

## Brickmasons and Blockmasons (47-2021)

**Occupation description:** Lay and bind building materials, such as brick, structural tile, concrete block, cinder block, glass block, and terra-cotta block, with mortar and other substances to construct or repair walls, partitions, arches, sewers, and other structures. Excludes Stonemasons (47-2022). Installers of mortarless segmental concrete masonry wall units are classified in Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers (37-3011).

### Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
Alaska	26	28	7.7	1	1	2
United States	91,100	100,500	10.3	2,800	5,300	9,040

#### Job outlook

**Alaska:** Alaska's employment growth is low with low employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

### 2018 Wages ?

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	26.17	15.10	19.09	24.49	30.84	40.52

### Labor Force Indicators

#### 2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
62	27	43.5	60.0	51.1

#### 2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	11
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	9
UI claimants previously working in occupation	25

#### 2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	96
Number of job position postings	2
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	48.0

### Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

**Education:** High school diploma or equivalent

**Work experience:** None

**On-the-job training:** Apprenticeship

## Training Resources

	Degree
<a href="#">Bricklayer Apprenticeship</a>	

	Degree
<a href="#">Concrete and Masonry</a>	

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