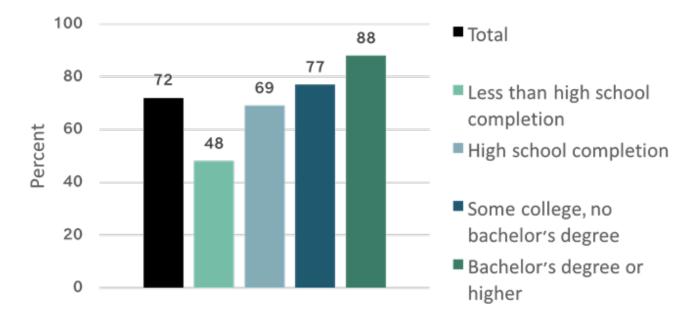


Handout 2: NCES Postsecondary Access and Success Data

Handout 2a

Employment rates of 20- to 24-year-olds, by educational attainment (2016)

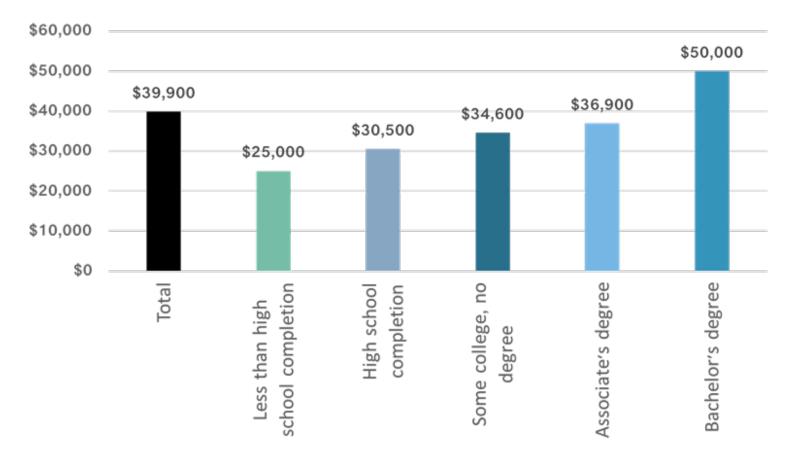


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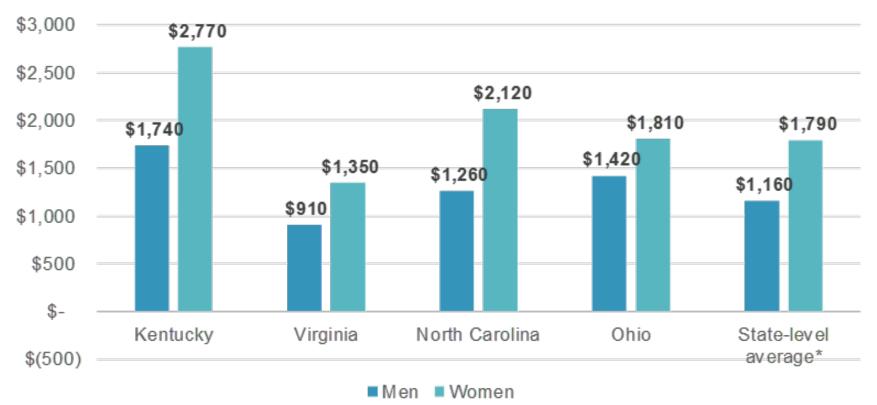
Median Annual Earnings





Handout 2c

Quarterly Earnings Gain for Associate's Degree Earners Over No College Award 5–9 Years After College Entry

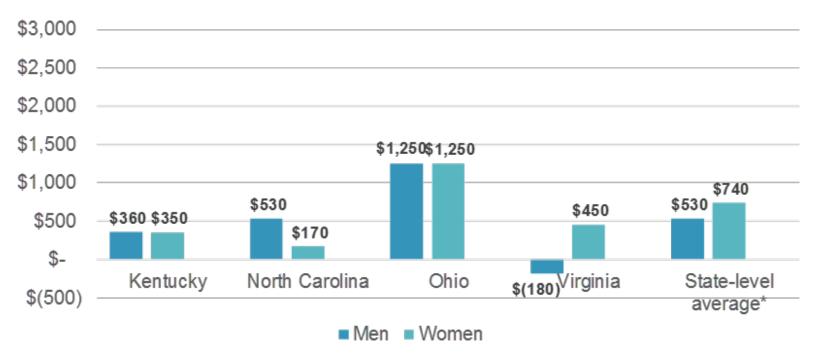


*State-level average includes data from four additional states: Arkansas, California, Michigan, and Washington.



Handout 2d

Quarterly Earnings Gain for Certificate Earners Over No College Award 5–9 Years After College Entry



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