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EDUCATION PAY$....A LOT!

The higher the education, the higher the financial reward.

Based on data from the U.S. Census Bureau 2012 Current Population Survey

		MEDIAN INCOME (half make more & half make less)			MEAN INCOME* (Average Income- all Americans)		
LEVEL OF EDUCATION	*% of population*	*Estimated Yearly Income*	*Estimated Monthly Income*	*Estimated Hourly Income**	*Estimated Yearly Income*	*Estimated Monthly Income*	*Estimated Hourly Income**
Less than 9th grade	4.8%	$ 19,207.00	$ 1,600.58	$ 9.60	$ 22,388.00	$ 1,865.67	$ 11.19
9th-12th grade- no diploma	7.1%	$ 20,146.00	$ 1,678.83	$ 10.07	$ 24,724.00	$ 2,060.33	$ 12.36
High School Graduate	**29.8%**	**$ 29,766.00**	**$ 2,480.50**	**$ 14.88**	**$ 35,053.00**	**$ 2,921.08**	**$ 17.53**
Some College- no degree	16.8%	$ 32,034.00	$ 2,669.50	$ 16.02	$ 40,687.00	$ 3,390.58	$ 20.34
Associate of Arts Degree	9.8%	$ 36,365.00	$ 3,030.42	$ 18.18	$ 42,024.00	$ 3,502.00	$ 21.01
Bachelor's Degree	**20.1%**	**$ 50,281.00**	**$ 4,190.08**	**$ 25.14**	**$ 62,597.00**	**$ 5,216.42**	**$ 31.30**
Master's Degree	8.4%	$ 61,040.00	$ 5,086.67	$ 30.52	$ 75,555.00	$ 6,296.25	$ 37.78
Doctoral Degree	1.7%	$ 82,883.00	$ 6,906.92	$ 41.44	$ 114,219.00	$ 9,518.25	$ 57.11
Professional Degree	**1.5%**	**$ 97,197.00**	**$ 8,099.75**	**$ 48.60**	**$ 139,908.00**	**$ 11,659.00**	**$ 69.95**

*estimated hourly income based on 2000 hours a year

*including averaging in the income of the filthy rich!!