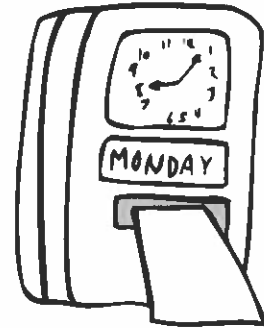


# Understanding Your Paycheck

## CALCULATING GROSS PAY

**G**ross pay is your total earnings before deductions. To calculate gross pay, multiply the hourly wage by the number of hours worked. Find the gross pay for each of the workers below.



### ANDREA

Andrea works for Linido, Ltd., a full-service hair salon. During the past two weeks, she worked 75 hours. She makes \$7.50 per hour. How much is her gross pay?

### MATT

Matt works for the city. He makes \$8.00 per hour for the first 40 hours each week. He is paid \$12.00 per hour for time over 40 hours. During the past two weeks, he worked 38 hours the first week and 47 hours the second week. How much is his gross pay?

### LUCIENDA

Lucienda makes \$10.00, not including tips, for each five hour shift she waitresses. Last week, she worked four shifts. She made the following tips: Sun.—\$20.00; Wed.—\$23.00; Fri.—\$55.00; and Sat.—\$63.00. How much is her gross pay?

### JOEY

Joey works at a department store in the mall. He makes \$6.47 an hour regular time and \$9.50 an hour overtime (over 40 hours per week). Last week he worked 54 hours. This week he worked 62 hours. How much is his gross pay?

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## MATCHING PAYCHECK PARTS

The rounded boxes below describe a paycheck. On the paycheck, the parts are marked with circled letters. Match the different sections of the paycheck to the descriptions by writing the matching letter on the blank line in each box.



- Bank where Miller Barbecue Hut does business  
1. \_\_\_\_\_
- Net pay  
2. \_\_\_\_\_
- Name of company where Henry Clark works  
3. \_\_\_\_\_
- Six hundred forty-two checks have been written on this account.  
4. \_\_\_\_\_
- Employee's name  
5. \_\_\_\_\_

Hourly wage for overtime work  
6. \_\_\_\_\_

Hours worked over 40 per week  
7. \_\_\_\_\_

Hourly wage for first 40 hours each week  
8. \_\_\_\_\_

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f Miller Barbecue Hut  
478 West Windrow  
Boring, UT 84201

Date \_\_\_\_\_

PAY TO THE ORDER OF Henry Clark b \$ 687.17 c

Six hundred eighty-seven and 17/100 DOLLARS

Thomas P. Jones p

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**DEDUCTIONS**

m	g	d	a	l	i	n	h	o	k
Reg. Rate	Overtime Rate	Reg. Hours	Overtime Hours	Total Pay	Fed. Tax	State Tax	FICA	Ins. Plan	Net Pay
12.50	18.75	80	5	1093.75	218.17	54.93	83.48	50.00	687.17

Total regular hours worked in two weeks  
9. \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of person who signs payroll checks  
10. \_\_\_\_\_

A deduction: employee paid part of company health plan  
11. \_\_\_\_\_

- Take home pay  
12. \_\_\_\_\_
- Total pay before deductions  
13. \_\_\_\_\_
- A deduction: money paid to Social Security  
14. \_\_\_\_\_
- A deduction: money paid to the state government  
15. \_\_\_\_\_
- A deduction: money paid to the federal government  
16. \_\_\_\_\_