

GETTING READY FOR COLLEGE AND CAREER

BHS School
Counseling

Post-Secondary choices after high school ...

Apprenticeship

Credential or
Certificate

State College
(Two-Year,
Associate Degree)

Four Year College
or University (Four-
Year, Bachelor's
Degree)

Master's Degree

Doctorate Degree

Military

Apprenticeship



You will learn a highly skilled job by working with an expert

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Last two to four years



Combine on the job training with classroom work



Earn a paycheck the entire time



<https://www.apprenticeship.gov/career-seekers>

- Often last up to one year -
<https://www.fscj.edu/academics/certificates>
- [Paralegal Studies](#)
- [Automotive Service Technician](#)
- [Aviation Mechanic](#)
- [Culinary Arts](#)
- [Healthcare Informatics Specialist](#)
- [Logistics and Transportation Specialist](#)
- [Network Infrastructure](#)
- [Cosmetology](#)
- [Dental Assisting](#)
- [HVAC](#)
- [Pharmacy Technician](#)
- [Welding Technology](#)
- Many more ...
- State and Technical colleges offer a wide range of credential or certificate programs (FCTC, SJRSC, FSCJ)

Technical/ Career Certificate

State College

- Two Year Associates Degree
 - AA – Transfer to a four-year university
 - AS – Go straight into the workplace -
<https://www.fscj.edu/academics/areas-of-study>

[Aviation Administration \(Air Traffic Control\)](#)

[Biotechnology Laboratory Technology](#)

[Building Construction Technology](#)

[Computer Information Technology](#)

[Criminal Justice Technology](#)

[Culinary Management](#)

[Dental Hygiene](#)

[Emergency Medical Services](#)

[Fire Science Technology](#)

[Hospitality and Tourism Management](#)

[Nursing \(RN\)](#)

[Professional Pilot Technology](#)

[Radiation Therapy](#)

[Supply Chain Management](#)

Many more ...

Four-Year College or University

- Bachelor of Arts
 - Usually less specialized than a BS degree
 - Normally awarded in such areas as the languages, literature, other humanities and history
- Bachelor of Science
 - Typically involves technical fields
 - Normally awarded in such majors as the physical and biological sciences, engineering and agriculture
- Both degrees are equivalent academically

Master's Degree

Allows you to move into a management-level career in a specialized field

Requires at least two years of study beyond a Bachelor's degree

Doctorate Degree

- Examples:
 - Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)
 - Medical Doctor (M.D.)
 - Juris Doctor (lawyer, or J.D.)
 - Doctor of Education (Ed.D)
- Requires at least three years of school after college and sometimes many more.
- Allows the holder to practice a highly skilled profession

- Can join after obtaining a high school diploma
 - Immediately after high school or
 - Join ROTC while in college and then be commissioned as an officer after college graduation
- Offers many career and training opportunities
- Need to take the ASVAB during 11th or 12th grade year
 - ASVAB stands for the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery, which is a multiple-choice test that helps you identify which Army jobs (Military Occupational Specialties) would be best for you.

Military

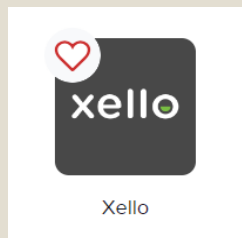
Careers

- Now is the time to start thinking about careers and college majors
 - Things for students to think about:
 - What am I interested in?
 - What am I passionate about?
 - What am I good at?
 - What am I not good at?
 - What's the industry outlook?
 - Where do I want to live?
 - What kind of salary do I want to have?
 - What kind of education level am I willing to obtain?

Top 20 fastest growing occupations for NE Florida

Rank	Title	Wage (\$) **	Education Level
1	Ophthalmic Medical Technicians	19.74	Post-Secondary Non-Degree Award (credential/certificate)
2	Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	20.30	Associate Degree
3	Emergency Medical Technicians	19.26	Post-Secondary Non-Degree Award (credential/certificate)
4	Substance Abuse, Behavioral Disorder, and Mental Health Counselors	30.55	Bachelor's Degree
5	Occupational Therapy Assistants	33.01	Associate Degree
6	Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers, Except Line Installers	31.85	Post-Secondary Non-Degree Award (credential/certificate)
7	Physical Therapist Assistants	31.57	Associate Degree
8	Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers	26.51	Post-Secondary Non-Degree Award (credential/certificate)
9	Medical Assistants	20.65	Post-Secondary Non-Degree Award (credential/certificate)
10	Phlebotomists	19.32	Post-Secondary Non-Degree Award (credential/certificate)
11	Computer Network Architects	62.03	Bachelor's Degree
12	Architectural and Civil Drafters	30.47	Associate Degree
13	Health Technologists and Technicians, All Other	23.82	Post-Secondary Non-Degree Award (credential/certificate)
14	Child, Family, and School Social Workers	27.96	Bachelor's Degree
15	Computer Programmers	50.52	Bachelor's Degree
16	Massage Therapists	24.43	Post-Secondary Non-Degree Award (credential/certificate)
17	Medical Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	20.45	Some College, No Degree
18	Software Quality Assurance Analysts and Testers	45.67	Bachelor's Degree
19	Software Developers	62.21	Bachelor's Degree
20	Information Security Analysts	54.10	Bachelor's Degree

- Many interest inventories to help you find career options
 - <https://fscj.lightcastcc.com/>
 - <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/explore-careers>
- We're going to take an assessment together
- **Xello** is a resource that SJCSD students can access through Clever



Career Interest Inventories

Hey Kimberly!

