

STUDENTS—START YOUR CYBERSECURITY CAREER!



Students, do you know what you want to be when you grow up? Are you interested in receiving scholarship money to attend a college or university? Would you like to make lots of 💰 after college?

Cybersecurity is one of the fastest growing fields in the country¹, so if you answered yes to any of these questions, then let's kick-off your career in cybersecurity today!

MEDIAN ANNUAL SALARY:

\$95,510³

OVER

300,000

JOB AVAILABLE IN THE U.S.⁵

The world needs **1.8 million** qualified cybersecurity professionals by **2022** to protect against unauthorized access and attacks on computers and networks².

That's more than the population of the entire city of Philadelphia!



CyberCorps® Scholarship for Service (SFS)

What can you do right now?

- ✓ Read the [cybersecurity career profiles](#) to learn more about your career options
- ✓ Join an IT/cybersecurity club at your school, or start one!
- ✓ Sign up for courses such as advanced math and science—even creative writing and art!
- ✓ Talk to your teachers about [including cybersecurity concepts in classes](#)
- ✓ Ask your guidance counselors about cybersecurity career opportunities

Explore scholarship opportunities!

- ✓ Receive up to \$25,000 for undergraduate and \$34,000 for graduate degrees
- ✓ Up to three years of support for undergraduate and graduate (MS or PhD) education
- ✓ Earn a degree from a nationally-recognized cybersecurity program
- ✓ 92-95% of graduates have government jobs upon graduation⁴
- ✓ You can do this through the [CyberCorps®: Scholarship for Service Program!](#)

THERE ARE SO MANY CAREER PATH OPTIONS!

In an increasingly technologically-dependent world, cybersecurity affects every industry—from IT and finance to healthcare and entertainment—cybersecurity professionals are needed everywhere. Check out [all of the cybersecurity career profiles](#) to learn more about your career options!

Are you into...

- ✓ Computers and video games?
- ✓ Art and graphic design?
- ✓ Solving puzzles and mysteries?
- ✓ Protecting American citizens?



THEN CYBERSECURITY COULD BE FOR YOU!

Visit <https://niccs.us-cert.gov> to learn more.

¹ <https://www.bls.gov/ooh/fastest-growing.htm>

² <https://www.isc2.org/News-and-Events/Press-Room/Posts/2017/02/13/Cybersecurity-Workforce-Shortage-Continues-to-Grow-Worldwide>

³ <https://www.bls.gov/ooh/computer-and-information-technology/information-security-analysts.htm>

⁴ <https://www.sfs.opm.gov/Overview-History.aspx>

⁵ <https://www.cyberseek.org/heatmap.html>

