



**C**omputing jobs are the number one source of new employment. These jobs are among the highest paying, but yet there are 500,000 hard-to-fill openings. Such employment is on a trajectory to grow by 12.5% through 2024 as technology becomes ever more intertwined with work of all kinds. Absent decisive action, the shortage of qualified workers will only grow. What more can we do to prepare America's youth for these jobs



## **Developing Coding Abilities Through Libraries**

Libraries host coding activities year-round. An increasing number of libraries host summer camps or courses on

# ABOUT AMERICA'S LIBRARIES

**T**he 120,000 libraries across the United States are a powerful