

Mesa County Workforce Center

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Mesa County Demographics

Workforce Volume	Mesa County
2 nd Quarter 2023	
14-24	763
16-24	723
22-49	2701
50 and over	1,209
Employed at Entry	827
Not Employed at Entry	3,577
Economically Disadvantaged	573
Male	2,159
Female	2,245

Source: Connecting Colorado

Workforce Center Job Orders	Mesa County
2 nd Quarter 2023	
Full Time	862
Part Time	93
Seasonal	33
Temporary	18
Total	2,371

Source: Connecting Colorado

1.) Employment Wage Statistics, Q1 2023 “Most recent quarter available”

All Industries	Average Establishments	Emp. Month 1	Emp. Month 2	Emp. Month 3	Average Employment	Total Wage	Average Weekly Wage
Mesa County	5,891	63,398	63,874	64,249	63,840	\$880,790,445	\$1,061
Colorado	261,716	2,814,096	2,828,548	2,838,203	2,826,949	\$57,304,526,804	\$1,559

Source: Colorado Department of Labor

2.) Area Labor Force, Employment and Unemployment Data

Source: LAUS Unit, LAUS system output file

Area Name	Civilian Labor Force	Number Employed	Number Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
Mesa County (August) 2023	77,402	74,440	2,962	3.8%
Colorado (August) 2023	3,263,952	3,150,767	113,185	3.5%

1.) The top table shows the State and Mesa County’s average weekly wages as well as average establishments for the 1st Quarter of 2023. Please note that this 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 August 2023. The Mesa County’s unemployment rate it is slightly below the state average.

Mesa County, Colorado, 2023Q1¹

NAICS	Industry	Current			5-Year Forecast				
		Empl	Avg Ann Wages	LQ	Total Demand	Exits	Transfers	Empl Growth	Ann % Growth
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	12,705	\$62,629	1.25	7,407	3,085	3,616	707	1.1%
44	Retail Trade	9,184	\$45,024	1.30	6,310	2,777	3,671	-138	-0.3%
72	Accommodation and Food Services	7,178	\$25,876	1.18	7,002	2,927	3,544	532	1.4%
23	Construction	6,309	\$58,929	1.50	3,184	1,113	1,989	83	0.3%
61	Educational Services	5,271	\$43,039	0.94	2,766	1,248	1,379	139	0.5%
92	Public Administration	3,646	\$65,723	1.13	1,796	747	1,062	-12	-0.1%
31	Manufacturing	3,304	\$51,011	0.58	1,742	661	1,124	-43	-0.3%
54	Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	3,073	\$67,515	0.59	1,515	515	886	114	0.7%
81	Other Services (except Public Administration)	2,991	\$35,063	0.98	1,948	772	1,066	111	0.7%
48	Transportation and Warehousing	2,907	\$58,441	0.83	1,850	718	1,048	84	0.6%
56	Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	2,881	\$46,498	0.63	1,815	715	1,045	55	0.4%
42	Wholesale Trade	2,415	\$68,067	0.91	1,374	497	850	27	0.2%
52	Finance and Insurance	1,942	\$76,945	0.69	942	347	569	26	0.3%
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	1,725	\$102,807	6.87	1,166	310	640	216	2.4%
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	1,422	\$18,162	1.54	899	397	507	-5	-0.1%
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1,369	\$52,252	1.09	715	318	392	5	0.1%
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1,190	\$24,474	0.86	1,003	384	531	89	1.5%
51	Information	724	\$61,322	0.50	382	127	231	24	0.7%
22	Utilities	365	\$87,633	1.02	166	63	111	-8	-0.4%
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	145	\$90,588	0.13	71	26	43	2	0.3%
99	Unclassified	14	\$110,369	0.10	9	4	5	0	0.6%
	Total - All Industries	70,760	\$52,506	1.00	43,357	17,262	24,052	2,043	0.6%

Source: JobsEq