

GULF COAST WORKFORCE BOARD

HIGH-SKILL, HIGH-GROWTH OCCUPATIONS SUPPORTED BY SCHOLARSHIPS¹

SOC	OCCUPATION TITLE
	Educational Services
25-1072	Nursing Instructors and Teachers, Postsecondary ³
	Specialty Construction
47-2111	Electricians
49-9021	Heating, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Mechanics/Installers
47-2152	Plumbers, Pipe and Steamfitters
51-4121	Welders
17-3012	Electrical & Electronic Drafters
	Professional and Technical Services
15-1032	Computer Software Engineers, Systems ²
15-1031	Computer Software Engineers, Applications ²
15-1051	Computer Systems Analysts ²
15-1071	Network and Computer Systems Administrators ²
	Oil and Natural Gas Extraction and Manufacturing
17-2081	Environmental Engineers ²
17-2171	Petroleum Engineers ²
17-2151	Mining and Geological Engineers, Including Mining Safety Engineers ²
17-3023	Electrical & Electronic Engineering Technicians ⁴ (I & E (Instrument and Electrical) Technicians only)
17-3013	Mechanical Drafters
17-30XX	Pipe Drafters
19-2042	Geoscientists, Except Hydrologists & Geographers ²
19-4041	Geological and Petroleum Technicians
51-8091	Chemical Plant and System Operators
47-5013	Service Unit Operators, Oil and Gas
51-8093	Petroleum Pump System Operators
49-9041	Industrial Machinery Mechanics
51-4041	Machinists
51-4011	Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal & Plastic
49-9051	Electrical Power-line Installers & Repairers
	Health Services
29-1111	Registered Nurses
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses
29-2034	Radiology Technologists and Technicians
29-1126	Respiratory Therapists ²
29-1123	Physical Therapists ²
29-1122	Occupational Therapists ²
29-1127	Speech-Language Pathologists ²
29-2011	Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technologists ²
29-2071	Medical Records & Health Information Technicians
	Other
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors ²
49-3023	Auto Service Technicians and Mechanics
33-2011	Fire Fighters

1. Scholarship amounts may vary based on need and individual circumstances. Please speak to a Workforce Solutions counselor for information on current limits.
2. For educational programs that award a bachelor's degree or higher, Workforce Solutions will only award scholarships to help finance the last two years of the program of study. We will award scholarships to help finance all years in an Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) program.
3. Individuals officially enrolled full time on program tracks leading to a Master's of Science in Nursing and committed to teaching at least two years in programs leading to initial RN licensure in a Gulf Coast nursing school upon graduation are eligible for scholarship support from Workforce Solutions to help finance all courses required to complete their Master's Degree in Nursing.
4. Program must be specifically designed for instrumentation and electrical technicians (I/E technician).

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Revised 05/25/2011. The following occupations were removed from the list of supported scholarship occupations due to education budget shortfalls: Middle School Teachers (Math and Science only), High School Teachers (Math and Science only), and Special Education Teachers (Preschool, Kindergarten, Elementary, Middle School, and High School).