

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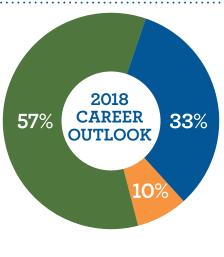
In today's highly technical knowledge-based economy, having and perfecting skills that employers need can be an achievable goal. Flexible training delivered in a practical time frame by local providers can open and start your career pathway.

FOR EVERY 10 JOB OPPORTUNITIES:

REQUIRES A MASTER'S DEGREE

4 YEAR DEGREE

REQUIRE CERTIFICATION **AND/OR 2 YEAR DEGREE**



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

DEVELOP YOUR CAREER PLAN

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

FIND YOUR FUTURE IN THE SHENANDOAH VALLEY







WHERE DO I START?





resources and contacts at valleycareerhub.com

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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 University 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

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