployment insurance is a program for the accumulation of funds paid by employers to be used for the payment of unemployment insurance to workers during periods of unemployment which are beyond the workers' control. Unemployment insurance replaces a part of the worker's wage loss if he becomes eligible for payments.

Unemployment Rate

The number of unemployed people as a percentage of the labor force.

Unemployment Rates

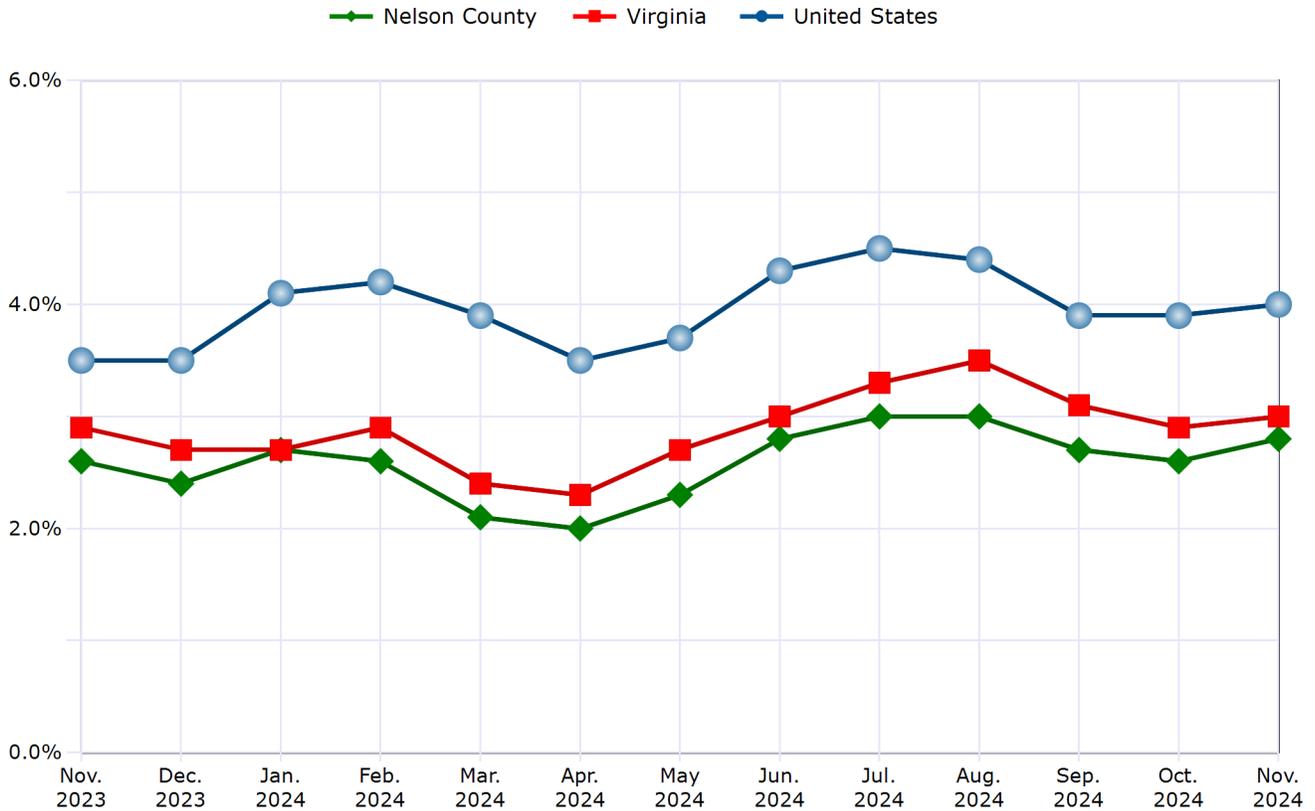
Trends



	Nelson County	Virginia	United States
2013	5.4%	5.6%	7.4%
2014	4.8%	5.1%	6.2%
2015	4.0%	4.4%	5.3%
2016	3.5%	4.0%	4.9%
2017	3.5%	3.7%	4.4%
2018	3.1%	3.0%	3.9%
2019	2.7%	2.8%	3.7%
2020	5.9%	6.4%	8.1%
2021	3.5%	3.9%	5.3%
2022	2.7%	2.8%	3.6%
2023	2.7%	2.9%	3.6%

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.

Unemployment Rates *Past 12 Months*



	Nelson County	Virginia	United States
Nov. 2023	2.6%	2.9%	3.5%
Dec. 2023	2.4%	2.7%	3.5%
Jan. 2024	2.7%	2.7%	4.1%
Feb. 2024	2.6%	2.9%	4.2%
Mar. 2024	2.1%	2.4%	3.9%
Apr. 2024	2.0%	2.3%	3.5%
May 2024	2.3%	2.7%	3.7%
Jun. 2024	2.8%	3.0%	4.3%
Jul. 2024	3.0%	3.3%	4.5%
Aug. 2024	3.0%	3.5%	4.4%
Sep. 2024	2.7%	3.1%	3.9%
Oct. 2024	2.6%	2.9%	3.9%
Nov. 2024	2.8%	3.0%	4.0%

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.

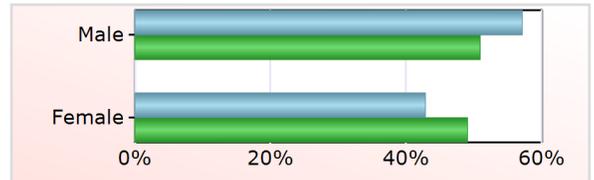
Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed

Total number of claimants: 28

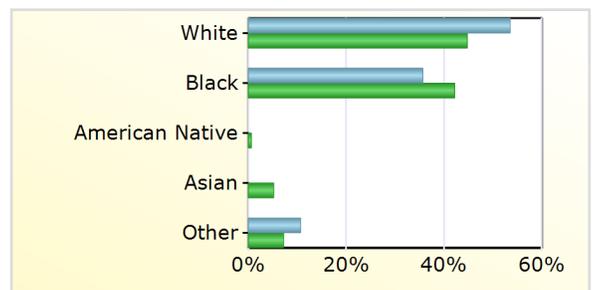
■ Nelson County - (28 claimants)

■ Virginia - (22,080 claimants)

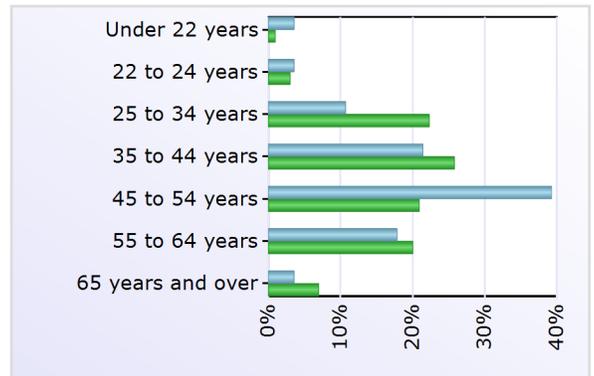
Gender	Nelson County	Virginia
Male	16	11,245
Female	12	10,835
Unspecified		



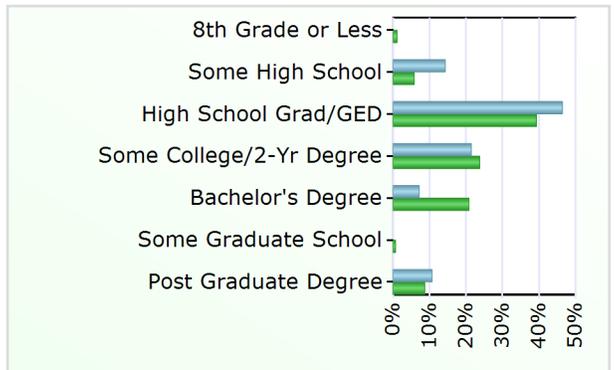
Race	Nelson County	Virginia
White	15	9,889
Black	10	9,318
American Native		136
Asian		1,141
Other	3	1,596



Age	Nelson County	Virginia
Under 22 years	1	210
22 to 24 years	1	667
25 to 34 years	3	4,926
35 to 44 years	6	5,696
45 to 54 years	11	4,621
55 to 64 years	5	4,420
65 years and over	1	1,540
Unknown		



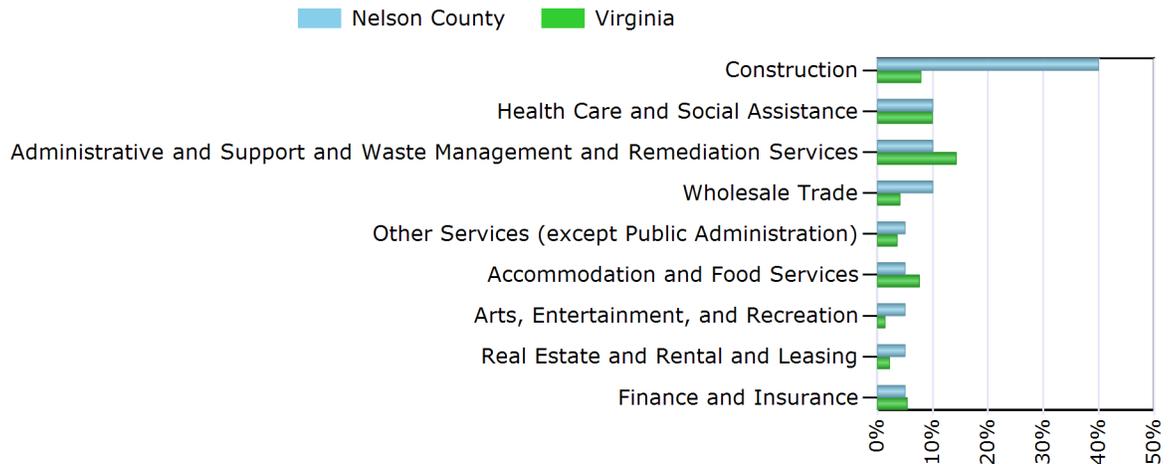
Education	Nelson County	Virginia
8th Grade or Less		241
Some High School	4	1,274
High School Grad/GED	13	8,676
Some College/2-Yr Degree	6	5,242
Bachelor's Degree	2	4,596
Some Graduate School		140
Post Graduate Degree	3	1,911
Unknown		



Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed, December 2024.

Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed

Top 5 Industries With Largest Number of Claimants in Nelson County
(excludes unclassified)



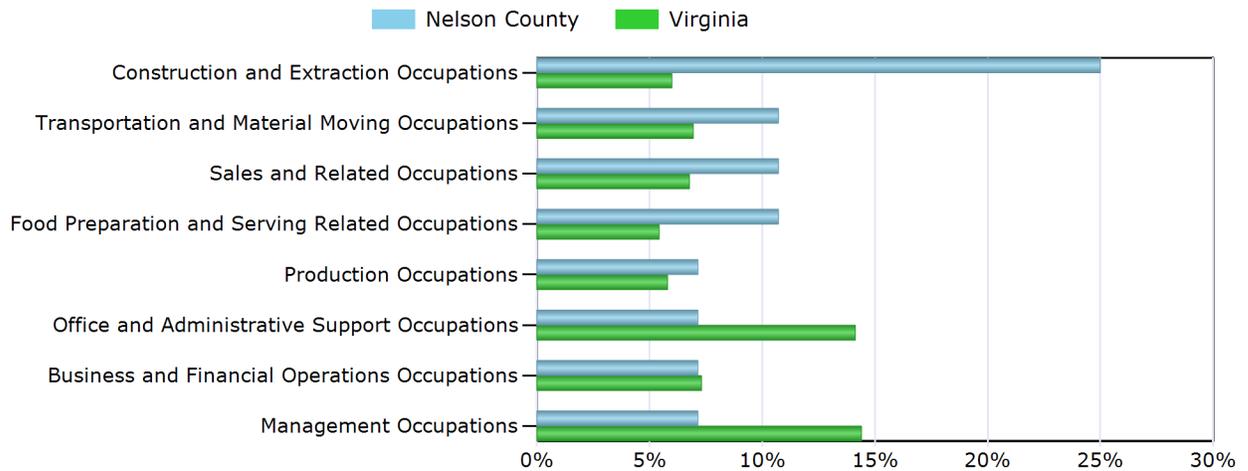
Industry	Nelson County	Virginia
Construction	8	1,526
Wholesale Trade	2	791
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	2	2,760
Health Care and Social Assistance	2	1,927
Finance and Insurance	1	1,043
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1	425
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1	269
Accommodation and Food Services	1	1,469
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1	691
Unclassified	1	2,017
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting		56
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction		47
Utilities		35
Manufacturing		658
Retail Trade		790
Transportation and Warehousing		500
Information		521
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services		3,191
Management of Companies and Enterprises		227
Educational Services		436

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed, December 2024.

Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed

Top 5 Occupation Groups With Largest Number of Claimants in Nelson County

(excludes unknown occupations)

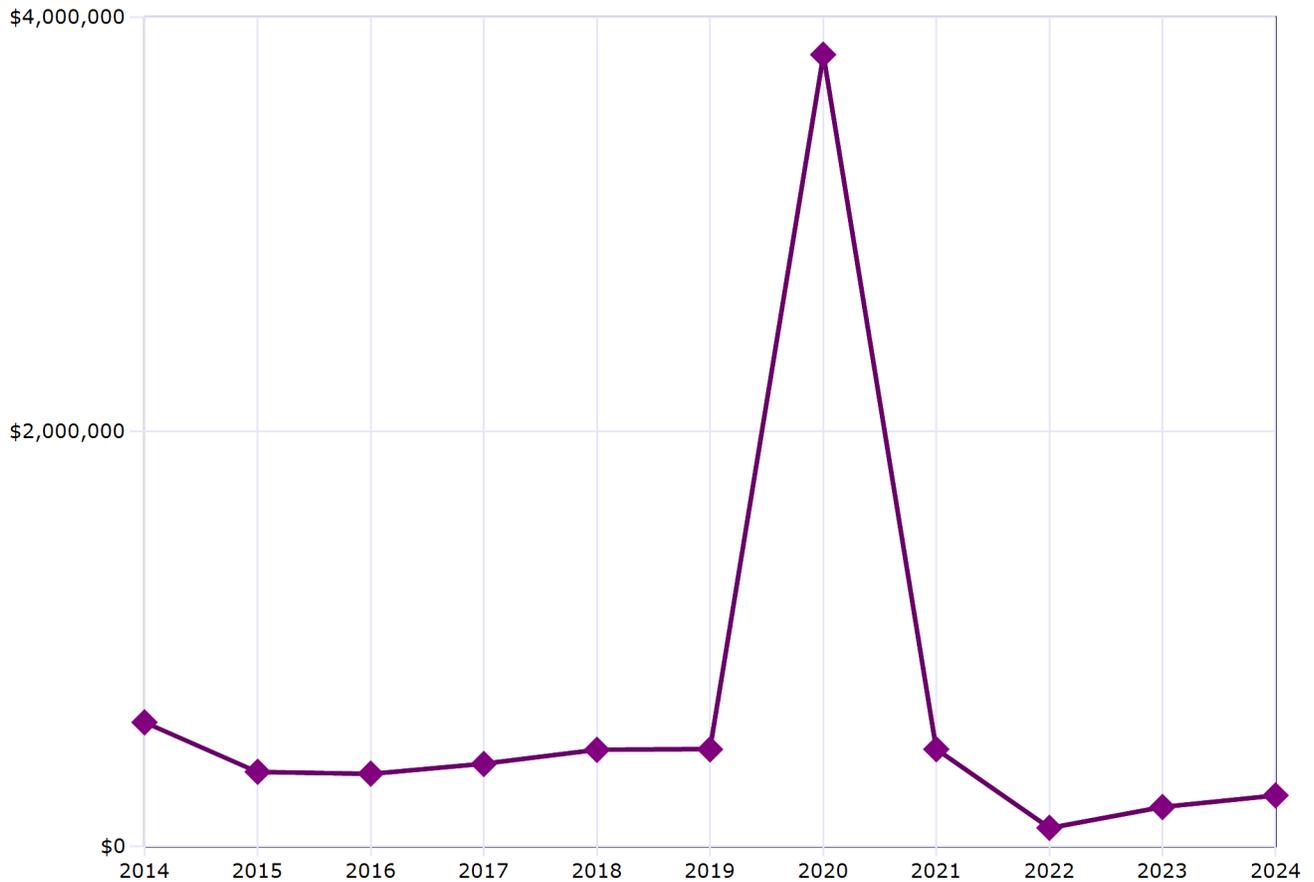


Occupation	Nelson County	Virginia
Construction and Extraction Occupations	7	1,322
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	3	1,197
Sales and Related Occupations	3	1,494
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	3	1,532
Management Occupations	2	3,179
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	2	1,612
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	2	3,120
Production Occupations	2	1,279
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	1	1,800
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	1	682
Healthcare Support Occupations	1	665
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	1	746
Architecture and Engineering Occupations		514
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations		274
Community and Social Service Occupations		265
Legal Occupations		102
Education, Training, and Library Occupations		325
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations		484
Protective Service Occupations		329
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations		670
Personal Care and Service Occupations		361
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations		58
Military Specific Occupations		70
Unknown Occupation Code		

*Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics,
Characteristics of the Insured Unemployed, December 2024.*

Unemployment Insurance Payments

Trends

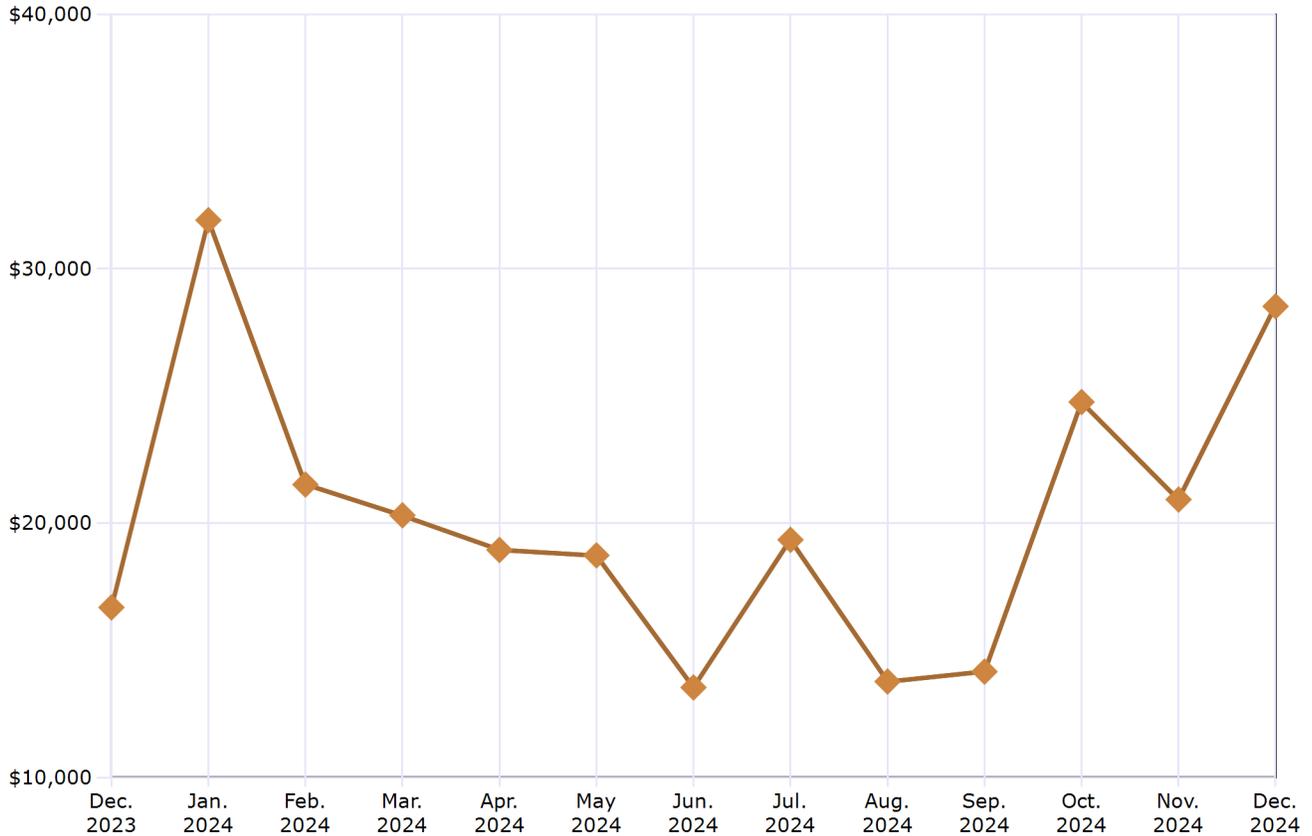


	Nelson County		Virginia	
	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid
2014	2,372	\$598,950	1,684,690	\$490,522,709
2015	1,387	\$360,478	1,198,476	\$351,290,100
2016	1,409	\$351,522	1,263,292	\$379,622,081
2017	1,497	\$398,044	1,114,650	\$336,664,624
2018	1,611	\$466,333	941,154	\$286,468,017
2019	1,583	\$468,766	867,371	\$269,014,541
2020	14,205	\$3,818,523	8,600,869	\$2,279,487,650
2021	1,725	\$469,264	1,601,885	\$458,078,646
2022	281	\$90,325	485,275	\$154,636,752
2023	572	\$190,510	685,711	\$232,048,074
2024	742	\$246,492	821,464	\$281,948,022

Source: Virginia Employment Commission, Economic Information & Analytics, Unemployment Insurance Program.

Unemployment Insurance Payments

Past 12 Months



	Nelson County		Virginia	
	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid	Weeks Paid	Amount Paid
Dec. 2023	46	\$16,690	53,438	\$18,388,408
Jan. 2024	91	\$31,913	70,590	\$24,188,826
Feb. 2024	66	\$21,520	62,778	\$21,583,220
Mar. 2024	67	\$20,312	66,855	\$22,896,885
Apr. 2024	61	\$18,951	75,006	\$25,745,119
May 2024	61	\$18,738	66,516	\$22,761,380
Jun. 2024	41	\$13,545	64,890	\$22,080,282
Jul. 2024	59	\$19,347	80,613	\$27,334,000
Aug. 2024	45	\$13,778	63,203	\$21,616,052
Sep. 2024	44	\$14,167	68,088	\$23,491,779
Oct. 2024	69	\$24,764	67,422	\$23,284,282
Nov. 2024	58	\$20,932	61,340	\$21,217,752
Dec. 2024	80	\$28,525	74,163	\$25,748,445

Source: Virginia Works, Unemployment Insurance Program.

