

# Mesa County Workforce Center

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**Mesa County Demographics**

Workforce Volume 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2018	Mesa County
14-24	1397
16-24	1,329
22-49	2,878
50 and over	1,288
Employed at Entry	1,218
Not Employed at Entry	4,395
Economically Disadvantaged	808
Male	2,686
Female	2,877

Source: Connecting Colorado

Workforce Center Job Orders 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2018	Mesa County
Full Time	1,133
Part Time	222
Regular	1,252
Temporary	19
Total	2,190

Source: Connecting Colorado

All Industries	Average Establishments	Emp. Month 1	Emp. Month 2	Emp. Month 3	Average Employment	Total Wage	Average Weekly Wage
Mesa County	4,883	62,124	62,139	61,726	61,996	\$688,045,823	\$854
Colorado	199,873	2,629,263	2,637,880	2,653,496	2,640,213	\$38,903,449,790	\$1,133

**1.) Employment Wage Statistics, 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter 2017 “Most recent quarter available”**

Source: Colorado Department of Labor

**2.) Area Labor Force, Employment and Unemployment Data**

Area Name	Civilian Labor Force	Number Employed	Number Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
Mesa County (May) <b>2018</b>	75,877	73,690	2,187	2.9%
Colorado (May) <b>2018</b>	3,073,077	2,998,546	74,531	2.4%

Source: LAUS Unit, LAUS system output file

**1.)** The top table shows the State and Mesa County’s average weekly wages as well as average establishments for the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter of 2017. Please note that the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter 2017 is the **most recent data available**.

**2.)** The second table highlights Mesa County’s and the state of Colorado unemployment rate for the month of May 2018. Mesa County’s unemployment rate is slightly above the state average.

Description	2018 Jobs	2018 Location Quotient
Accommodation and Food Services	6,718	1.15
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	3,056	0.79
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	513	0.86
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	956	0.97
Construction	4,198	1.38
Educational Services	693	0.42
Finance and Insurance	2,094	0.82
Government	10,745	1.04
Health Care and Social Assistance	10,754	1.27
Information	651	0.55
Management of Companies and Enterprises	157	0.16
Manufacturing	3,053	0.58
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	2,018	7.81
Other Services (except Public Administration)	2,348	0.93
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	2,098	0.54
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1,035	1.11
Retail Trade	8,270	1.22
Transportation and Warehousing	2,266	1.03
Utilities	193	0.82
Wholesale Trade	2,381	0.95

Source: Economic Modeling Specialists International