In Demand Entry-Level Occupations

San Diego – Carlsbad MSA

San Diego County

An entry-level occupation requires a high school diploma or equivalent or less.

Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food

81,180 TOTAL PROJECTED JOB OPENINGS

$12.24 MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

Waiters and Waitresses

62,640 TOTAL PROJECTED JOB OPENINGS

$12.53 MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

Personal Care Aides

59,880 TOTAL PROJECTED JOB OPENINGS

$12.13 MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

Cashiers

59,210 TOTAL PROJECTED JOB OPENINGS

$12.03 MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

Retail Salespersons

57,770 TOTAL PROJECTED JOB OPENINGS

$13.01 MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

Source: *California Employment Development Department, Projections of Employment 2016-2026. Total projected job openings are the sum of new jobs, exits, and transfers. Occupational Employment Statistics Wage Survey, updated to 1st Q, 2019.*

Note: *The median hourly wage estimate has been calculated using three years of data that included wages that were collected prior to the minimum wage increases as required by California state law.*

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