

I'm a high school student thinking about becoming an educator.

This Education and Training career cluster prepares for careers in providing, supporting and managing the education and training of millions of learners. It encompasses ages from pre-school through adults; varies from informal to formal settings; and provides for the skills necessary for initial entrance as well as updating skills to advance within the job or train for a different one.

Typical High School Classes:

- Teaching as a Profession
- Lifespan Development
- Best Practices in Education & Training With Work-Based Learning
- Education & Training Practicum With Work-Based Learning
- Child Development
- Best Practices in Early Childhood Education with Work-Based Learning
- Early Childhood Education Practicum with Work-Based Learning

Career & Technical Student Organizations:

Get involved with these organizations that support education and training

- Educators Rising
 - Nebraska: <https://www.edrisingneb.org/>
 - National: <https://educatorsrising.org/>
- Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)
 - Nebraska: <https://www.nebraskafccla.org/>
 - National: <https://fcclainc.org/>

Labor Market (Jobs, Employers, Wages, and More)

- [ACTE Sector Sheet: Developing the Education and Training Workforce](#)
- Specific information for education and training in Nebraska can be found on:
 - networks.nebraska.gov
 - www.mynextmove.org
 - www.onetonline.org

Virtual Career Tours

- [Education and Training YouTube playlist](#)

Education Pathways To Begin Your Career

Pathway	Certificate	Diploma	Associate's Degree	Bachelor's Degree	Military
ADULT AND CONTINUING EDUCATION	✓		✓	✓	✓
CAREER, TECHNICAL EDUCATION TEACHER				✓	✓
CHILD CARE WORKER	✓				
EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	✓	✓	✓	✓	
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION AND TEACHING				✓	
HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION AND TEACHING				✓	
LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE	✓			✓	✓
MIDDLE SCHOOL EDUCATION AND TEACHING				✓	
PHYSICAL EDUCATION / COACHING		✓	✓	✓	✓
SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETING			✓		✓
SPEECH – LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY				✓	✓
SPECIAL EDUCATION				✓	
TEACHER ASSISTANT / AIDE			✓		

Advanced and professional degrees not included on this chart.