8. (a) $E(u_t | Y_{t-1}, Y_{t-2},...) = 0$ because Y_{t-p} for p = 1, 2,... is a function of $(u_{t-p}, u_{t-p-1},...)$ and u_t is i.i.d.

(b)
$$E(Y_t) = \frac{\beta_0}{1 - \beta_1}$$
, $var(Y_t) = \frac{\sigma_u^2}{1 - \beta_1^2}$ due to stationarity of Y_t and $E(u_t) = 0$ and $var(u_t) = \sigma_u^2$

(c)
$$\rho_{1} = corr(Y_{t}, Y_{t-1}) = \beta_{1}$$
 from $cov(Y_{t}, Y_{t-1}) = \beta_{1} var(Y_{t-1}) = \frac{\beta_{1}\sigma_{u}^{2}}{1 - \beta_{1}^{2}}$

$$\rho_{2} = corr(Y_{t}, Y_{t-2}) = \beta_{1}^{2} \text{ from } cov(Y_{t}, Y_{t-2}) = \beta_{1}^{2} var(Y_{t-2}) = \frac{\beta_{1}^{2}\sigma_{u}^{2}}{1 - \beta_{1}^{2}}$$

$$\rho_{p} = corr(Y_{t}, Y_{t-p}) = \beta_{1}^{p} \text{ from } cov(Y_{t}, Y_{t-p}) = \beta_{1}^{p} var(Y_{t-p}) = \frac{\beta_{1}^{p}\sigma_{u}^{2}}{1 - \beta_{1}^{2}}$$
(d) $Y_{T+1|T} = E(Y_{T+1} | Y_{T}, Y_{T-1}, ...) = E(\beta_{0} + \beta_{1}Y_{T} + u_{T+1} | Y_{T}, Y_{T-1}, ...) = \beta_{0} + \beta_{1}Y_{T} = \beta_{0} + \beta_{1}Y_{T}$

9. (a)

	Sample mean (earn)	Sample standard deviation (s_{earn})	Number of observations (n)
All	369.349	174.952	8033
Those without a college degree (colgrad = 0)	320.043	130.012	4233
College graduates (colgrad = 1)	424.273	200.315	3800

 \overline{earn} is equivalent to the constant term estimate \hat{c} from $earn_i = c + \varepsilon_i$.

$$s_{eam} = \sqrt{n \times SE(\overline{earn})^2} = \sqrt{8033 \times 1.952^2} = 174.9519$$

From
$$earn_i = \gamma_0 + \gamma_1 colgrad_i + \grave{Q}_i$$
,

$$\overline{earn}_{ltcol} = \hat{\gamma}_0 = 320.0428$$

$$\overline{earn}_{colgrad} = \hat{\gamma}_0 + \hat{\gamma}_1 = 320.0428 + 104.2304 = 424.2732$$

$$s_{eam,ltcol} = \sqrt{n_{ltcol} \times SE(\hat{\gamma}_0)^2} = \sqrt{4233 \times 1.9983^2} = 130.0124$$

$$s_{earn, colgrad} = \sqrt{n_{colgrad} \times \left(SE(\hat{\gamma}_1)^2 - \frac{s_{earn, locol}^2}{n_{ltcol}}\right)} = \sqrt{n_{colgrad} \times \left(SE(\hat{\gamma}_1)^2 - SE(\hat{\gamma}_0)^2\right)}$$
$$= \sqrt{3800 \times (3.8148^2 - 1.9983^2)} = 200.315$$

(b) $\hat{\beta}_1 = 110.9976$. Among 30–59 year old, male, full-time wage workers, college graduates earn 1,109,976 KRW more than those without a college degree holding age group constant.

Yes. When testing H_0 : $\beta_1 = 100$ vs. H_1 : $\beta_1 > 100$, the null hypothesis is rejected at the 1% significance level because $t = \frac{110.9976 - 100}{3.7588} = 2.9258 > 2.33$.

(c)
$$\bar{R}^2 = 1 - \frac{n-1}{n-k-1}(1-R^2) = 1 - \frac{8033-1}{8033-4}(1-0.1342542) = 0.1339$$

- (d) Including age3039 in the regression specification with a constant term results in perfect multicollinearity because age3039 + age4049 + age5059 = 1.
- (e) $H_0: \beta_1 = \beta_2 = \beta_3 = 0$ vs. $H_1: \beta_1 \neq 0$ and/or $\beta_2 \neq 0$ and/or $\beta_3 \neq 0$ The heteroskedasticity-robust *F*-statistic = 393.19 and the *p*-value $< 2.2 \times 10^{-16}$. Thus, we can reject the null hypothesis at the 1% significance level.
- (f) No. Even when age (i.e., experience) are controlled for, there could still be systematic differences between college graduates and those without a college degree, for example, in family background or innate ability. If college graduates have higher innate ability and more able people earn more, $\hat{\beta}_1$ would be biased upwards and fail to uncover the causal effect of a college degree on earnings.