



2017 River Valley Labor Survey

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Overview of Labor Survey

Thirty-seven responses to survey questions (31 in 2016)

Questions asked:

- *Do You Employ farm labor
- *Full-time, Part-time, or Seasonal
- *Wages or salary paid
- *Benefits offered.

Data reported on a district-wide basis

Note: FTE is 2080 hours

Full-Time Employees – 22 responses

Hourly	\$/hr	Annual Equivalent
High	\$22.00	\$45,760
Low	\$13.00	\$27,040
Average	\$17.25	\$35,880

Salary	Annual \$	Hourly Equivalent
High	\$50,000	\$24.04
Low	\$16,800	\$8.08
Average	\$37,600	\$18.08

Part-time Employees - 11 responses

Part-time	\$/hr
High	\$20.00
Low	\$9.00
Average	\$13.72

Seasonal Employees — 15 responses

Seasonal	\$/hr
High	\$26.00
Low	\$12.00
Average	\$14.86

Benefits

Benefit Provided	Full-Time	Part-Time	Seasonal
Meals	8	5	6
Housing	5	0	0
Meat	4	0	0
Paid Holidays	5	0	0
Paid Vacation	11	1	0
Paid Sick Leave	8	2	0
Health Insurance	7 paid full, 1 paid 1/2	0	0
Dental Insurance	1		
Vehicle	6	0	3 (during seasonal work)
Equipment Use	8	1	6
Retirement	4	0	0
Clothing	1 (some)	1 (some)	