

## Business

- **Jobs with the largest projected growth over the next 5 years in this industry include:** Business Ops Specialists, Market Research Analysts, HR Specialists, & Accountants.
- **Retail trade jobs** have had one of the largest growths over the last 12 months with over **2,800 jobs added.**

## Arts & Communication

- **Jobs with the highest projected growth in the Arts & Entertainment industry in the next 10 years include:** Writers/Authors, PR specialists, Musicians/Singers, Graphic Designers, & Art Directors.

## Human Services

- **Top educational job postings within the last 12 months include:** Teaching Assistants, Preschool Teachers, Sped Teachers, & Secondary School Teachers.
- **Community and social service occupations are expected to have a job growth of 8.4%** in the next 8 years.

## Natural Resources & Agriculture

- **Natural Science Manager job postings have had one of the largest growth percentages in the KC metro (out of all occupations) in the last 2 years with a growth percentage of nearly 4.5%.**



## Health Services

- **Jobs in healthcare are projected to have the largest growth for 2025** in the KC area with an estimated 2,000+ jobs added.
- **The top 5 hospital professions with the highest employee vacancy in the KC area include:** Environmental Sciences, Licensed Practical Nurse, CT Technologist, Nurse Assistant, & Radiology Technologist.

## Technology

- The momentum of tech workforce growth ranks **Kansas City #6** across the entire **U.S.**, alongside established tech hubs such as Silicon Valley, Boston & LA.
- **Top projected tech occupations in the KC area within the next 10 years include:** Data Scientists/Analysts, Cybersecurity Analysts, Software Developers, Software QA/Testers, & Web Designers.

## KC Metro Jobs: Fast Facts

- **The impressive rate of job growth within 2024** has exceeded the region's historic norms and **boosted Kansas City to second among similar benchmark metros.**
- The commencement of operations at the **Panasonic battery plant will provide a strong boost in manufacturing employment** in Kansas City for 2025.