## A Teacher's Life by the Numbers!

**Laurens County, SC** 



**Teacher Salaries**  1<sup>st</sup> Year Teacher with a B.A.

> \$41,056 -\$43,433\*

15th Year Teacher with a M.A.+

> \$58,210 -\$62,841\*

\*Data from 2022-2023

Plus extra duty pay for coaching and club sponsorship

## What does that mean for a professional in this area?

The average annual wage is \$42,588

Median home value is \$177,131

Fair Market rent for a two-bedroom apartment is \$804

A salary of \$42,244 can buy a home like this\*:



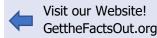
A salary of \$60,525 can buy a home like this\*:



\*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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