

# Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers

Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers use hand-welding, flame-cutting, hand soldering, or brazing equipment to weld or join metal components or to fill holes, indentations, or seams of fabricated metal products. Classroom training and on-the-job training are needed.

Employees in this field usually have an Associate's Degree. Individuals need to have attention to detail, critical thinking, and reading comprehension. Employees work in shop conditions and need decent physical conditioning.

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**Brazos Valley Mean Wage**  
\$46,731 (\$22.47/hr.)

**Statewide Mean Wage**  
\$38,100 (\$18.32/hr.)

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Above table shows the average wage for Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers in the Brazos Valley and State of Texas.