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All lessons**Grade
10****Work Values**[Get started](#)**About me**[Matchmaker](#)[Personality Style](#) [Mission Complete](#) [Learning Style](#)[Skills Lab](#)**Explore options**[Careers](#)[Schools](#)[Majors & programs](#)[Apprenticeship](#)[Opportunities](#)[Saved options](#)**Goals & Plans**[My goals and plans](#)[Course Planner](#)[College Planning](#)

Take the Matchmaker (and Personality Style, if time permits) assessments. This will only take a few minutes.

Scroll down for your results

[More filters](#)586 careersMatchmaker (interests match) ▾☰

Child and Youth Worker ...



E Excellent match

\$30,720 - \$61,820

↑ High demand

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Addictions Counselor ...



E Excellent match

\$37,000 - \$90,000

♡

Bereavement Counselor ...



E Excellent match

\$40,000 - \$80,000

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Marriage and Family Therapist ...



E Excellent match

\$39,090 - \$104,710

↑ High demand

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Humanitarian Aid Worker ...



Credit Counselor ...



Career Coach ...



Special Education Teacher ...

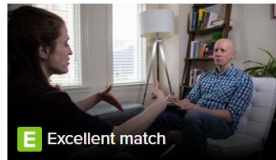


Results

- Career recommendations will be given based on interest, personality, and skill matches
- You can click on each career to learn more information including job description, skills needed, wages, education needed, demand, and related careers

Your career matches

Addictions Counselor ...



E Excellent match

\$37,000 - \$90,000



Bereavement Counselor ...

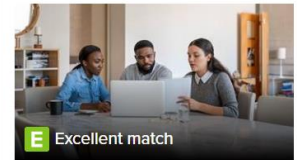


E Excellent match

\$40,000 - \$80,000



Credit Counselor ...



E Excellent match

\$37,460 - \$75,030

↑ High demand



See more

You can explore careers by filtering your results

Explore careers

Minimum salary

\$70,000

\$239,000 +

Education

☒ H High school

☒ C 2-year college or technical training

☐ U 4-year college

Career demand

☒ High

☒ Increasing

☐ Stable

☐ Decreasing

Personality Styles

☒ Persuader, Helper, Organizer

Career clusters

☐ Health Science
(suggested for you)

☒ Human Services
(suggested for you)

+ Show more clusters

School subjects

☐ Art & music

☐ English

☐ Family studies/home ec

☐ Shop/skilled trades

☐ Business

☒ Math

☐ Physical education

☒ Social sciences

☐ Computers

☐ Languages

☐ Science

Click on a career to learn more ...

Sports Marketer

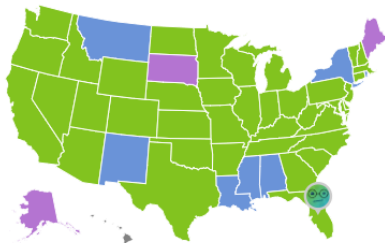
\$32,200 - \$101,160

High demand

2-year college or technical training,
4-year college

Sports marketers work behind the scenes in the sports world. They market and promote sports teams, event sponsors, and charitable causes.

Demand



Zoom in

Add another location

Enter a state, region, or zipcode



St. Johns County, FL
Increasing demand



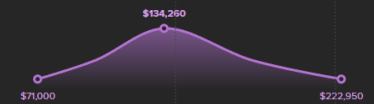
Florida
High demand



National
High demand

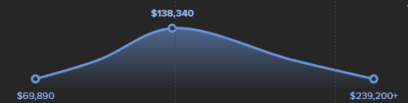
St. Johns County, FL

Entry earnings: \$71,000
Experienced earnings: \$222,950



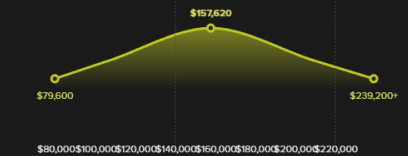
Florida

Entry earnings: \$69,890
Experienced earnings: \$239,200



National

Entry earnings: \$79,600
Experienced earnings: \$239,200



Core tasks

- ✓ Attract people to sports events with bus tours, giveaways, and other promotions
- ✓ Organize group ticket sales
- ✓ Entertain fans at games through fan participation and other means
- ✓ Promote sponsors' products at games
- ✓ Some plan and promote charitable events, such as walkathons

Workplace

- Work for amateur or pro teams, marketing companies, sports groups, or their own firms
- Work indoors in offices
- 45 to 55 hours a week, with some evenings and weekends
- May travel to visit sponsors, team managers, and charities
- Often work alone, but regularly talk to promoters, sponsors, and team managers
- Pressure to attract clients and anticipate the market can be stressful