A Teacher’s Life by the Numbers!
Cameron, Hidalgo, and Starr County, TX

Teacher Salaries

1st Year Teacher with a B.A.
$47,000-$54,000*

15th Year Teacher with a M.A.
$59,538-$63,868*

*Data from 2021-2022

Plus extra duty pay for coaching and club sponsorship

What does that mean for a teacher in this area?

The average annual wage is $35,377
Median home value is $114,448
Average rent for a two-bedroom apartment is $742

1st Year Teachers can buy houses like these*:
$225,000

Mid-Career Teachers can buy houses like these*:
$338,700

*With a 5% down payment for 1st year teachers and 20% down for mid-career and while spending 36% of their income on housing

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