



## Study reveals the best cities for entrepreneurs

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*New MoneyRates.com research determines the best locations for starting businesses in 2019.*

**Foster City, CA – July 18, 2019** – Personal finance resource [MoneyRates.com](http://MoneyRates.com) reveals the “Best Cities for Young Entrepreneurs” to start a business. The personal finance website looked at more than 380 U.S. metropolitan areas to determine the top 25 and highlights why location is so critical to a startup.

The study looked at what can influence new businesses: population growth, affluence, education and taxes. The 25 fastest-growing cities were ranked based on this criteria; the average of these rankings was used to determine the best places for millennials to start a business in 2019. Here are the top 10:

1. **Midland, TX** - *With the fastest year-over-year population increase in the nation, it represents a growing market. Midland is above the national average for young adult affluence and the tax environment in Texas is more business-friendly than most states.*
2. **Crestview/Fort Walton Beach/Destin, FL**
3. **North Port/Sarasota/Bradenton, FL (tie)**
4. **St. George, UT (tie)**
5. **Raleigh, NC**
6. **Provo/Orem, UT**
7. **Austin/Round Rock, TX (tie)**
8. **Bend/Redmond, OR (tie)**
9. **Orlando/Kissimmee/Sanford, FL**
10. **Daphne/Fairhope/Foley, AL (tie)**
11. **Greeley, CO (tie)**

To see the full list and methodology visit, <https://www.money-rates.com/research-center/best-cities-young-entrepreneurs.htm>

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