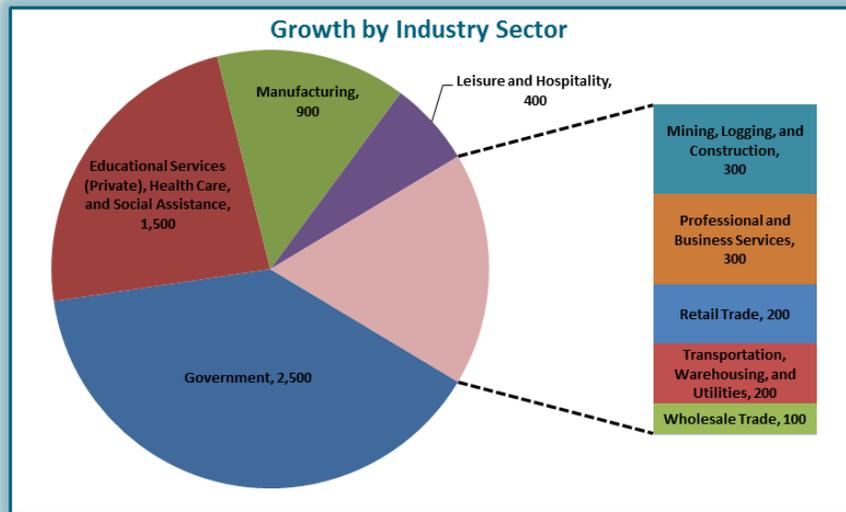


Industry Employment, which includes self-employment, private household workers, farm, and nonfarm employment in Kings County, is expected to reach 54,800 by 2024, an increase of 15.1 percent over the 10-year projection period. Nine of the 12 nonfarm industry sectors are projected to grow between 2014 and 2024.



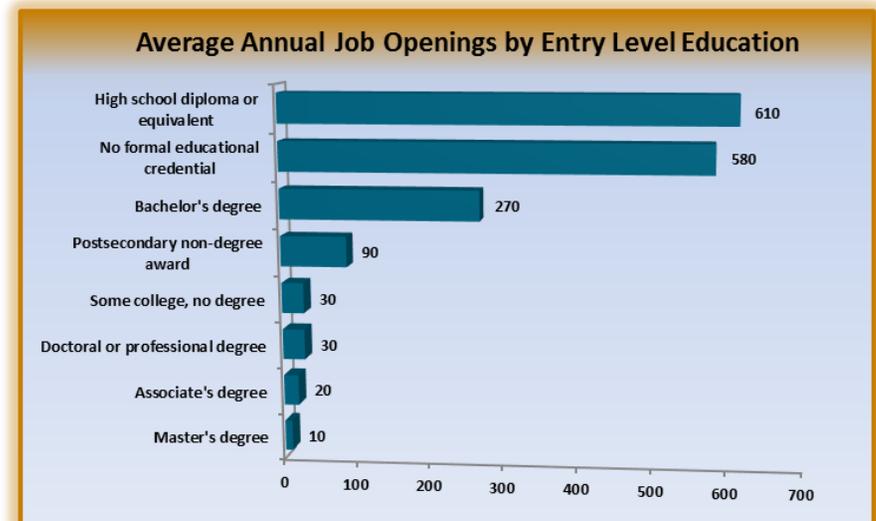
Total nonfarm employment is projected to grow by 6,500 jobs by 2024. Nearly 76 percent of all projected nonfarm job growth is concentrated in three industry sectors.

- Government is the area's largest industry sector, accounting for 38 percent of nonfarm employment in 2014. This sector is expected to add 2,500 jobs, the greatest growth of any industry sector.
- Educational services (private), health care, and social assistance is projected to add 1,500 jobs. This sector is also expected to be the second fastest growing sector (25.0 percent).
- Manufacturing is projected to add 900 jobs at an annual growth rate of nearly 2.0 percent.

Occupational Employment forecasts almost 7,700 new jobs from industry growth and 11,500 job openings from replacement needs for a combined total of 19,200 job openings.