Employers by Size of Establishment

	Nelson County	Virginia
0 to 4 employees	396	203,822
5 to 9 employees	65	40,923
10 to 19 employees	39	30,400
20 to 49 employees	24	22,721
50 to 99 employees	10	7,659
100 to 249 employees	***	4,107
250 to 499 employees	***	1,098
500 to 999 employees	0	365
1000 and over employees	0	270
	539	311,365

Employment by Size of Establishment

	Nelson County	Virginia
0 to 4 employees	556	265,127
5 to 9 employees	429	271,975
10 to 19 employees	489	413,114
20 to 49 employees	645	684,395
50 to 99 employees	760	525,857
100 to 249 employees	***	607,274
250 to 499 employees	***	375,907
500 to 999 employees	0	250,288
1000 and over employees	0	718,538
	3,909	4,112,475

Note: Asterisks (***) indicate non-disclosable data.

'Zero; no employment' typically represents new startup firms or sole-proprietorships.

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), 3rd Quarter (July, August, September) 2024.

50 Largest Employers

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| 1. Nelson County School Board | 26. Dolgencorp LLC |
| 2. Wintergreen Resort | 27. Ma S |
| 3. County of Nelson | 28. Turman Tye River LLC |
| 4. Craft Usa Holdings LLC | 29. VDOT |
| 5. Blue Ridge Health Care Center | 30. Living Earth School |
| 6. Blue Mountain Brewery Inc | 31. Nelson County Service Authority |
| 7. U.S. Department of Agriculture | 32. North Branch School Corp |
| 8. Saunders Brothers | 33. Silver Creek Orchards |
| 9. Wintergreen Property Owners Association | 34. The Virginia Distillery Company |
| 10. Central Virginia Electric Co-operative | 35. Wood Ridge Farm Brewery |
| 11. Veritas Vineyard & Winery | 36. Brad Dickerson |
| 12. Food Lion | 37. Brewing Tree Beer Company LLC |
| 13. Region Ten Community Services | 38. Fitzies Trucking & Leasing Inc |
| 14. Artisanal Brewing Ventures | 39. J H Fitzgerald Jr Logging Inc |
| 15. Creation Appreciation LLC | 40. Lovington Veterinary Hospital |
| 16. McDonalds | 41. Trager Brothers Coffee Inc. |
| 17. Childress Electrical LLC | 42. Silver Creek Seaman Orchards |
| 18. Vitos Pizza & Italian Restaurant | 43. Torres Trucking |
| 19. Bluemountain Barrell House | 44. Farmhouse At Veritas LLC |
| 20. The Monroe Institute | 45. State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance |
| 21. Postal Service | 46. B.T. Ramsey and Sons |
| 22. Fluor Federal Solutions | 47. Edible Landscaping |
| 23. California Sidecar Escapade | 48. Gary W Drumheller Landscaping |
| 24. Oscar W Larson Company | 49. Macs Country Store LLC |
| 25. Invictus Associates LLC | 50. North American Bancard, LLC |

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), 3rd Quarter (July, August, September) 2024.

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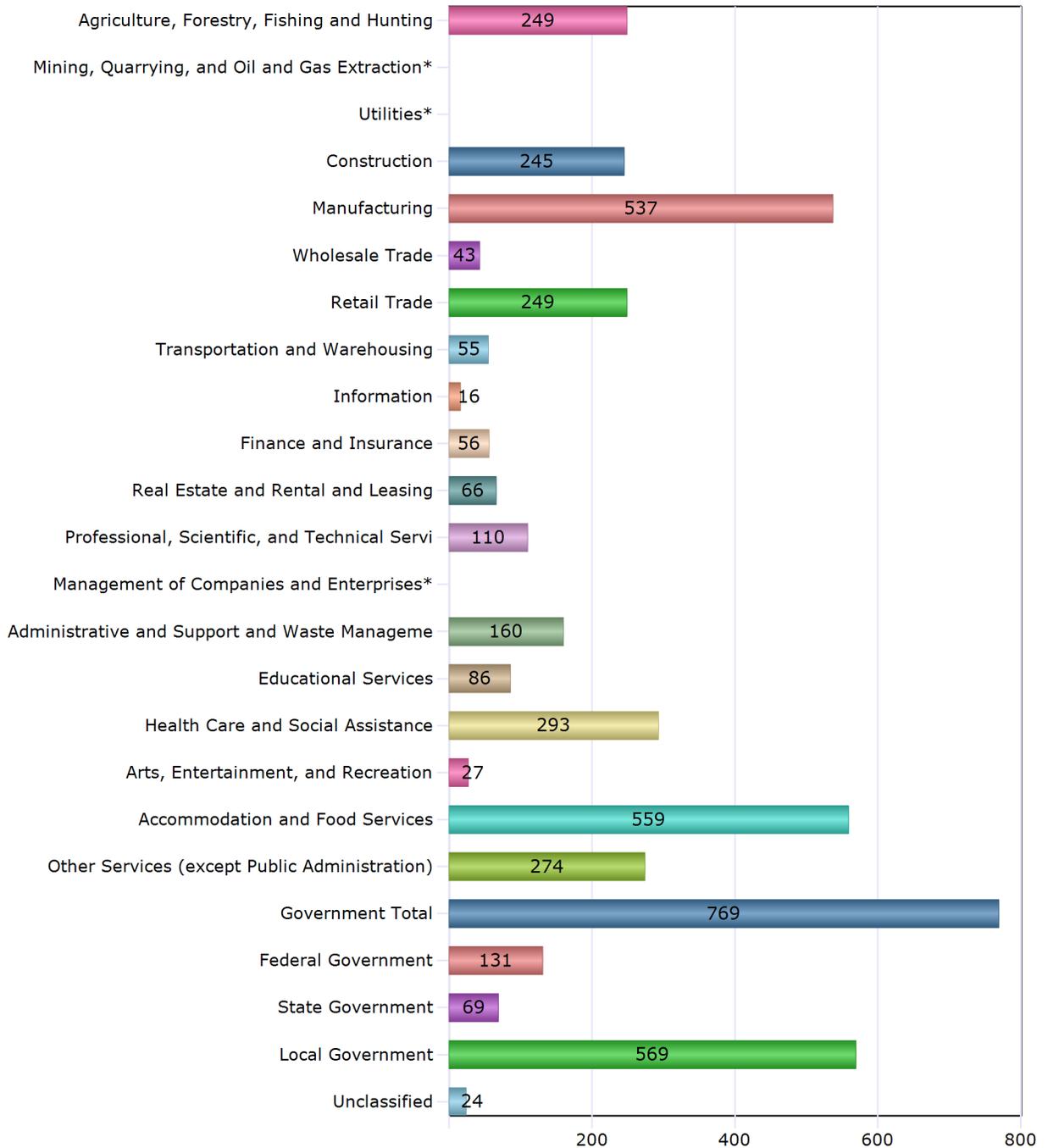
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Employment by Industry

