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Median Wage for Virginia Graduates with an A.A.S. Degree: 2005-06 through 2010-11

This Research Note presents data from the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV). Table 1 and Figure 1 depict median annual wages from 2007 through 2013 for graduates with an Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) degree from all reporting institutions in Virginia. Median annual wages are shown based on graduation year. The median annual wages for graduates with an A.A.S. degree increased by 4 to 8 percent from 2012 to 2013, depending on the graduation year.

Table 1. Median Annual Wage for Virginia Graduates with an A.A.S. Degree: 2005-06 through 2010-11

Graduation Year	Median Annual Wage							Change from 2012 to 2013	
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	#	%
	2005-06	\$37,168	\$38,692	\$40,564	\$40,675	\$41,936	\$43,373	\$46,455	\$3,082
2006-07	-	\$38,095	\$40,344	\$41,114	\$42,203	\$44,135	\$45,688	\$1,553	3.5%
2007-08	-	-	\$39,078	\$39,925	\$41,180	\$43,381	\$45,153	\$1,772	4.1%
2008-09	-	-	-	\$38,127	\$40,487	\$42,509	\$43,995	\$1,486	3.5%
2009-10	-	-	-	-	\$41,644	\$42,711	\$44,342	\$1,631	3.8%
2010-11	-	-	-	-	-	\$38,485	\$41,360	\$2,875	7.5%

Figure 1. Median Annual Wage for Virginia Graduates with an A.A.S. Degree: 2005-06 through 2010-11