The 50 occupations with the most job openings are expected to generate 12,200 total job openings by 2024, about 64 percent of all job openings. The top three occupations on this list are correctional officers and jailers; personal care aides; and farmworkers and laborers, crop, nursery, and greenhouse. Two of the top three occupations earn median hourly wages near \$9.50, and require no formal educational credential. Higher-skilled occupations, requiring a bachelor's degree or higher, include registered nurses; elementary school teachers, except special education; and substitute teachers.

The 48 fastest growing occupations have projected growth rates of 15.4 percent or higher. Occupations requiring no formal educational credential include personal care aides; counter attendants, cafeteria, food concession, and coffee shop; and combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food. Each earn about \$9.50 per hour. The occupation with the highest median hourly wage is clinical, counseling, and school psychologists, requiring a doctoral or professional degree and earn nearly \$56 per hour.



The following table, categorized by entry-level education, provides a summary of the fastest- and largest-growing occupations.

2014-2024 Comparison of Growing Occupations by Entry Level Education Kings County

Fastest Growing (New Jobs from Industry Growth)	Entry Level Education	Largest Growing (New Jobs and Replacement Needs)
Clinical, Counseling, and School Psychologists (41.2% or 70 jobs) Dentists, General (11.1% or 10 jobs) Pharmacists (11.1% or 10 jobs) Family and General Practitioners (11.1% or 10 jobs)	Doctoral or Professional Degree	Clinical, Counseling, and School Psychologists (100 jobs) Dentists, General (30 jobs) Pharmacists (30 jobs) Family and General Practitioners (30 jobs)
Education Administrators, Elementary and Secondary Schools (10.0% or 10 jobs)	Master's Degree	Education Administrators, Elementary and Secondary Schools (40 jobs)
Probation Officers and Correctional Treatment Specialists (30.4% or 70 jobs) Adult Basic and Secondary Education and Literacy Teachers and Instructors (30.0% or 30 jobs) Accountants and Auditors (27.6% or 80 jobs) Registered Nurses (25.9% or 280 jobs) Mental Health and Substance Abuse Social Workers (25.0% or 30 jobs)	Bachelor's Degree	Registered Nurses (530 jobs) Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education (270 jobs) Substitute Teachers (260 jobs) Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education (200 jobs) General and Operations Managers (170 jobs)
Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education (28.6% or 40 jobs) Agricultural and Food Science Technicians (21.4% or 30 jobs)	Associate's Degree	Agricultural and Food Science Technicians (80 jobs) Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education (80 jobs)
Psychiatric Technicians (44.4% or 40 jobs) Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses (25.8% or 80 jobs) Nursing Assistants (16.0% or 40 jobs) Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers (14.9% or 110 jobs) Dental Assistants (12.5% or 20 jobs)	Postsecondary Non-degree Award	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers (230 jobs) Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses (170 jobs) Nursing Assistants (100 jobs) Dental Assistants (60 jobs) Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics (50 jobs)
Teacher Assistants (15.6% or 100 jobs)	Some College, No Degree	Teacher Assistants (250 jobs) Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks (40 jobs)
Electricians (50.0% or 70 jobs) Industrial Machinery Mechanics (40.0% or 100 jobs) Insurance Sales Agents (37.5% or 30 jobs) First-Line Supervisors of Correctional Officers (34.2% or 130 jobs) Correctional Officers and Jailers (34.0% or 840 jobs)	High School Diploma or Equivalent	Correctional Officers and Jailers (1,520 jobs) Farmers, Ranchers, and Other Agricultural Managers (390 jobs) Office Clerks, General (290 jobs) First-Line Supervisors of Correctional Officers (240 jobs) First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers (190 jobs)
Personal Care Aides (41.1% or 600 jobs) Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners (28.6% or 40 jobs) Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers (23.8% or 100 jobs) Construction Laborers (23.1% or 30 jobs) Counter Attendants, Cafeteria, Food Concession, and Coffee Shop (22.2% or 20 jobs)	No Formal Educational Credential	Personal Care Aides (720 jobs) Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Greenhouse (690 jobs) Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food (640 jobs) Cashiers (530 jobs) Retail Salespersons (490 jobs)

Excludes "All-Other" occupations and those with employment less than 80 in 2014.

Source: California Employment Development Department