In Demand Entry-Level Occupations

Visalia – Porterville MSA

Tulare County

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

	Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Greenhouse		
	40,360 TOTAL PROJECTED JOB OPENINGS	\$11.75 MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE	
	Combined Food Preparation and		٦
	Serving Workers, Including Fast Food		
	8,250 TOTAL PROJECTED JOB OPENINGS	\$11.95 MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE	
	Retail Salespersons		
	7,800 TOTAL PROJECTED JOB OPENINGS	\$12.37 MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE	
	Cashiers		
	6,830 TOTAL PROJECTED JOB OPENINGS	\$11.91 MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE	
	Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand		
	6,780 TOTAL PROJECTED JOB OPENINGS	\$13.67 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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