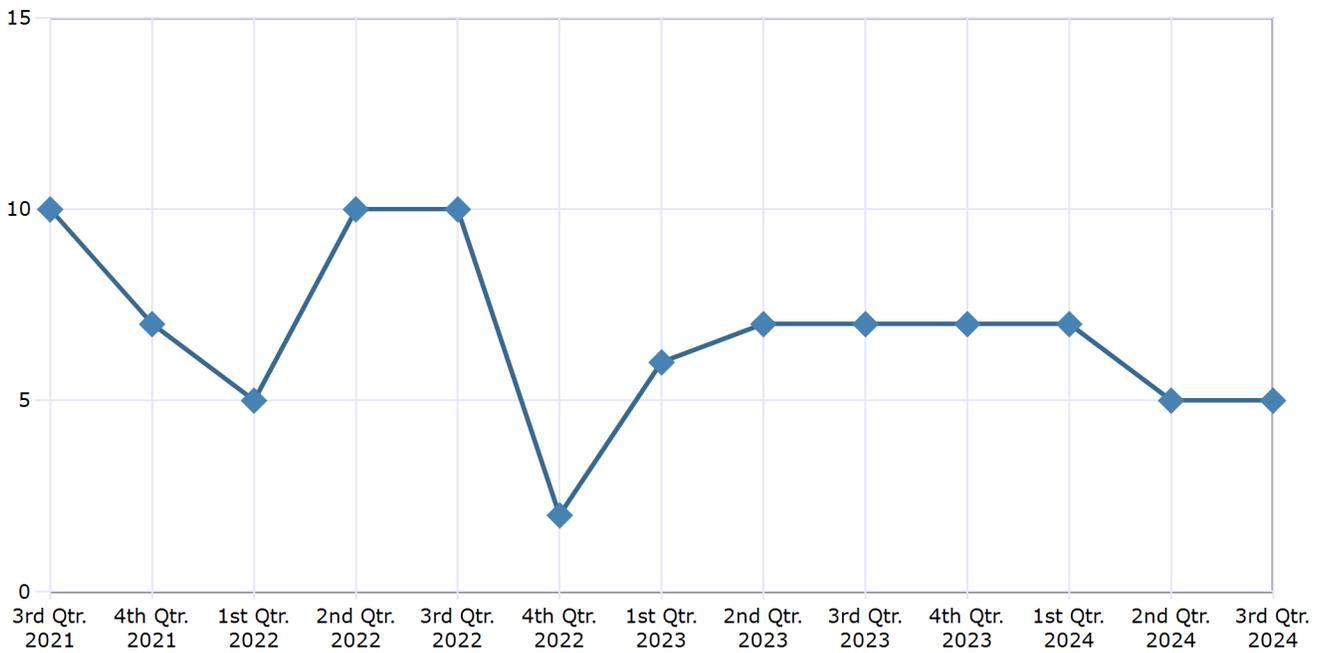


Total: 3,908

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New Startup Firms

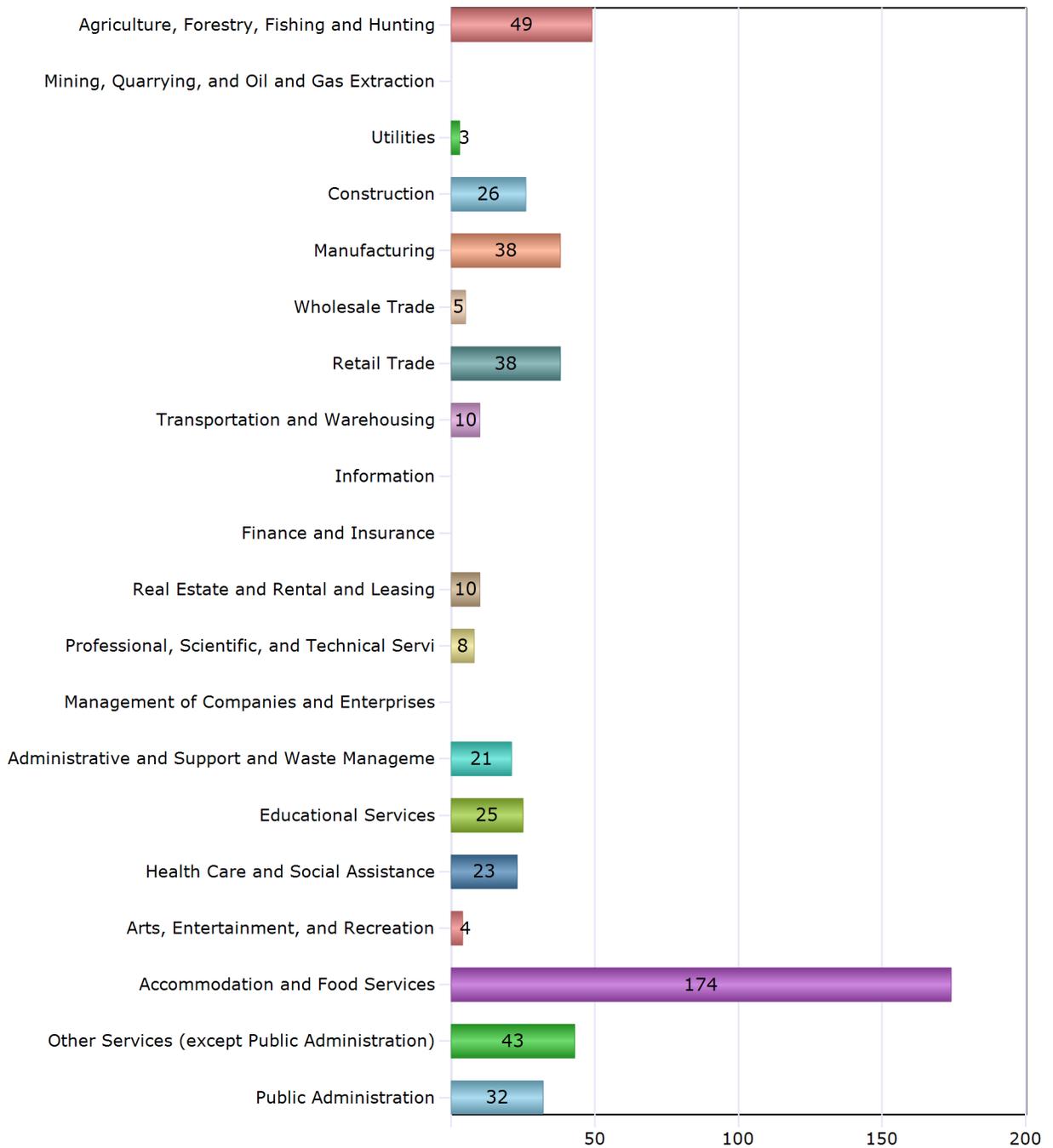


	Nelson County	Virginia
3rd Qtr. 2021	10	4,948
4th Qtr. 2021	7	3,960
1st Qtr. 2022	5	5,291
2nd Qtr. 2022	10	4,993
3rd Qtr. 2022	10	4,839
4th Qtr. 2022	2	4,162
1st Qtr. 2023	6	5,308
2nd Qtr. 2023	7	4,204
3rd Qtr. 2023	7	4,472
4th Qtr. 2023	7	4,454
1st Qtr. 2024	7	5,789
2nd Qtr. 2024	5	4,468
3rd Qtr. 2024	5	3,731

Note: The following criteria was used to define new startup firms:
 1.) Setup and liability date both occurred during 3rd Quarter (July, August, September) 2024
 2.) Establishment had no predecessor UI Account Number
 3.) Private Ownership
 4.) Average employment is less than 250
 5.) For multi-unit establishments, the parent company must also meet the above criteria.

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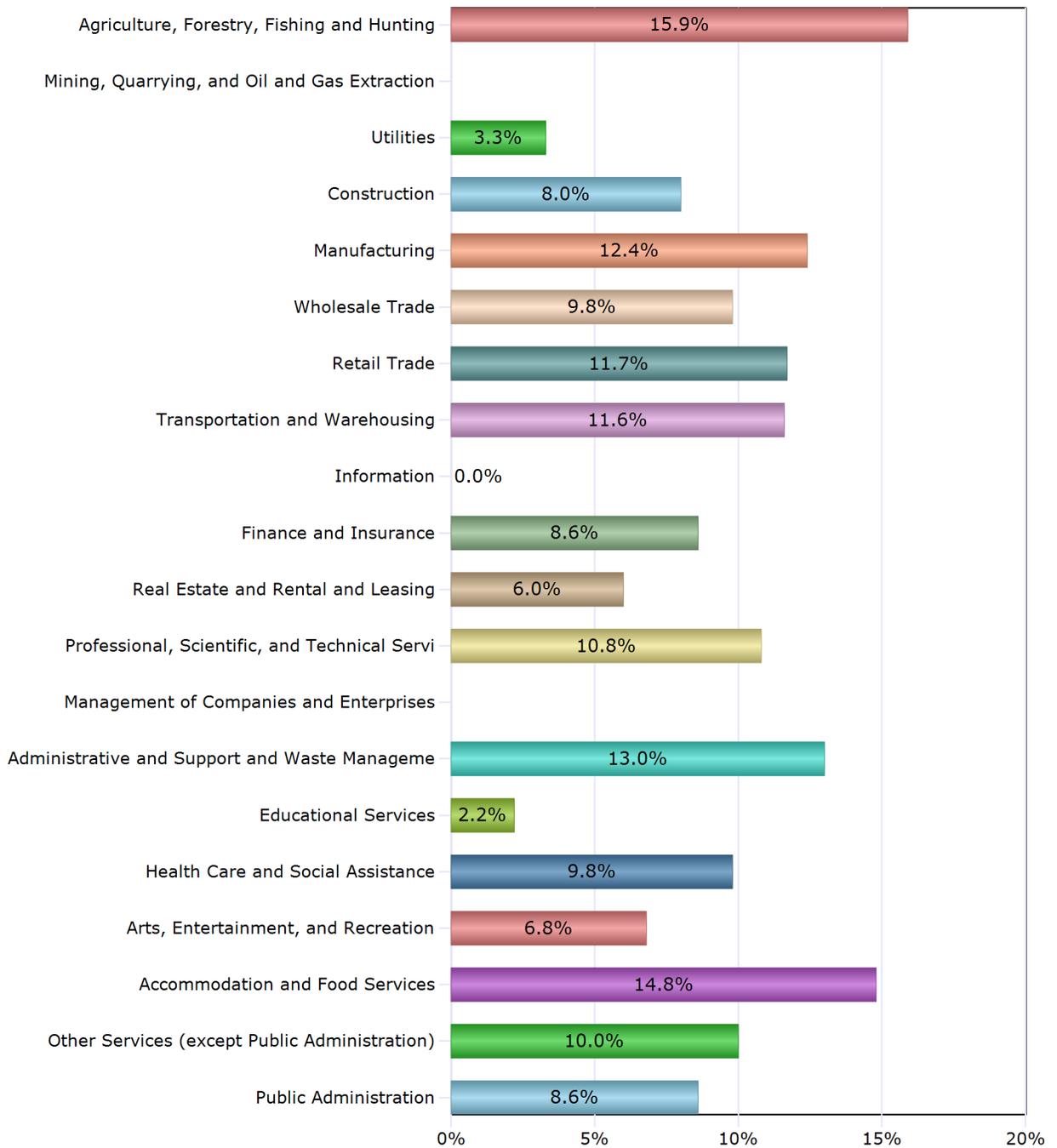
New Hires by Industry



Total: 509

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics (LED) Program, 1st Quarter (January, February, March) 2024, all ownerships.

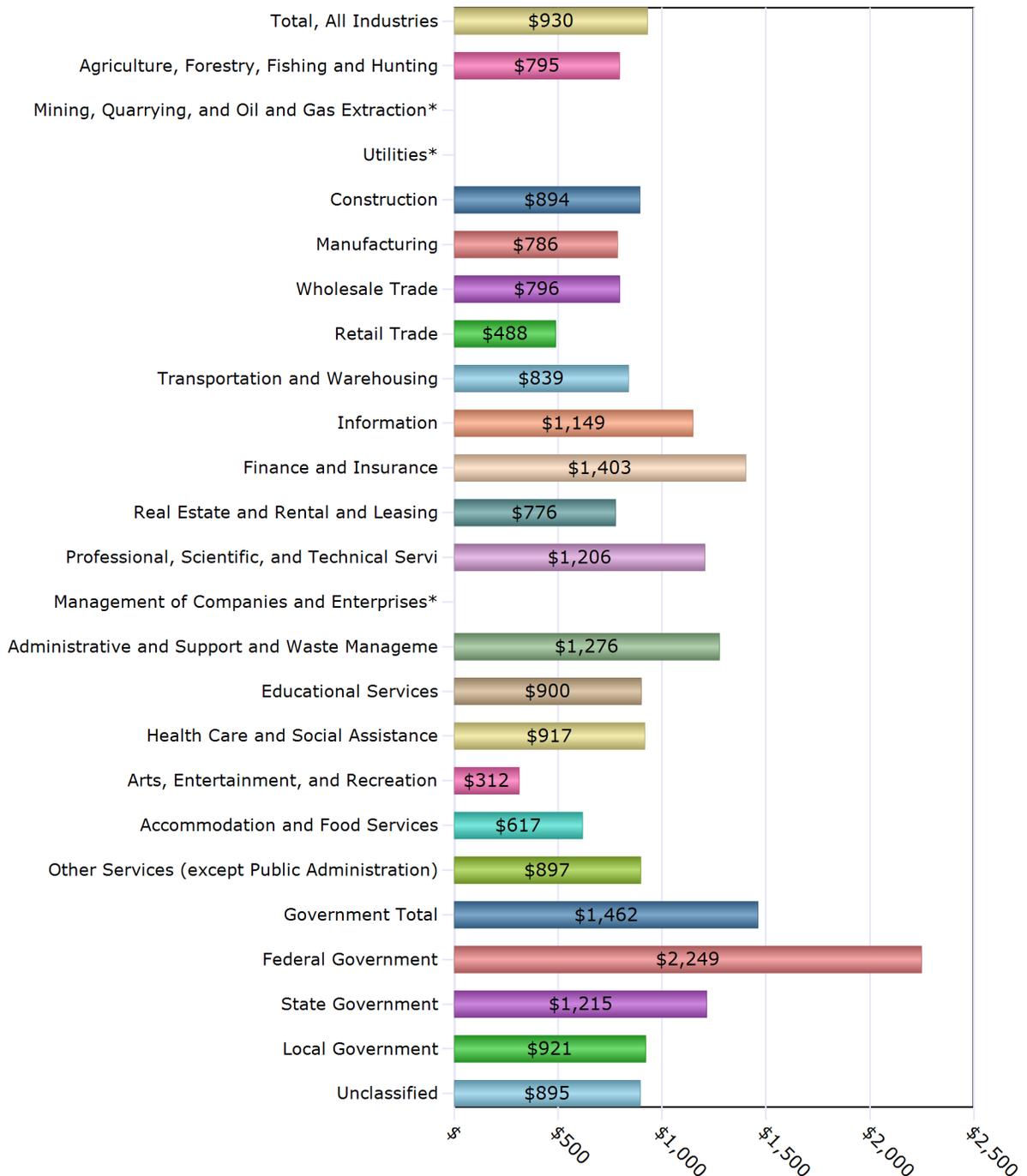
Turnover by Industry



Average: 9.1%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics (LED) Program, 4th Quarter (October, November, December) 2023, all ownerships.

