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School and Career Counselors and Advisors

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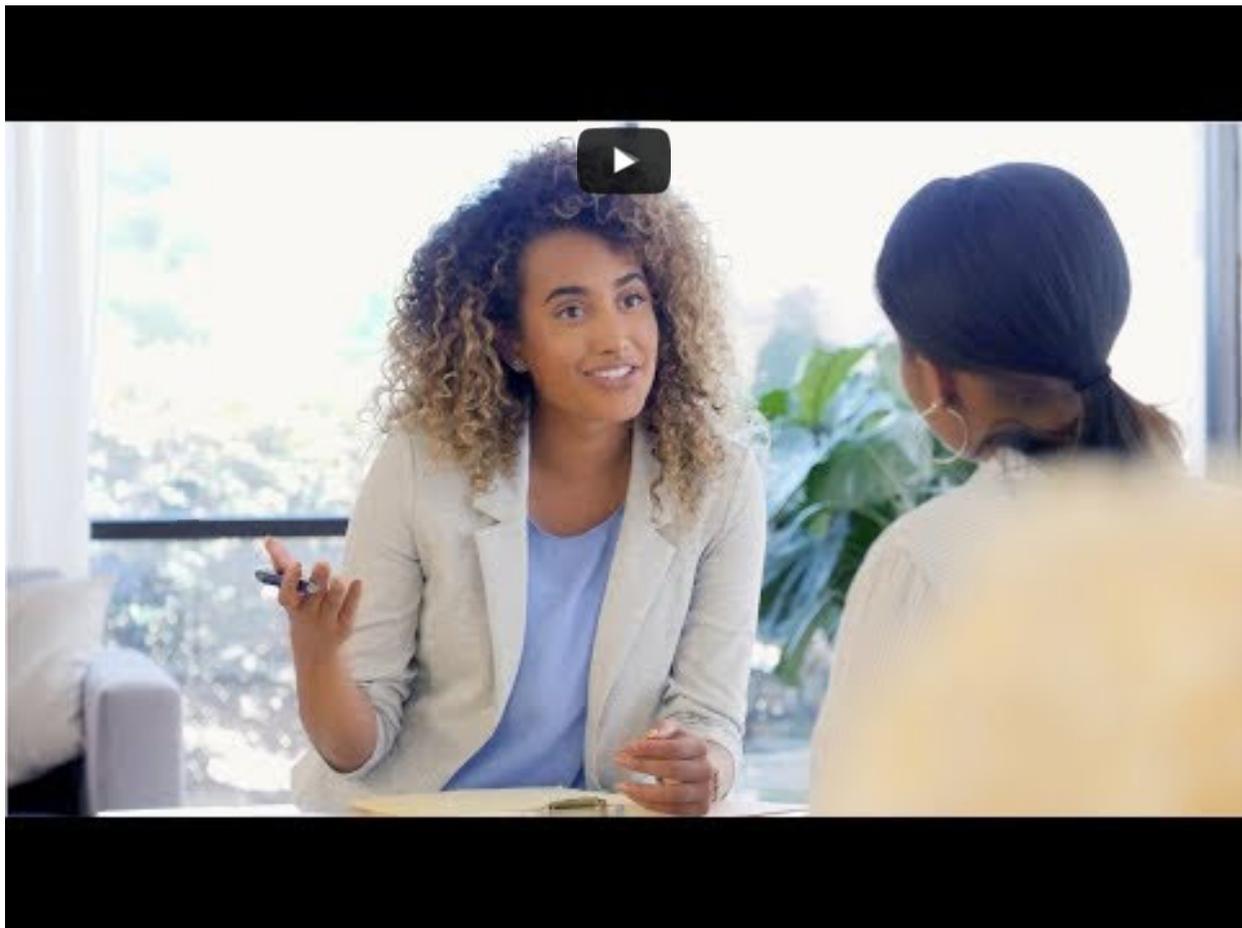
Pay
The median annual wage for school and career counselors and advisors was $65,140 in May 2024.

Job Outlook
Employment of school and career counselors and advisors is projected to grow 4 percent from 2023 to 2033, about as fast as the average for all occupations.

About 29,100 openings for school and career counselors and advisors are projected each year, on average, over the decade. Many of those openings are expected to result from the need to replace workers who transfer to different occupations or exit the labor force, such as to retire.

State & Area Data
Explore resources for employment and wages by state and area for school and career counselors and advisors.

Similar Occupations
Compare the job duties, education, job growth, and pay of school and career counselors and advisors with similar occupations.

More Information, Including Links to O*NET

Learn more about school and career counselors and advisors by visiting additional resources, including O*NET, a source on key characteristics of workers and occupations.

What They Do ->

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