

A TEACHER'S LIFE BY THE NUMBERS



Brooklyn, NY (Kings County)

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: **\$59,904***



Base Salary →

1st Year Teacher with a B.A.

\$61,070 - \$68,123

15th Year Teacher with a M.A.+

\$93,862 - \$101,441

Data from 2022-2023

Plus

FOR COACHING
like head coach or assistant coach

\$2,215 - \$7,376

\$988 - \$6,345

FOR CLUBS
like band, robotics, or yearbook

HOUSING

Median home value: **\$822,822***



Fair Market rent for a 2-bedroom apartment: **\$2,053***



A salary of **\$64,600** can buy a home like this: ★



\$185,000

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

A salary of **\$97,700** can buy a home like this: ★



\$400,000

*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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