

**Outlook for Occupations in Nebraska That Potentially Match Iowa Western's Career Programs
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AGRICULTURE						
Agribusiness Technology AAS	Farm, Ranch, & Other Agricultural Managers	\$36,200	\$52,500	\$106,700	N/A	N/A
Agribusiness Technology AAS	Agricultural & Food Science Technicians	\$22,100	\$32,200	\$50,300	N/A	N/A
Turf & Landscape Management AAS	Landscaping & Groundskeeping Workers	\$15,900	\$22,500	\$33,200	7%	150
Turf & Landscape Management AAS	Pesticide Handlers, Sprayers, & Applicators	\$18,400	\$25,600	\$37,300	3%	N/A
Turf & Landscape Management AAS	Supervisors - Landscaping, Lawn, Grounds	\$25,400	\$40,900	\$62,300	11%	20
Veterinary Technology AAS	Veterinary Technologists & Technicians	\$18,900	\$25,500	\$35,000	42%	30
BUSINESS, MANAGEMENT & MARKETING						
Accounting Technician DIP	Bookkeeping, Accounting, Auditing Clerks	\$18,000	\$28,500	\$40,400	17%	670
Para-Accounting AAS	Bookkeeping, Accounting, Auditing Clerks	\$18,000	\$28,500	\$40,400	17%	670
Culinary Arts DIP	Bakers	\$16,300	\$22,000	\$32,200	12%	30
Culinary Arts, Restaurant & Hospitality Mgmt AAS	Chefs & Head Cooks	\$19,000	\$30,800	\$50,600	16%	20
Culinary Arts, Restaurant & Hospitality Mgmt AAS	Food Service Managers	\$31,600	\$44,300	\$70,000	13%	60
Culinary Arts, Restaurant & Hospitality Mgmt AAS	Lodging Managers	\$27,900	\$37,600	\$63,700	11%	10
Management & Human Resources AAS	Human Resources Assistants	\$21,500	\$31,200	\$47,100	20%	30
Marketing: Fashion Marketing Option AAS	Sales and Related Workers	\$20,300	\$31,800	\$55,900	15%	20
Marketing: Fashion Marketing Option AAS	Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	\$21,800	\$33,400	\$60,800	9%	290
Marketing: Lodging & Hospitality Mgmt Option AAS	Lodging Managers	\$27,900	\$37,600	\$63,700	11%	10
Marketing: Marketing / Sales Option AAS	Sales and Related Workers	\$20,300	\$31,800	\$55,900	15%	20
Office Information Systems Technology DIP	Secretaries, Except Legal & Medical	\$17,100	\$25,100	\$36,700	2%	240
COMMUNICATION ARTS						
Applied Elect Media: Graphic Communication AAS	Desktop Publishers	\$15,500	\$25,800	\$44,700	9%	N/A
Appl Elect Media: Radio Broadcast Perf & Prod AAS	Broadcast Technicians	\$16,600	\$35,500	\$59,100	18%	20
Appl Elect Media: Radio Broadcast Perf & Prod AAS	Radio & Television Announcers	\$13,500	\$21,500	\$52,100	-6%	30
Appl Elect Media: Radio Broadcast Prom, Sales, Web AAS	Advertising Sales Agents	\$14,600	\$31,100	\$70,200	25%	50
Appl Elect Media: Radio Broadcast Prom, Sales, Web AAS	Sales and Related Workers	\$20,300	\$31,800	\$55,900	15%	20
Applied Elect Media: Media Production AAS	Broadcast Technicians	\$16,600	\$35,500	\$59,100	18%	20
Applied Elect Media: Media Production AAS	Camera Operators, TV, Video, Motion Picture	\$18,000	\$31,700	\$51,100	N/A	N/A
Applied Elec Media: Sports Media Technology AAS	Broadcast Technicians	\$16,600	\$35,500	\$59,100	18%	20
Applied Elec Media: Sports Media Technology AAS	Radio & Television Announcers	\$13,500	\$21,500	\$52,100	-6%	30
Sign Language Interpreting AAS	Interpreters & Translators	\$23,500	\$38,200	\$54,100	29%	20
COMPUTER INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY						
Network Support & Administration AAS	Network & Computer Systems Administrators	\$36,500	\$59,700	\$86,900	32%	100
Application & Web Programming AAS	Computer Programmers	\$34,500	\$57,900	\$96,100	N/A	70

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ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY						
Residential Construcion Technology DIP	Carpenters	\$21,800	\$30,800	\$49,300	17%	330
Construction Technology AAS	Carpenters	\$21,800	\$30,800	\$49,300	17%	330
Electrical Maintenance Specialist DIP	Electrical, Electronics Repair Comm Ind Equip	\$23,500	\$42,100	\$57,900	18%	20
Electronic Engineering Technology AAS	Electrical & Electronic Engineering Techs	\$29,500	\$47,500	\$64,900	6%	10
HEALTH OCCUPATIONS & MEDICINE						
Dental Assistant DIP	Dental Assistants	\$21,700	\$29,100	\$37,900	51%	120
Dental Hygiene AAS	Dental Hygienists	\$47,200	\$62,600	\$81,400	51%	60
Practical Nursing DIP	Licensed Practical & Licensed Voc Nurses	\$27,500	\$35,200	\$43,800	22%	290
Associate Degree Nursing AAS	Registered Nurses	\$38,200	\$51,500	\$73,600	34%	1,030
Medical Assistant DIP	Medical Assistants	\$20,900	\$26,500	\$36,300	51%	200
Medical Transcription DIP	Medical Transcriptionists	\$21,300	\$29,000	\$38,300	24%	30
Emergency Medical Services DIP	Emergency Medical Techs & Paramedics	\$18,800	\$25,500	\$38,100	31%	30
Paramedic Specialist AAS	Emergency Medical Techs & Paramedics	\$18,800	\$25,500	\$38,100	31%	30
Surgical Technology DIP, AAS	Surgical Technologists	\$27,500	\$37,300	\$49,400	33%	40
HUMAN & PUBLIC SERVICES						
Early Childhood Diploma DIP	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Ed	\$15,100	\$21,200	\$38,000	23%	100
Early Childhood Studies AAS	Education Admin, Preschool, Child Care	\$25,800	\$37,100	\$62,700	26%	20
Early Childhood Studies AAS	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Ed	\$15,100	\$21,200	\$38,000	23%	100
TRANSPORTATION TECHNOLOGY						
Automotive Mechanics DIP	Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics	\$20,400	\$32,900	\$52,500	11%	190
Automotive Technology AAS	Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics	\$20,400	\$32,900	\$52,500	11%	190
Aviation Maintenance Technology AAS	Aircraft Mechanics & Service Technicians	\$30,600	\$43,400	\$57,500	28%	20
Diesel Mechanics DIP	Bus & Truck Mechanics; Diesel Specialists	\$23,600	\$36,400	\$57,400	11%	100
Diesel Technology AAS	Bus & Truck Mechanics; Diesel Specialists	\$23,600	\$36,400	\$57,400	11%	100

Outlook Ratings - Occupational Outlook Handbook <http://www.bls.gov/oco/>

Grow much faster than average, increase 21%+

Grow faster than average, increase 14-20%

Grow about as fast as average, increase 7-13%

Grow more slowly than average, increase 3-6%

Little or no change, decrease 2%-increase 2%

Decline slowly or moderately, decrease 3-9%

Decline rapidly, decrease 10%+

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