

What everyone is paying

Prevailing 1992 wages in Metro Vancouver

Occupation	Union	Non-Union
Accountant	\$2,200-\$4,200/mo.	\$1,500-\$4,400/mo.
Baker	\$10-\$19.25/hr.	\$8-\$17/hr.
Bartender	\$9.85-\$16.25/hr.	\$7-\$10/hr.
Bookkeeper	\$1,875-\$3,100/mo.	\$1,630-\$3,000/mo.
Carpenter	\$16.48-\$23.50/hr.	\$12-\$19/hr.
Cashier, Retail/Electronic	\$7.15-\$18.20/hr.	\$5.50-\$12/hr.
Computer Operator	\$1,875-\$2,800/mo.	\$1,500-\$2,500/mo.
Construction Labourer	\$12-\$19.38/hr.	\$8-\$13/hr.
Cook-Short Order	\$6.25-\$12/hr.	\$5.50-\$10/hr.
Electrician	\$17-\$26/hr.	\$15-\$23/hr.
Host/Hostess	\$5.50-\$10/hr.	\$5.50-\$8/hr.
Janitor, Heavy/Light Cleaner	\$7.05-\$16.54/hr.	\$6-\$12/hr.
Kitchen Helper/Dishwasher	\$5.75-\$10.50/hr.	\$5.50-\$9/hr.
Machinist	\$15.55-\$22.59/hr.	\$12-\$21/hr.
Maintenance Worker, Building	\$1,950-\$2,350/mo.	\$1,400-\$2,200/mo.
Motor Vehicle Mechanic	\$15.35-\$24/hr.	\$9-\$17/hr.
Plumber/Plumber Apprentice	\$13.01-\$26/hr.	\$12-\$23/hr.
Secretary	\$1,700-\$2,400/mo.	\$1,300-\$2,600/mo.
Shipping/Receiving Clerk	\$1,300-\$2,869/mo.	\$1,153-\$2,470/mo.
Word Processing Operator	\$1,475-\$2,300/mo.	\$1,550-\$2,550/mo.

Source: Metropolitan Vancouver Employer Handbook, Employment & Immigration Canada