Data Resources on Education, Workforce, and More

Occupation and Industry Information
- **Colorado LMI Gateway**: Search occupation projections and more statewide or by region.
- **Occupational Outlook Handbook**: Search profiles of occupations, learning about earnings, typical education required, projections, etc.
- **Projections Central**: Quick way to compare across states job projections, growth rates, and avg. openings.
- **ONET Online**: Extensive information on skills and certificates, degrees, and/or industry certifications for every occupation.
- **A/D Works!** has a robust series of industry/occupation analysis for the Denver metro region.
- **Careers in Colorado**: Lots of resources on career pathways for high demand jobs, required education, typical earnings, etc.
- **High wage high demand jobs by CTE career cluster**: Interactive table by CNA, a nonprofit research and analysis organization.

Earnings Outcomes by Community College and Four-Year Programs
- Easy to navigate, interactive table on median earnings 1, 5, and 10 years following community college or university program completion:
- Student/family resource with additional information on earnings meeting one’s lifestyle goals.

Demographics
- Search **U.S. Census Bureau data** by state, county or metro area. Great data on a community’s characteristics—education levels, age, earnings, degree major, and more.
  - Census Explorer
  - Young adults then and now
- **State Demography Office**: Our state has an excellent demography office, with many searchable online resources including community profiles, migration data, infographics, and maps.

Local Workforce Centers
- Your local workforce center has subscription tools and can retrieve and/or analyze data for you. Tools include Emsi (labor market projections/education/demographic data for your region, list of businesses by industry, etc.) and Wanted Analytics (consolidated job posting data with information on in-demand skills by occupation)

Interesting Research
- **Colorado Talent Pipeline Report**: Provides overview of talent issues in the state. Plus analysis statewide and by region of jobs that show high growth/high openings and provide a living wage.
- **PDK**: Find out more about the public opinion of K-12 education—such as, 82% of Americans support job or career-oriented classes even if it means less time in “academic” classes.
- **Higher Education Research Institute**: Over 50 years of annual surveys of college freshmen. Great insight into current and historic student perspectives.
- **Pew Research**: Cross-cutting analysis of major social issues.
- **Georgetown Center on Education and the Workforce**: Accessible analysis of education and labor issues, such as the report “Good jobs that pay without a BA.”
- **Gallup**: Taking public opinion on education to inform change.
- **CTE State Profiles**: [CTE state profiles by ACTE](https://www.acte.org) and [Perkins Collaborative Resource Network](https://www.perkinscollaborative.org)