Average Weekly Wage by Industry



Note: Asterisk (*) indicates non-disclosable data.

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), 3rd Quarter (July, August, September) 2024.

Age of Workers by Industry

	14–18	19–21	22–24	25–34	35–44	45–54	55–64	65+
Total, All Industries	101	189	247	748	745	663	702	451
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting		16	17	47	46	43	52	26
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction								
Utilities			4	24	28	25	24	7
Construction	4	12	10	36	50	44	31	25
Manufacturing	23	34	46	137	114	69	55	40
Wholesale Trade				13	10	14	13	8
Retail Trade	14	17	14	46	46	39	46	29
Transportation and Warehousing			3		8	19	17	11
Information				3		2	5	
Finance and Insurance			3	10	16	17	15	3
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing		3		13	16	12	16	11
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services		5	5	36	26	12	18	16
Management of Companies and Enterprises								
Administrative and Support and Waste Management	5	5	5	25	31	21	26	17
Educational Services			17	60	98	116	122	88
Health Care and Social Assistance		11	19	63	79	60	76	35
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation			3	5	3	7	4	5
Accommodation and Food Services	45	74	75	138	99	88	93	66
Other Services (except Public Administration)	3	5	15	53	46	42	57	31
Public Administration			7	35	26	31	28	32

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Local Employment Dynamics (LED) Program, 1st Quarter (January, February, March) 2024, all ownerships.

What is LED?

Developed by the U.S. Census Bureau, the Local Employment Dynamics (LED) program merges Virginia's Unemployment Compensation wage and employer records with Census demographic data. Read more about LED on the following website:

<http://lehd.did.census.gov/led/>



Industry Employment and Projections

Long Term (Period= 30)

	Employment			Percent	
	Estimated 2020	Projected 2030	Change	Total	Annual
Total, All Industries	183,298	201,866	18,568	10.13%	.97%
Total Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	14,933	15,048	115	.77%	.08%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	10,595	11,811	1,216	11.48%	1.09%
Mining	267	198	-69	-25.84%	-2.95%
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	267	198	-69	-25.84%	-2.95%
Utilities	***	***	***		***
Construction	10,426	11,416	990	9.5%	.91%
Manufacturing	8,664	9,274	610	7.04%	.68%
Wholesale Trade	3,667	3,866	199	5.43%	.53%
Retail Trade	18,876	18,311	-565	-2.99%	-.3%
Transportation and Warehousing	***	***	***		***
Information	2,092	1,888	-204	-9.75%	-1.02%
Finance and Insurance	3,332	3,877	545	16.36%	1.53%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	2,450	2,492	42	1.71%	.17%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	10,803	11,361	558	5.17%	.5%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	2,128	2,454	326	15.32%	1.44%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	7,532	8,138	606	8.05%	.78%
Educational Services	25,516	30,248	4,732	18.55%	1.72%
Health Care and Social Assistance	24,644	28,069	3,425	13.9%	1.31%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	2,539	3,598	1,059	41.71%	3.55%
Accommodation and Food Services	12,104	14,763	2,659	21.97%	2.01%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	7,083	7,710	627	8.85%	.85%
Unclassified	10,607	11,569	962	9.07%	.87%

Note: Asterisks (***) indicate non-disclosable data.
Projections data is for Piedmont Region (LWDA VI). No data available for Nelson County.

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics,
Long Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2020-2030.

Industry Employment and Projections

Short Term (Period= 25)

	Employment			Percent	
	Estimated 2023	Projected 2025	Change	Total	Annual
Total, All Industries	4,226,956	4,296,812	69,856	1.65%	.82%
Total Self-Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	239,513	241,252	1,739	.73%	.36%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	***	***	***	***	***
Mining	***	***	***	***	***
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	***	***	***	***	***
Utilities	***	***	***	***	***
Construction	209,584	213,530	3,946	1.88%	.94%
Manufacturing	245,235	247,714	2,479	1.01%	.5%
Wholesale Trade	113,897	116,115	2,218	1.95%	.97%
Retail Trade	392,138	392,340	202	.05%	.03%
Transportation and Warehousing	***	***	***	***	***
Information	70,361	70,652	291	.41%	.21%
Finance and Insurance	146,669	151,031	4,362	2.97%	1.48%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	58,218	58,714	496	.85%	.43%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	466,794	481,278	14,484	3.1%	1.54%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	87,697	89,808	2,111	2.41%	1.2%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	248,458	255,074	6,616	2.66%	1.32%
Educational Services	371,820	373,352	1,532	.41%	.21%
Health Care and Social Assistance	483,528	506,605	23,077	4.77%	2.36%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	54,620	51,914	-2,706	-4.95%	-2.51%
Accommodation and Food Services	334,821	341,070	6,249	1.87%	.93%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	130,750	132,292	1,542	1.18%	.59%
Unclassified	403,403	407,459	4,056	1.01%	.5%

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Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Short Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2023-2025.

Occupation Employment and Projections

Long Term (Period= 30)

	Employment			Openings		
	Estimated 2020	Projected 2030	% Change	Replace-ments	Growth	Total
Total, All Occupations	183,298	201,866	10.13%	211,083	18,568	229,651
Management Occupations	13,118	14,489	10.45%	11,778	1,371	13,149
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	9,374	10,463	11.62%	8,529	1,089	9,618
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	5,611	6,457	15.08%	4,245	846	5,091
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	2,456	2,541	3.46%	1,807	85	1,892
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	2,504	2,787	11.3%	2,361	283	2,644
Community and Social Service Occupations	3,230	3,763	16.5%	3,343	533	3,876
Legal Occupations	1,263	1,220	-3.4%	889	-43	846
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	14,176	16,976	19.75%	13,553	2,800	16,353
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	3,164	3,327	5.15%	3,269	163	3,432
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	12,536	13,930	11.12%	7,153	1,394	8,547
Healthcare Support Occupations	8,142	9,837	20.82%	10,921	1,695	12,616
Protective Service Occupations	3,165	3,463	9.42%	3,813	298	4,111
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	13,016	15,654	20.27%	25,559	2,638	28,197
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	7,371	7,600	3.11%	9,645	229	9,874
Personal Care and Service Occupations	4,841	5,932	22.54%	7,693	1,091	8,784
Sales and Related Occupations	17,020	16,520	-2.94%	22,132	-500	21,632
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	18,778	18,853	.4%	20,772	75	20,847
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	6,837	7,480	9.4%	11,120	643	11,763
Construction and Extraction Occupations	9,699	10,682	10.14%	10,043	983	11,026
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	6,735	7,488	11.18%	6,742	753	7,495
Production Occupations	6,665	6,931	3.99%	7,384	266	7,650
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	13,597	15,473	13.8%	18,332	1,876	20,208

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Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics,
Long Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2020-2030.

Occupation Employment and Projections

Short Term (Period= 25)

	Employment			Openings		
	Estimated 2023	Projected 2025	% Change	Replace-ments	Growth	Total
Total, All Occupations	4,226,956	4,296,812	1.65%	903,342	69,856	973,198
Management Occupations	271,790	277,047	1.93%	40,622	5,257	45,879
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	396,510	406,369	2.49%	63,465	9,859	73,324
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	253,187	262,168	3.55%	29,623	8,981	38,604
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	72,159	74,140	2.75%	9,599	1,981	11,580
Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	44,793	45,957	2.6%	7,291	1,164	8,455
Community and Social Service Occupations	67,587	70,713	4.63%	11,503	3,126	14,629
Legal Occupations	40,254	40,809	1.38%	5,587	555	6,142
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	250,506	252,080	.63%	43,776	1,574	45,350
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	65,102	65,340	.37%	12,538	238	12,776
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	235,513	244,715	3.91%	26,483	9,202	35,685
Healthcare Support Occupations	146,774	156,357	6.53%	43,310	9,583	52,893
Protective Service Occupations	105,590	107,295	1.61%	24,716	1,705	26,421
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	321,247	328,169	2.15%	123,703	6,922	130,625
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	140,331	142,421	1.49%	37,690	2,090	39,780
Personal Care and Service Occupations	104,727	103,787	-.9%	35,549	-940	34,609
Sales and Related Occupations	384,811	384,834	.01%	99,237	23	99,260
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	461,209	459,848	-.3%	104,749	-1,361	103,388
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	6,332	6,395	.99%	1,826	63	1,889
Construction and Extraction Occupations	194,320	198,526	2.16%	33,351	4,206	37,557
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	166,854	169,505	1.59%	29,240	2,651	31,891
Production Occupations	173,509	174,336	.48%	37,316	827	38,143
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	323,851	326,001	.66%	82,168	2,150	84,318

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*Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics,
Short Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2023-2025.*

Growth Occupations

	Employment			Openings			Average Annual Salary
	Estimated 2020	Projected 2030	% Change	Replacements	Growth	Total	
Multiple Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	***	***	***	***	***	***	N/A
Nurse Practitioners	459	702	52.94%	303	243	546	\$126,470
Cooks, Restaurant	713	1,076	50.91%	1,292	363	1,655	\$34,930
Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors	***	***	***	***	***	***	N/A
Amusement and Recreation Attendants	***	***	***	***	***	***	N/A
Statisticians	83	117	40.96%	70	34	104	\$95,380
Self-Enrichment Education Teachers	311	429	37.94%	419	118	537	\$55,450
Logisticians	166	227	36.75%	169	61	230	\$83,410
Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	***	***	***	***	***	***	N/A
Coaches and Scouts	354	472	33.33%	567	118	685	\$64,120
Physician Assistants	171	228	33.33%	110	57	167	\$120,790
Athletic Trainers	***	***	***	***	***	***	N/A
Nursing Instructors and Teachers, Postsecondary	***	***	***	***	***	***	N/A
Health Specialties Teachers, Postsecondary	***	***	***	***	***	***	N/A
Logging Equipment Operators	162	214	32.1%	282	52	334	\$46,960
Medical and Health Services Managers	445	582	30.79%	389	137	526	\$135,560
Medical Scientists, Except Epidemiologists	***	***	***	***	***	***	N/A
Bartenders	***	***	***	***	***	***	N/A
Speech-Language Pathologists	128	166	29.69%	87	38	125	\$93,030
Physical Therapist Assistants	160	205	28.13%	216	45	261	\$67,750

Note: Asterisks (***) indicate non-disclosable data. Projections and OES wage data are for Piedmont Region (LWDA VI). No data available for Nelson County.

Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Long Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2020-2030 Occupational Employment Statistics (OES) Survey, 2023.

