

Law, Public Safety & Security

Careers related to legal, protective services and homeland security, including professional and technical support.

Job Title & Description	Entry Wage	Med. Wage	Exp. Wage	Holland Code	Education Required	Available Local Education	
Detective & Criminal Investigators These plainclothes investigators collect facts and evidence for criminal cases.	\$41,480	\$56,910	\$75,230	CRISE	Some College	Barton Benedictine Butler Central Colby Cowley DCCC Donnelly ESU FHSU	GCCC JCCC KSU Labette NKTC PSU SCCC Washburn WSU WSU Tech
Emergency Management Directors Plan and direct disaster response or crisis management activities, provide disaster preparedness training and prepare emergency plans and procedures for natural, wartime or technological disasters or hostage situations.	\$35,540	\$51,860	\$64,900	CRISE	Bachelor's	Central Colby Cowley Donnelly FHSU GCCC	Hesston Hutch JCCC KWU PSU WSU Tech
Firefighters Control and extinguish fire or respond to emergency situations where life, property or the environment is at risk.	\$22,140	\$34,950	\$44,460	RSE	Certificate	Butler Coffeyville Donnelly FHSU GCCC Hutch	JCCC KCKCC Labette PSU WSU Tech
First-Line Supervisors of Firefighting & Prevention Workers Supervise firefighters who control and extinguish municipal fires, protect life and property and conduct rescue efforts.	\$36,590	\$56,110	\$70,680	CRISE	Certificate	Butler Coffeyville Donnelly FHSU GCCC	Hutch JCCC KCKCC Labette
First-Line Supervisors of Police & Detectives Supervise and coordinate activities of members of the police force.	\$48,310	\$70,300	\$84,090	CRSE	Some College	Barton Central Colby Cowley Donnelly FHSU	GCCC JCCC KCKCC Labette PSU SATC
Forensic Science Technicians Collect, identify, classify and analyze physical evidence related to criminal investigations. May testify as expert witnesses on evidence or crime laboratory techniques.	\$32,060	\$49,040	\$59,660	CRI	Bachelor's	Barton Cowley Donnelly ESU FHSU GCCC	JCCC K-State NKTC PSU Washburn WSU
Judges, Magistrate Judges & Magistrates Arbitrate, advise, adjudicate or administer justice in a court of law.	\$35,720	\$125,840	\$140,740	CISE	Doctorate / Prof	Barton Central Cowley Donnelly	ESU GCCC PSU Washburn
Lawyers Draw up wills, contracts and other legal documents, offer legal advice and opinions and prosecute or defend people in courts.	\$49,400	\$86,190	\$140,740	CIASE	Doctorate / Prof	Barton Central Colby Cowley Donnelly ESU	GCCC KU KWU PSU Sterling Washburn
Paralegals & Legal Assistants Assist lawyer by researching legal precedent, investigating facts or preparing legal documents. Conduct research to support a legal proceeding to formulate a defense or to initiate legal action.	\$27,840	\$40,110	\$52,770	CIE	Associate's	Barton Central Cowley Donnelly ESU GCCC	Hutch JCCC KCKCC KWU PSU Washburn
Police, Fire & Ambulance Dispatchers Operate radio, telephone or computer equipment at emergency response centers. Receive reports from the public of crimes, disturbances, fires and medical or police emergencies. Relay information to law enforcement and emergency response personnel.	\$25,960	\$35,860	\$47,490	CRISE	Some College	Butler Central Donnelly FHTC	FHSU Labette PSU

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Police & Sheriff's Patrol Officers Prevent crime and apprehend law breakers.	\$38,620	\$58,770	\$75,350	CRSE	Some College	Barton Butler Central Colby Cowley DCCC Donnelly FHSU Fort Scott GCCC	Hutch JCCC KCKCC KWU Labette PSU SATC Washburn WSU Tech
Security Guards Guard, patrol or monitor premises to prevent theft, violence or infractions of rules.	\$19,500	\$27,280	\$33,960	CRSE	H.S. Diploma	Central Colby Donnelly ESU FHSU	JCCC Labette PSU Washburn WSU Tech

Manufacturing

Careers related to the processing of materials into intermediate or final products and related professional and technical support activities (such as maintenance and repair).

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Buyers & Purchasing Agents Make sure the goods and services purchased by the company are suitable and sufficient.	\$38,620	\$58,770	\$75,350	CRSE	Some College	Central FHSU KWU NCCC	Pratt PSU K-State
Chemical Engineers Design chemical plant equipment and devise processes for manufacturing chemicals and product, such as gasoline, synthetic rubber, plastics, detergents, cement, paper and pulp.	\$56,370	\$77,240	\$100,300	CRIE	Bachelor's	Benedictine Central ESU K-State	KU KWU PSU SCCC
Chemical Equipment Operators & Tenders Operate or tend equipment to control chemical changes or reactions in the processing of industrial or consumer products.	\$31,400	\$46,940	\$58,200	CR	Some College	Central PSU	
Civil Engineering Technicians Apply theory and principles of civil engineering in planning, designing and overseeing construction and maintenance of structures and facilities under the direction of engineering staff.	\$31,660	\$43,300	\$52,710	CRIA	Associate's	Benedictine Butler FHSU Hutch NKTC	PSU SCCC Washburn WSU
Computer Numerically Controlled Tool Operators Operate computer-controlled machines or robots to perform one or more machine functions on metal or plastic pieces.	\$31,300	\$41,500	\$69,950	CRI	Certificate	Central PSU SCCC WSU Tech	
Electrical & Electronic Engineering Technicians Apply electrical theory and related knowledge to test and modify developmental or operational electrical machinery and electrical control equipment and circuitry in industrial or commercial plants.	\$42,680	\$60,950	\$69,950	CRIE	Associate's	Benedictine Butler Coffeyville FHTC K-State	PSU SATC WSU WSU Tech
Electrical & Electronics Repairers, Commercial and Industrial Equipment Repair, test, adjust, install and assemble electronic equipment, such as industrial controls, transmitters and antennas.	\$42,110	\$60,670	\$71,350	CRIE	Certificate	Benedictine Butler Coffeyville	FHSU PSU WSU Tech
First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers Supervise and coordinate the activities of mechanics, installers and repairers.	\$41,630	\$60,950	\$76,150	CRSE	Certificate	Central PSU WSU Tech	