



## Position: Retail Salespersons, Supervisors & Cashiers

Retail Salespersons, Supervisors and Cashiers work in stores, other retail businesses, and wholesale businesses. In addition, Cashiers may also work in restaurants, theatres, recreational and sports establishments, government and business offices.

### Occupation Fast Facts:

- The average wage for Retail Salespersons, Supervisors and Cashiers in British Columbia (B.C.) was \$16.30/hour in 2018
- In 2019, a total of more than 287,000 employees worked in the retail trade sector in B.C. It's anticipated that this sector will grow six per cent between 2019 and 2026 with continued demand for consumer goods.
- In Squamish, the retail trade sector employs 1,300 workers and is anticipated to grow by four per cent between 2019 and 2026.
- In 2018, average annual wages for the retail trade sector in B.C. were \$32,463 while in Squamish, average wages were slightly higher at \$32,655.

### Regional Job Profiles:

Location	2020 Forecasted Jobs	2018		
		Avg. Hourly Wage (\$)	Median Hourly Wage (\$)	Annual Median Wages (\$)
Whistler	696	16.04	14.14	29,409
Vancouver	31,202	16.30	14.35	29,844
Squamish	716	16.29	16.29	29,952
North Van	2,050	16.34	14.41	29,980
West Van	1,181	16.25	14.31	29,763

### Stand Apart:



What makes your company a great place to work? Discuss your strengths, workplace culture, and any unique benefits to set your company apart.

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### Regional Job Postings: January 2019 – November 2019

Location	Whistler	Squamish	West Van.	North Van.	Vancouver
Unique Postings	546	262	654	933	1,393
Posting Intensity	3:1	3:1	3:1	3:1	3:1
Posting Duration	30 days	32 days	28 days	26 days	23 days
Top Jobs Posted	Sales Associate	Sales Associate	Sales Associate	Sales Associate	Sales Associate
Education Mention	Unspecified, High-School	Unspecified, High-School	Unspecified, High-School	Unspecified, High-School	Unspecified, High-School
Experience Mention	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
In-Demand Skills	Customer Service	Customer Service	Sales	Sales	Sales
Top Sites	Workopolis	Workopolis	Wowjobs	Wowjobs	Wowjobs

### Change Up Your Tactics:

Hard to hire? Try something new. Launch an employee referral program, work with a professional recruiter, partner with education providers, or leverage support from [WorkBC.ca](http://WorkBC.ca).

### Want to learn more?

Contact [economicdevelopment@squamish.ca](mailto:economicdevelopment@squamish.ca) to enquire about customized industry and labour data for your company.

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