

Workforce Quick Facts

The Staunton-Waynesboro Metro Area has a motivated workforce that shows up ready to work with a positive outlook and a strong work ethic. In the Metro Area, employers will find:

- A “Right to Work” state with fewer than 5% of workers in unions
- Close proximity to major universities for recruitment and continuing education
- Customizable programs that help train and identify skilled workers for local industry through Blue Ridge Community College and Valley Vocational Technical School
- A low cost of labor in comparison to large metro areas
- Our region is home to thousands of skilled employees

Young, talented professionals are moving to Staunton at an ever-increasing rate, and a culture of entrepreneurship is flourishing.

