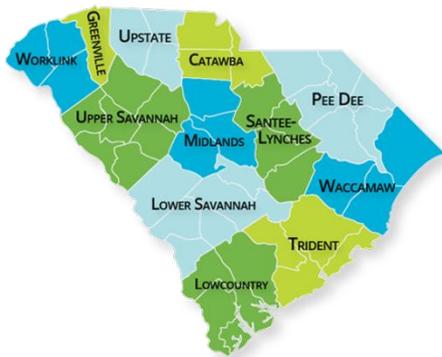


Hot Jobs – Trident

S.C. Department of Employment and Workforce

“We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence then, is not an act, but a habit.” – Aristotle

The Trident Workforce Development Area is consisted of three counties: Berkley, Charleston, and Dorchester.



A Growing Workforce

The Trident Local Workforce Development Area (LWDA) is expected to add more than 52,000 jobs between 2018-2028, according to employment projections by the South Carolina Department of Employment and Workforce. That is a projected rate of 13.91 percent over the 10-year period.

Based on the results of this forecast, “Hot Jobs” have been identified as in-demand jobs for this time period by demonstrating above average LWDA growth, above average state wages, and greater than 50 annual position openings. This list is useful to educators, career counselors, students and others making career plans.

Jobs requiring No Formal Education/High School Diploma or Equivalent		
Occupation	2020 Avg. Wage per Hr.	Growth %
Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks	\$23.93	29.88
Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	\$22.67	24.63
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	\$32.61	23.43
Industrial Machinery Mechanics	\$26.29	22.81

Jobs requiring a Postsecondary Non-Degree Award/Associate’s Degree		
Occupation	2020 Avg. Wage per Hr.	Growth %
Web Developers	\$36.32	30.97
Paralegals and Legal Assistants	\$22.45	29.14
Computer User Support Specialists	\$25.00	25.85
Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers	\$22.63	22.77

Jobs requiring a Bachelor’s Degree, Master’s Degree and/or a Doctorate		
Occupation	2020 Avg. Wage per Hr.	Growth%
Software Developers, Applications	\$43.72	52.01
Industrial Engineers	\$43.10	45.25
Editors	\$25.44	41.62
Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	\$29.77	36.73

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