

Figure 26

Occupation (BLS 2001)	US Average Wage	WY Average Wage	US-Wyoming Average Wage Differential	Total Employment WY	Change Annual WY Income from Occupation if at US Avg.
Registered Nurse	\$48,240	\$39,590	\$8,650.00	3,640	\$31,486,000.00
* Preschool Teachers	\$20,940	\$17,700	\$3,240.00	390	\$1,263,600.00
* Kindergarten Teachers	\$41,100	\$34,520	\$6,580.00	280	\$1,842,400.00
Elementary School Teachers	\$43,320	\$36,270	\$7,050.00	2,640	\$18,612,000.00
** Middle School Teachers	\$43,570	\$36,360	\$7,210.00	1,350	\$9,733,500.00
Middle School	\$43,340	\$33,590	\$9,750.00	100	\$975,000.00
** Secondary School Teachers	\$45,370	\$37,500	\$7,870.00	2,120	\$16,684,400.00
Secondary School	\$45,050	\$36,230	\$8,820.00	320	\$2,822,400.00
Elementary School	\$44,900	\$35,800	\$9,100.00	470	\$4,277,000.00
Middle School	\$43,040	\$36,020	\$7,020.00	270	\$1,895,400.00
<u>Secondary School</u>	<u>\$45,670</u>	<u>\$34,010</u>	<u>\$11,660.00</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>\$2,798,400.00</u>
Total					\$92,390,100.00 (also employer cost of raising avg)
* Except Special Education					
** Except Special and Vocational Education					