

High Demand Occupations in Law, Public Safety, and Security

Kansas 2019

SOC Code	Occupation Title	JVS ¹	ST ²	LT ³	Total Score	Rank	Education	Work Experience	Job Training	Median Annual Wage ⁴	High Demand High Wage	Career Cluster	Career Pathway	Projected Average Annual Job Openings U.S.
33-9032	Security guards	7	8	8	23	46	High school diploma or equivalent	None	Short-term on-the-job training	\$27,560		Law, Public Safety & Security	Corrections, Security, Law & Law Enforcement Services	153,800
33-3051	Police and sheriff's patrol officers	5	6	6	17	100	High school diploma or equivalent	None	Moderate-term on-the-job training	\$46,170	✓	Law, Public Safety & Security	Corrections, Security, Law & Law Enforcement Services	52,900
33-9092	Lifeguards, ski patrol, and other recreational protective service workers	3	7	7	17	106	No formal educational credential	None	Short-term on-the-job training	\$19,050		Law, Public Safety & Security	Corrections, Security, Law & Law Enforcement Services	39,000
23-1011	Lawyers	5	5	5	15	112	Doctoral or professional degree	None	None	\$82,990	✓	Law, Public Safety & Security	Corrections, Security, Law & Law Enforcement Services	45,700
23-2011	Paralegals and legal assistants	5	5	5	15	116	Associate's degree	None	None	\$39,210		Law, Public Safety & Security	Corrections, Security, Law & Law Enforcement Services	40,400
33-3012	Correctional officers and jailers	5	5	5	15	117	High school diploma or equivalent	None	Moderate-term on-the-job training	\$34,440		Law, Public Safety & Security	Corrections, Security, Law & Law Enforcement Services	33,800
29-2041	Emergency medical technicians and paramedics	3	4	4	11	169	Postsecondary nondegree award	None	None	\$28,840		Law, Public Safety & Security	Emergency & Fire Management Services	19,900
43-6012	Legal secretaries	4	3	3	10	186	High school diploma or equivalent	None	Moderate-term on-the-job training	\$37,320		Law, Public Safety & Security	Corrections, Security, Law & Law Enforcement Services	14,300
33-2011	Firefighters	0	5	5	10	187	Postsecondary nondegree award	None	Long-term on-the-job training	\$36,150		Law, Public Safety & Security	Emergency & Fire Management Services	25,000
33-9099	Protective service workers, all other	0	5	5	10	197	High school diploma or equivalent	None	Short-term on-the-job training	\$24,010		Law, Public Safety & Security	Corrections, Security, Law & Law Enforcement Services	35,400

Source: Kansas Department of Labor, Labor Market Information Services (LMIS)

1. Job Vacancy Survey Score is based off of the Spring 2019 Kansas Job Vacancy Survey

2. Short-term Projections Score is based off of the 2018-2020 round of projection data

3. Long-term Projections Score is based off of the 2016-2026 round of projection data

4. Wage data is from the 2019 Edition of the Kansas Wage Survey (data collected in 2018)

* 2018 Edition of the Kansas Wage Survey, 2019 edition wage data is not available

** 2018 U.S. Wage Data, Kansas wage data is not available

Note: The 2019 high demand list includes 197 high demand occupations out of 780 total occupations.

Note: List only includes occupations with above average demand in one of the three categories and a total demand score greater than or equal to 10