

PLASTERERS, DRYWALL INSTALLERS AND LATHERS

NOC 73102: PLASTERERS, DRYWALL INSTALLERS AND FINISHERS AND LATHERS

Plasterers apply plaster on walls, ceilings and building partitions. Drywall installers install and finish drywall sheets. Lathers install support framework for ceilings, walls and building partitions.



3-YEAR OUTLOOK

Limited

3-YEAR JOB OPENINGS

61

MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

\$25.00

\$17.00 \$28.87

TYPICALLY REQUIRED

High school / on-the-job training

EMPLOYED

469

AVERAGE SALARY

\$45,600

The information presented is based on data for New Brunswick. To learn more about the data provided, visit www.nbjobs.ca/occupations.

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY

94.6%	Construction
N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A
5.4%	All Other Industries

EMPLOYMENT BY AGE

9.5%	15-24
17.6%	25-34
23.0%	35-44
16.2%	45-54
29.7%	55-64
4.1%	65+

ALSO KNOWN AS

- Acoustical Ceiling Installer
- Drywall Finisher
- Ceiling Installer
- Drywall Applicator
- Drywall Installer And Finisher Apprentice
- Drywall Taper

MAIN DUTIES:

This group performs some or all of the following duties:

Plasterers

- Clean and prepare surfaces
- Mix plaster ingredients in trough to desired consistency.

Drywall installers and finishers

- Measure, cut and fit drywall sheets for installation on walls and ceilings
- Position and secure sheets to metal or wooden studs or joists.

Lathers

• Prepare wall and ceiling layouts.

