

# WEST VIRGINIA



For more information about WEST VIRGINIA, click here: www.wv.gov



## WEST VIRGINIA - CLIMATE

#### https://www.britannica.com/place/West-Virginia/Climate

West Virginia has a humid continental climate, with hot summers and cool to cold winters. The climate of the eastern panhandle is influenced by its proximity to the Atlantic slope and is similar to that of nearby coastal areas. Mean annual temperatures vary from 56°F (13°C) in the southwest to 48°F (9°C) at higher elevations. The yearly average is 53°F (12°C). The highest recorded temperature, 112°F (44°C), was at Martinsburg on 10 July 1936; the lowest, -37°F (-38°C), at Lewisburg on 30 December 1917.

Prevailing winds are from the south and west, and seldom reach hurricane or tornado force. In Charleston, average annual precipitation (1971–2000) was 44 in (111.8 cm) annually and is slightly heavier on the western slopes of the Alleghenies. Accumulations of snow may vary from about 20 in (51cm) in the western sections to more than 50 in (127 cm) in the higher mountains.

The state has distinct seasons of about equal length. It has a humid continental climate except for a marine modification in the eastern panhandle. Mean annual temperatures, reflecting latitude and elevation, range from about 56 °F (13 °C) in the south to 52 °F (11 °C) in the north and 48 °F (9 °C) in the most mountainous regions. January is the coldest month, with a statewide average of 33 °F (1 °C), and July is warmest, with a 73 °F (23 °C) average. The growing season averages 160 days but ranges from 120 to 180 days.

#### **MAJOR CITIES:**

Central WEST VIRGINIA North WEST VIRGINIA

East WEST VIRGINIA

South WEST VIRGINIA

Charleston Parkersburg, Wheeling, Clarksburg Harper's Ferry, Elkins Beckley, Welch, Hinton

## **CULTURAL ACTIVITIES**







#### Click on these sites for more cultural activity ideas:

- <u>https://travel.usnews.com/features/top-things-to-do-in-west-virginia</u>
- https://wvtourism.com/
- <u>https://www.tripadvisor.com/Attractions-g28971-Activities-West\_Virginia.html</u>

Heritage Farm Museum and Village – Huntington https://www.heritagefarmmuseum.com/

Exhibition Coal Mine – Beckley https://beckley.org/coal-mine/

The Greenbrier – White Sulphur Springs https://www.greenbrier.com/

West Virginia Botanic Garden – Morgantow https://www.wvbg.org/

Lost World Caverns – Lewisburg https://www.lostworldcaverns.com/

Cass Scenic Railroad State Park – Cass https://wvstateparks.com/park/cass-scenicrailroad-state-park

State Capitol – Charleston https://wvtourism.com/company/state-capitolcomplex/

National Radio Astronomy Observatory – Green Bank https://public.nrao.edu/

Kanawha State Forest https://wvstateparks.com/park/kanawha-stateforest/

## **GROCERY SHOPPING**

Aldi	Giant Eagle
Broughton Foods	Kroger
Fas Check Supermarket	Save-A-Lot
Food Lion	Wal-Mart Supermarket

#### Click on this link for more grocery stores:

http://supermarketpage.com/state/WV/





## **SHOPPING MALLS**

Click on this link for a list of shopping malls:

https://mallseeker.com/west-virginia-malls.aspx

## PHARMACIES

Walgreens	CVS Pharmacy
Kroger Pharmacy	Walmart
Sams Club	

#### Click here to locate other pharmacies:

https://www.goodrx.com/pharmacy-near-me/all/wv



## **POST OFFICES / SHIPPING**



United States Postal Service Click here for more information: http://www.postofficehours.net/state/WV.html

FederalExpress Click here for more information: https://local.fedex.com/en-us/wv

UPS

Click here for more information: https://locations.theupsstore.com/wv





USA REGION

## TIME ZONES

Click here for more information: https://www.timetemperature.com/tzus/west virginia\_time\_zone.shtml

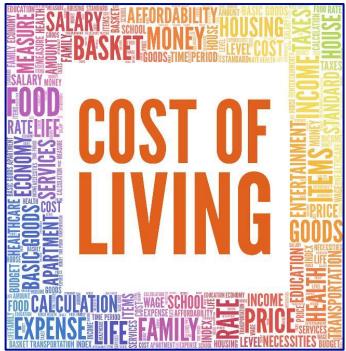




STANDARD TIME ZONES OF UNITED STATES



#### **COST OF LIVING IN WEST VIRGINIA**



Click here for more information: https://livingcost.org/cost/united-states/wv



#### MINIMUM WAGE

State	2025 Minimum Wage	2025 Tipped Wage
WV	\$8.75	\$2.62

#### Click here for more information:

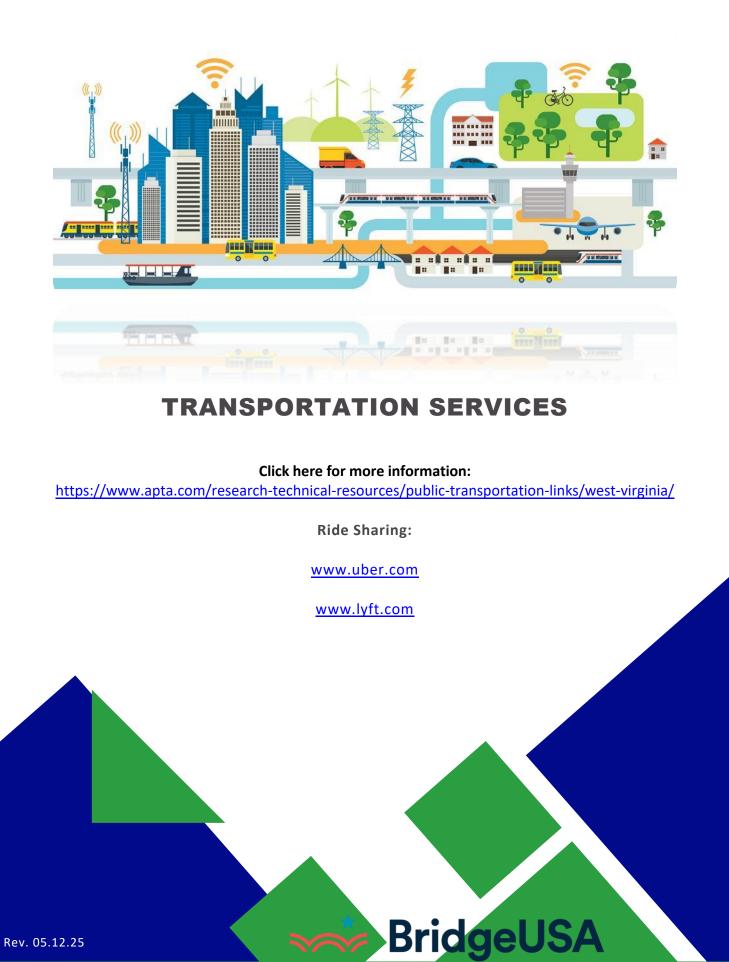
https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/minimum-wage/state#wv or

https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/state/minimumwage/tipped#WestVirginia

## WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Click here for more information: https://www.wvinsurance.gov/Workers-Compensation





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