You must be paid at least minimum wage. The rate depends on where you work.

$12.00 per hour
Standard
(Benton, Clatsop, Columbia, Deschutes, Hood River, Jackson, Josephine, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Marion, Polk, Tillamook, Wasco, Yamhill, parts of Clackamas, Multnomah, & Washington)

$13.25 per hour
Portland Metro Area
Clackamas, Multnomah, & Washington

$11.50 per hour
Nonurban Counties
(Baker, Coos, Crook, Curry, Douglas, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Jefferson, Klamath, Lake, Malheur, Morrow, Sherman, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, Wheeler)

- Every worker must be paid at least minimum wage. There are exceptions but they are uncommon.
- The minimum wage goes up every year. The next increase is on July 1, 2021. These rates are in effect from July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021.
- Tip credits are illegal in Oregon.
- Deductions are allowed if legally required or if you agree in writing and the deduction is for your benefit. Your paycheck must show this information.
- If you make close to minimum wage, you may qualify for the Earned Income Tax Credit. Visit eitcoutreach.org

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