Declining Occupations

	Employment			Openings		
	Estimated 2020	Projected 2030	% Change	Replace-ments	Growth	Total
Floral Designers	152	111	-26.97%	118	-41	77
Nuclear Technicians	***	***	***	***	***	***
Editors	298	246	-17.45%	260	-52	208
Molding, Coremaking, and Casting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	212	176	-16.98%	194	-36	158
Nuclear Engineers	203	170	-16.26%	117	-33	84
Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants	388	325	-16.24%	380	-63	317
Cashiers	4,595	4,062	-11.6%	7,826	-533	7,293
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	322	287	-10.87%	359	-35	324
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Technical and Scientific Products	247	221	-10.53%	227	-26	201
Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks	156	143	-8.33%	153	-13	140
Telemarketers	***	***	***	***	***	***
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	1,845	1,702	-7.75%	1,856	-143	1,713
Sawing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Wood	239	222	-7.11%	257	-17	240
Sales and Related Workers, All Other	***	***	***	***	***	***
Couriers and Messengers	162	151	-6.79%	149	-11	138
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	2,249	2,098	-6.71%	2,320	-151	2,169
First-Line Supervisors of Non-Retail Sales Workers	349	330	-5.44%	300	-19	281
Paralegals and Legal Assistants	432	409	-5.32%	447	-23	424
Tree Trimmers and Pruners	***	***	***	***	***	***
Interviewers, Except Eligibility and Loan	401	380	-5.24%	478	-21	457

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Source: Virginia Works, Economic Information & Analytics, Long Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2020-2030.

Consumer Price Index (CPI)

All Urban Consumers (CPI-U)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Ann.	% chg
2014	233.916	234.781	236.293	237.072	237.900	238.343	238.250	237.852	238.031	237.433	236.151	234.812	236.736	1.6
2015	233.707	234.722	236.119	236.599	237.805	238.638	238.654	238.316	237.945	237.838	237.336	236.525	237.017	0.1
2016	236.916	237.111	238.132	239.261	240.229	241.018	240.628	240.849	241.428	241.729	241.353	241.432	240.007	1.3
2017	242.839	243.603	243.801	244.524	244.733	244.955	244.786	245.519	246.819	246.663	246.669	246.524	245.120	2.1
2018	247.867	248.991	249.554	250.546	251.588	251.989	252.006	252.146	252.439	252.885	252.038	251.233	251.107	2.4
2019	251.712	252.776	254.202	255.548	256.092	256.143	256.571	256.558	256.759	257.346	257.208	256.974	255.657	1.8
2020	257.971	258.678	258.115	256.389	256.394	257.797	259.101	259.918	260.280	260.388	260.229	260.474	258.811	1.2
2021	261.582	263.014	264.877	267.054	269.195	271.696	273.003	273.567	274.310	276.589	277.948	278.802	270.970	4.7
2022	281.148	283.716	287.504	289.109	292.296	296.311	296.276	296.171	296.808	298.012	297.711	296.797	292.655	8.0
2023	299.170	300.840	301.836	303.363	304.127	305.109	305.691	307.026	307.789	307.671	307.051	306.746	304.702	4.1
2024	308.417	310.326	312.332	313.548	314.069	314.175	314.540	314.796	315.301	315.664	315.493	315.605	313.689	2.9

Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Ann.	% chg
2014	230.040	230.871	232.560	233.443	234.216	234.702	234.525	234.030	234.170	233.229	231.551	229.909	232.771	1.5
2015	228.294	229.421	231.055	231.520	232.908	233.804	233.806	233.366	232.661	232.373	231.721	230.791	231.810	-0.4
2016	231.061	230.972	232.209	233.438	234.436	235.289	234.771	234.904	235.495	235.732	235.215	235.390	234.076	1.0
2017	236.854	237.477	237.656	238.432	238.609	238.813	238.617	239.448	240.939	240.573	240.666	240.526	239.051	2.1
2018	241.919	242.988	243.463	244.607	245.770	246.196	246.155	246.336	246.565	247.038	245.933	244.786	245.146	2.5
2019	245.133	246.218	247.768	249.332	249.871	249.747	250.236	250.112	250.251	250.894	250.644	250.452	249.222	1.7
2020	251.361	251.935	251.375	249.515	249.521	251.054	252.636	253.597	254.004	254.076	253.826	254.081	252.248	1.2
2021	255.296	256.843	258.935	261.237	263.612	266.412	267.789	268.387	269.086	271.552	273.042	273.925	265.510	5.3
2022	276.296	278.943	283.176	284.575	288.022	292.542	292.219	291.629	291.854	293.003	292.495	291.051	287.984	8.5
2023	293.565	295.057	296.021	297.730	298.382	299.394	299.899	301.551	302.257	302.071	301.224	300.728	298.990	3.8
2024	302.201	304.284	306.502	307.811	308.163	308.054	308.501	308.640	309.046	309.358	308.998	309.067	307.552	2.9

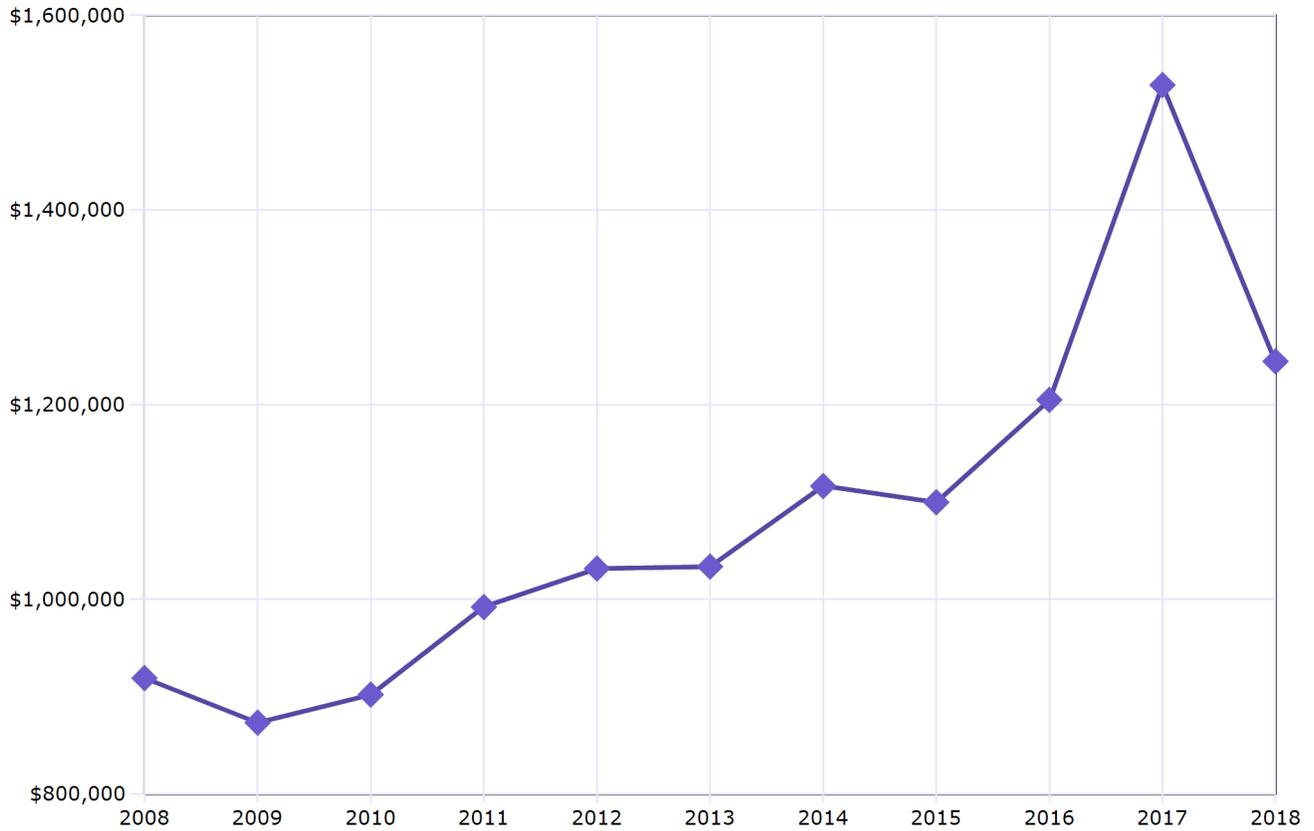
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The CPI-U includes expenditures by urban wage earners and clerical workers, professional, managerial, and technical workers, the self-employed, short-term workers, the unemployed, retirees and others not in the labor force. The CPI-W only includes expenditures by those in hourly wage earning or clerical jobs.

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Consumer Price Indexes (CPI) Program.

Local Option Sales Tax

Trends



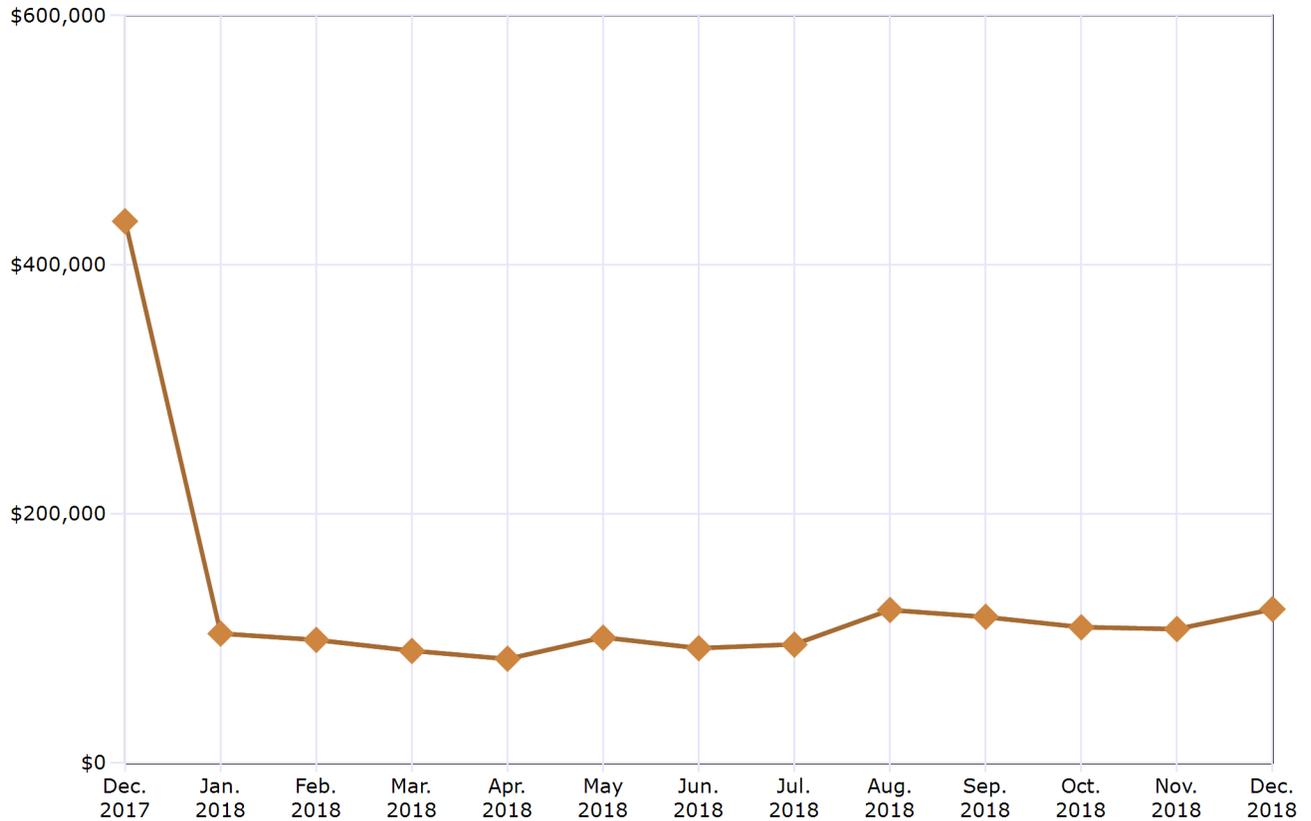
	Nelson County	Virginia
2008	\$919,225	\$1,032,815,078
2009	\$873,463	\$979,594,664
2010	\$902,300	\$992,820,512
2011	\$992,254	\$1,035,981,229
2012	\$1,031,772	\$1,080,663,042
2013	\$1,033,831	\$1,093,292,668
2014	\$1,116,535	\$1,131,194,860
2015	\$1,099,857	\$1,179,611,271
2016	\$1,205,090	\$1,202,257,995
2017	\$1,528,594	\$1,232,981,515
2018	\$1,244,621	\$1,282,022,261

Note: This data is based on Virginia sales tax revenues deposited, rather than the actual taxable sales figures as reported on a dealer's return.

