

English Language and Literature Teachers, Postsecondary (25-1123)

Occupation description: Teach courses in English language and literature, including linguistics and comparative literature. Includes both teachers primarily engaged in teaching and those who do a combination of teaching and research.

Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
Alaska	80	81	1.3	3	3	6
United States	84,600	92,900	9.8	3,300	3,400	7,530

Job outlook

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

2019 Wages

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	80,180	37,960	50,150	68,490	99,180	140,890

Labor Force Indicators

2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
84	6	7.1	60.0	47.5

2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	29
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	15
UI claimants previously working in occupation	1

2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	63
Number of job position postings	3
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	21.0

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

Education: Doctoral or professional degree

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: None

Training Resources

Degree

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Academic Writing About Literature	
Academic Writing About Science and Nature	
Intro to Academic Writing	

Degree

University of Alaska Anchorage (Anchorage)

Creative Writing	MFA
Creative Writing & Literary Arts	MFA

Degree

University of Alaska Fairbanks (Fairbanks)

Creative Writing	MA
Creative Writing & Literary Arts	MFA
English	BA
English	MA

Degree

University of Alaska Southeast, Juneau (Juneau)

English	BA
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Degree

Wayland Baptist University (Anchorage)

English (MA)	MA
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