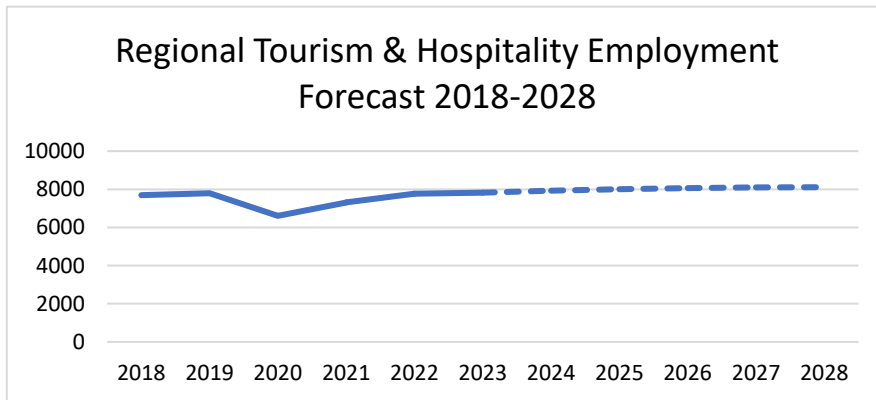


Tourism/Hospitality - North Central ID & Southeast WA

- Includes Accommodations, Food/Beverage, & Travel/Tourism requiring excellent customer service
- Establishments include hotels, restaurants, performing arts, scenic/sightseeing operators, recreation, convenience stores, casinos, water/air/rail/ground transport, museums, & sports
- Career options include waiters, bartenders, bakers, athletes/umpires, amusement/recreation attendants, chefs/head cooks, concierges, dishwashers, fast food cooks, desk clerks, tour guides, travel agents, recreation workers, gambling managers, ushers/ticket takers

Current Regional Employment 7000-8000	<i>2018-2023 New Jobs</i> 100-200	* Regional Employment experienced a 15% employment decline between 2019-2020 and is mostly recovered by 2023 *Approx 10-15% of employees are age 55+ *High Demand, High Turnover Industry
Average Annual Openings 7000-8000	<i>2023-2028 New Jobs</i> 200-300	
Average Annual Earnings \$24,000		

Top 5 Occupations by Current Employment					
	Occupation Title/Group	Total Employment	Average Salary	Entry-Level Education	Annual Openings
1	Fast Food Workers/Cooks	2100-2200	\$30,000	None	800-1000
2	Waiters/Waitresses	700-800	\$30,000	None	300-400
3	Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	200-300	\$30,000	None	100-150
4	Hotel, Motel, Resort Desk Clerks	100-200	\$30,000	High School	50-100
5	General & Operations Managers	100-200	\$65,000	Bachelor's +	0-25



Avg Salary	
2013	\$14,000
2018	\$17,000
2023	\$21,000
2013-2023 % Ch	50.0%
Annual Growth	4.1%

Data Source: Lightcast

To explore career possibilities

Idaho Jobscape

<https://www.labor.idaho.gov/JobScape/>

Washington State Learn about an Occupation

<https://esd.wa.gov/labormarketinfo/learn-about-an-occupation#/search>

Occupational Outlook Handbook

<https://www.bls.gov/ooh/>