

A TEACHER'S LIFE BY THE NUMBERS



Baltimore City, MD

Teachers in the US **rate their lives better** than all other occupation groups, trailing only physicians.

SALARY

The average wage of all full-time workers in the county: **\$73,060***



Base Salary →

1st Year Teacher with a B.A.

\$53,898


15th Year Teacher with a M.A.+

**\$87,270-
\$88,429**


Data from 2022-2023

Plus

**\$3,702-
\$6,115** FOR COACHING like head coach or assistant coach



**\$1,011-
\$6,138** FOR CLUBS like band, robotics, or yearbook



HOUSING

Median home value: **\$176,156***



Fair Market rent for a 2-bedroom apartment: **\$1,548***



A salary of **\$53,900** can buy a home like this:★



\$152,000

*With a 5% down payment, spending 36% of their income on housing

A salary of **\$87,900** can buy a home like this:★



\$369,000

*With a 20% down payment, spending 36% of their income on housing

RETIREMENT

Most teaching jobs have better retirement benefits than other jobs you can get with the same degree.



59 Teacher average retirement age

4 YEARS EARLIER

63 All careers average retirement age

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