Source: Virginia Department of Taxation, Revenue Forecasting.

Local Option Sales Tax

Past 12 Months



	Nelson County	Virginia
Dec. 2017	\$434,889	\$123,193,863
Jan. 2018	\$103,879	\$90,794,207
Feb. 2018	\$98,831	\$90,576,093
Mar. 2018	\$89,992	\$107,834,402
Apr. 2018	\$83,738	\$102,372,977
May 2018	\$100,629	\$110,211,496
Jun. 2018	\$92,160	\$112,529,037
Jul. 2018	\$95,002	\$107,211,401
Aug. 2018	\$122,849	\$109,428,585
Sep. 2018	\$117,425	\$105,468,340
Oct. 2018	\$108,976	\$107,742,243
Nov. 2018	\$107,573	\$112,348,128
Dec. 2018	\$123,567	\$125,505,352

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IV. Education Profile

Overview

The Education Profile for Nelson County provides an assortment of data collected from the United States Census Bureau and the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES).



Related Terms and Definitions

Associate's degree

An award that normally requires at least two but less than four years of full-time equivalent college work.

Bachelor's degree

An award that normally requires at least four but not more than five years of full-time equivalent college-level work.

Post-baccalaureate certificate

An award that requires completion of an organized program of study equivalent to 18 semester credit hours beyond the bachelor's. It is designed for persons who have completed a bachelor's degree, but do not meet the requirements of a master's degree.

Master's degree

An award that requires the successful completion of a program of study of at least the full-time equivalent of one but not more than two academic years of work beyond the bachelor's degree.

Post-master's certificate

An award that requires completion of an organized program of study equivalent to 24 semester credit hours beyond the master's degree, but does not meet the requirements of academic degrees at the doctor's level.

Doctor's degree

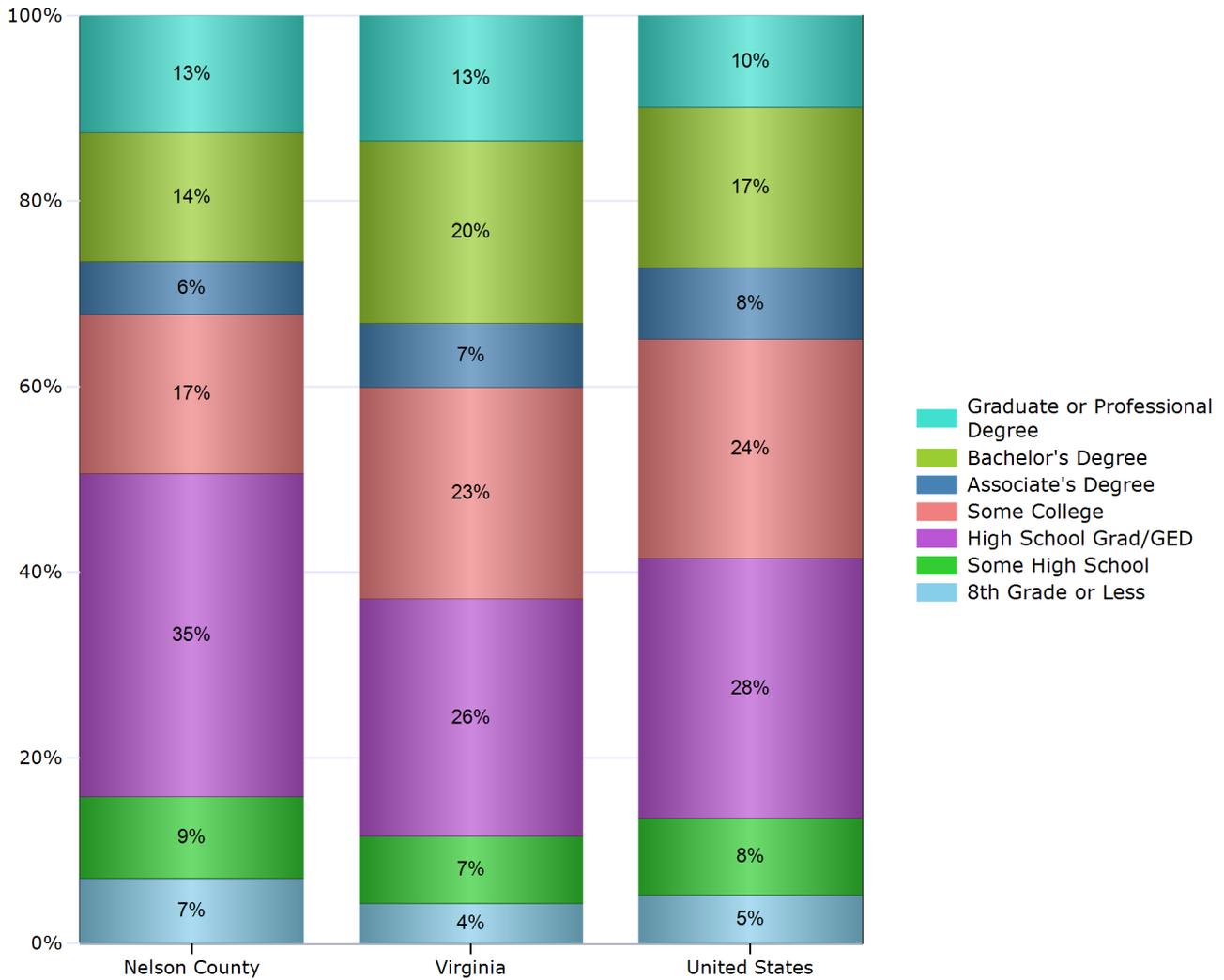
The highest award a student can earn for graduate study.

First-professional degree

An award that requires completion of a program that meets all of the following criteria: (1) completion of the academic requirements to begin practice in the profession; (2) at least two years of college work prior to entering the program; and (3) a total of at least six academic years of college work to complete the degree program, including prior required college work plus the length of the professional program itself.

Educational Attainment

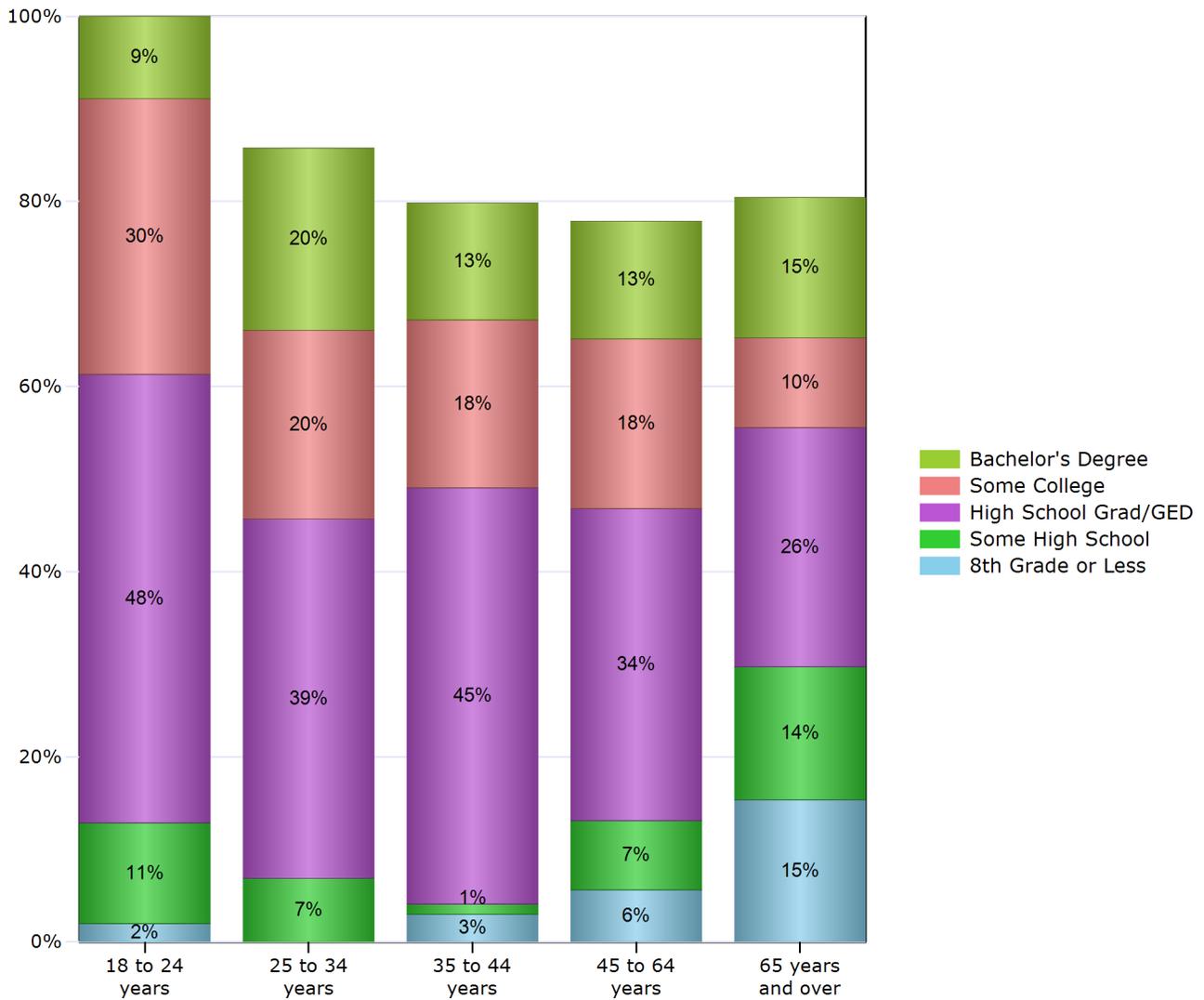
(Population 18 years and over)



	Nelson County	Virginia	United States
8th Grade or Less	834	275,329	12,639,425
Some High School	1,046	464,075	20,093,117
High School Grad/GED	4,145	1,633,105	68,044,371
Some College	2,037	1,457,887	57,431,237
Associate's Degree	680	440,219	18,586,866
Bachelor's Degree	1,654	1,258,661	42,027,629
Graduate or Professional Degree	1,501	862,686	24,008,551
	11,897	6,391,962	242,831,196

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2011-2015.

