



# VALLEY CAREER HUB

Find your future in the Shenandoah Valley

A collaborative, award-winning effort among the business, education, and economic development communities in the Shenandoah Valley seeking to broaden awareness of high-demand, high-growth, and high-wage careers in our region and promote local training opportunities for these careers.

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## FOR EVERY 10 JOB OPPORTUNITIES:

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REQUIRES A MASTER'S DEGREE

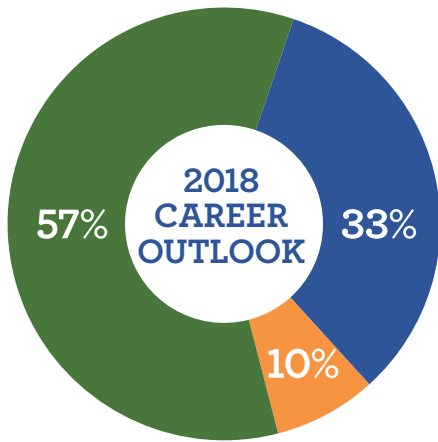
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REQUIRE A 4 YEAR DEGREE

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REQUIRE CERTIFICATION AND/OR 2 YEAR DEGREE

In today's highly technical knowledge-based economy, having and perfecting skills that employers need can be an achievable goal. Flexible training delivered in a practical time frame by local providers can open and start your career pathway.



- REQUIRE A SKILLED TRADE
- REQUIRE A 4 YEAR DEGREE
- WILL BE UNSKILLED

### DEVELOP YOUR CAREER PLAN

- 1 Self exploration: analyze your talents
- 2 Career exploration: understand jobs available, the income range they pay and skills required
- 3 Identify areas that appeal to interests, skills and the labor market
- 4 Develop a tentative career path with multiple training and education options
- 5 Pursue your goals!



When planning your future, focus on what careers are needed, the skills required and the demand for those jobs.



Align your interests and abilities with your first career choice and seek the education and training needed to proceed.



Success in the new economy equals education and technical training for in-demand jobs, applied technical skills and industry driven credentials.

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#### 12 COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

American National University  
 Blue Ridge Community College  
 Bridgewater College  
 Dabney S. Lancaster Community College  
 Eastern Mennonite University  
 James Madison University  
 Lord Fairfax Community College  
 Mary Baldwin College  
 Shenandoah University  
 Southern Virginia University  
 Virginia Military Institute  
 Washington and Lee University

#### 7 CAREER AND TECHNICAL CENTERS

Floyd S. Kay Technical Center  
 Massanutten Technical Center  
 Mertz Career and Technical Center  
 Page County Technical Center  
 Triplett Tech  
 Valley Career and Technical Center  
 Wilson Workforce and Rehabilitation Center

#### 25 HIGH SCHOOL CAREER COACHES

Ask to meet with a career coach at your high school



### WHERE DO I START?

THANKS TO OUR PARTNERS IN THIS COLLABORATIVE EFFORT:



KEY WORKFORCE PARTNERS INCLUDE: