



NATIONAL MINIMUM WAGE – INCREASE FROM OCTOBER 2014

Brian Butler, Health & Safety and Employment Advisor for GCMA, answers a query about the wage increase falling in-line with inflation.

Helpline Question

Q: I have heard that there will be the usual rise in the National Minimum Wage in October but it will be below-inflation. Do you have all the rates as they will be from 1 October 2014?

A: The National Minimum Wage (NMW) rates are detailed below in the table.

National Minimum Wage (NMW) rates	Rate from 1 October 2014	Rate from 1 October 2013 – 30 September 2014
Workers aged 21 and over	£6.50 per hour	£6.31 per hour
Workers aged 18 to 20	£5.13 per hour	£5.03 per hour
16 and 17 year olds	£3.79 per hour	£3.72 per hour
Apprentices (eg those under the age of 19 and older apprentices in the first year of apprenticeship)	£2.73 per hour	£2.68 per hour

For full information please access the HMRC website:

<http://www.hmrc.gov.uk/payerti/forms-updates/rates-thresholds.htm#2>

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