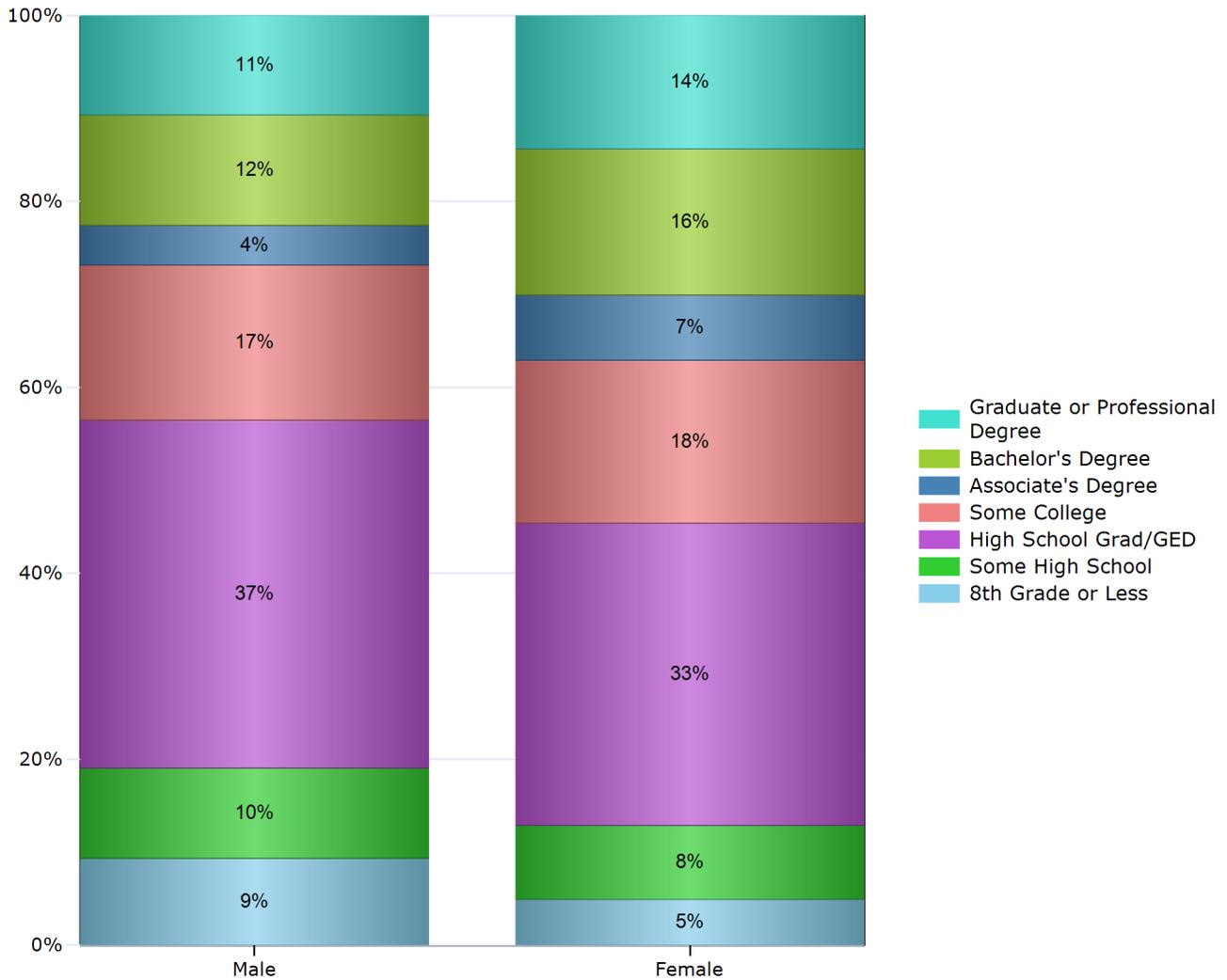
Educational Attainment by Age



	18 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 64	65+	Total
8th Grade or Less	20		46	258	510	834
Some High School	110	98	17	344	477	1,046
High School Grad/GED	490	554	694	1,548	859	4,145
Some College	301	291	280	843	322	2,037
Associate's Degree		75	144	344	117	680
Bachelor's Degree	90	281	195	584	504	1,654
Graduate or Professional Degree		128	167	673	533	1,501
	1,011	1,427	1,543	4,594	3,322	11,897

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2011-2015.

Educational Attainment by Gender (Population 18 years and over)

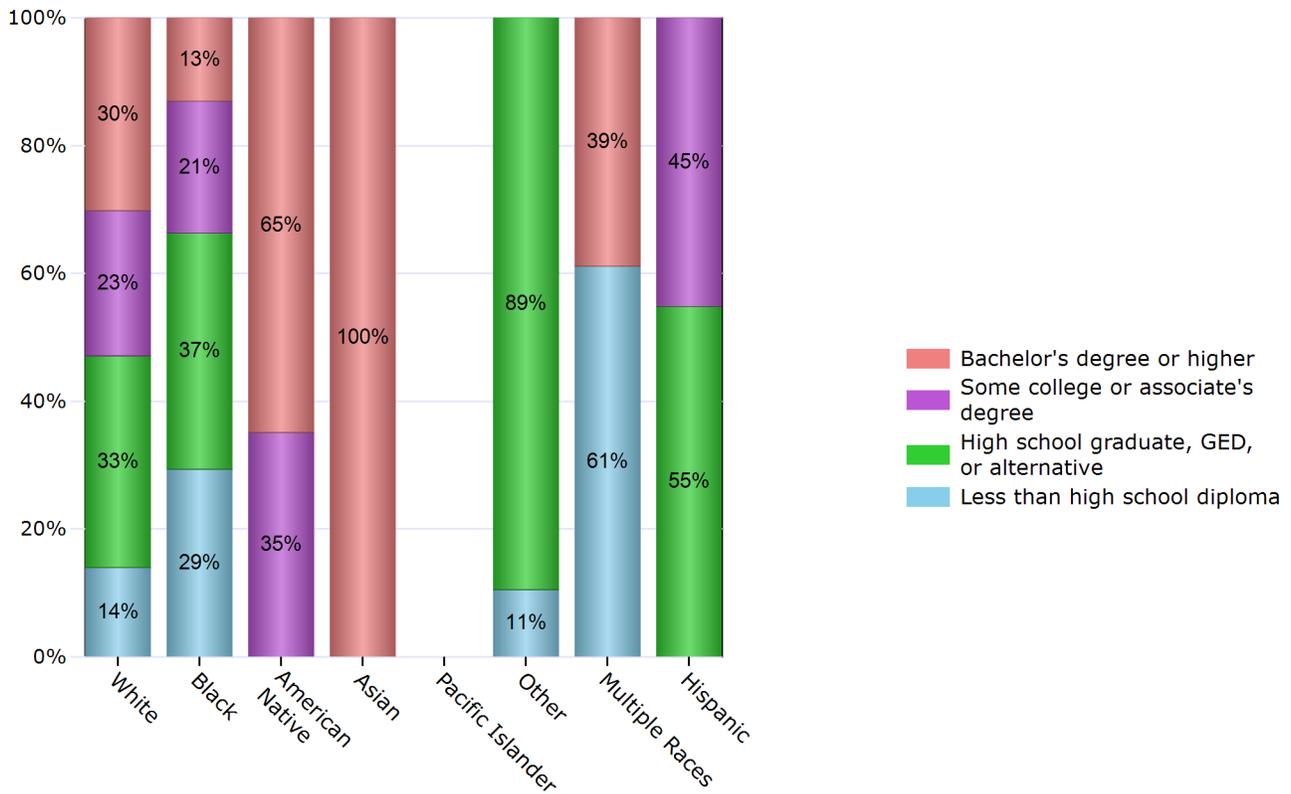


	Male	Female	Total
8th Grade or Less	526	308	834
Some High School	546	500	1,046
High School Grad/GED	2,106	2,039	4,145
Some College	939	1,098	2,037
Associate's Degree	240	440	680
Bachelor's Degree	669	985	1,654
Graduate or Professional Degree	601	900	1,501
	5,627	6,270	11,897

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2011-2015.

Educational Attainment by Race/Ethnicity

(Population 25 years and over)



	Less than high school diploma	High school grad, GED, or alternative	Some college or associate's degree	Bachelor's degree or higher	Total
Race					
White	1,304	3,092	2,117	2,816	9,329
Black or African American	407	512	286	181	1,386
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	13	24	37
Asian	0	0	0	23	23
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0
Other	6	51	0	0	57
Multiple Races	33	0	0	21	54
Ethnicity					
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	0	51	42	0	93
	1,750	3,706	2,458	3,065	10,979

Source: U.S. Census Bureau
American Community Survey, 2011-2015.

Graduate Data Trends

Nelson County

	Cert. <1 yr.	Cert. 1-2 yrs.	Assoc.	Cert. 2-4 yrs.	BA	Cert. Post-BA	MA	Cert. Post-MA	Ph.D.	1st Prof.
2006										
2007										
2008										
2009										
2010										
2011										
2012										
2013										
2016										

Note: This table only reflects degrees completed from institutions within Nelson County

Virginia Statewide

	Cert. <1 yr.	Cert. 1-2 yrs.	Assoc.	Cert. 2-4 yrs.	BA	Cert. Post-BA	MA	Cert. Post-MA	Ph.D.	1st Prof.
2006	4,213	4,298	14,431	102	39,247	608	12,429	225	1,440	2,490
2007	4,478	3,686	15,519	116	40,381	650	12,781	252	1,516	2,626
2008	5,197	3,813	16,207	134	39,160	725	13,802	334	1,080	2,168
2009	6,259	4,587	17,179	85	40,233	756	15,445	300	925	2,064
2010	7,648	8,158	21,014	374	45,361	915	18,889	601	2,100	2,598
2011	6,972	12,557	24,306	473	49,109	1,055	20,697	727	2,329	2,658
2012	8,825	12,801	26,199	620	53,051	1,215	21,516	686	2,095	3,298
2013	8,153	12,179	25,854	484	54,778	1,067	22,782	706	2,230	2,963
2016	8,643	11,912	25,125	608	61,852	2,032	24,717	640	2,328	2,931

*Source: U.S. Department of Education,
Institute of Education Sciences (IES).*

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1827 University Avenue
Charlottesville, VA 22903

Phone: (434) 924-0311

<http://www.virginia.edu/>

Number of 2016 graduates: 7,638

Germanna Community College

2130 Germanna Hwy
Locust Grove, VA 22508

Phone: (540) 423-9030

<http://www.germanna.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 1,833

Piedmont Virginia Community College

501 College Drive
Charlottesville, VA 22902

Phone: (434) 977-3900

<http://www.pvcc.edu>

Number of 2016 graduates: 1,245

Virginia School of Massage

153 Zan Road
Charlottesville, VA 22901

Phone: (434) 293-4031

<http://www.steinered.com/>

Number of 2016 graduates: 55

*Source: U.S. Department of Education,
Institute of Education Sciences (IES), 2016.*