

## Tile and Stone Setters

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**Description:** Apply hard tile, stone, and comparable materials to walls, floors, ceilings, countertops, and roof decks.

#### Other Resources:

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**Sample of Reported Job Titles:** Ceramic Tile Mechanic, Ceramic Tile Setter, Marble Mason

### Job Zone

**Title:** 2 - Some Preparation Needed

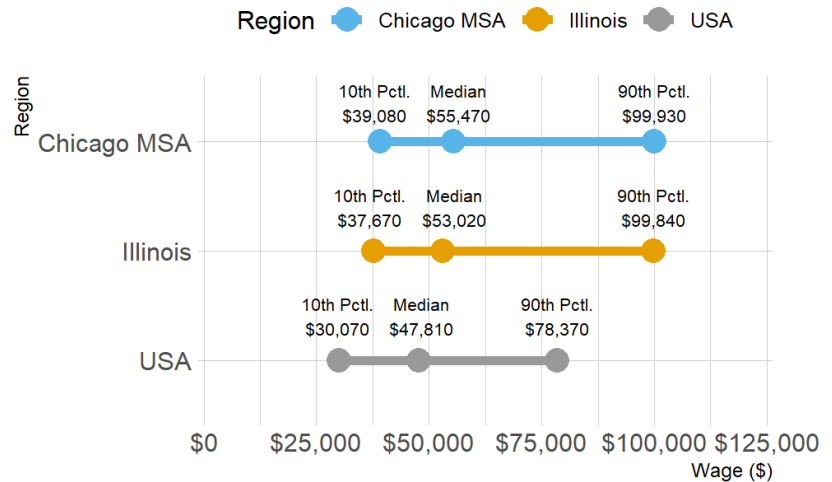
**Education:** Usually require a high school diploma.

**Experience:** Some previous work-related skill, knowledge, or experience is needed.

**Training:** A few months to one year of working with experienced employees needed. A recognized apprenticeship program may be associated with these occupations.

**Hot Technologies:** EasyCAD Iris 2D, Microsoft Office Suite, Salesforce software, TileGem

Region	Employment	Location Quotient	Median Wage
Chicago MSA	670	0.54	\$55,470
Illinois	890	0.54	\$53,020
USA	41,160	—	\$47,810



### Top 5 Core Tasks According to Current Job Holders

**Importance**  
**Frequency (out of 100)**

Cut and shape tile to fit around obstacles and into odd spaces and corners, using hand and power cutting tools.

Daily

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Align and straighten tile using levels, squares, and straightedges.

Daily

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Lay and set mosaic tiles to create decorative wall, mural, and floor designs.

Daily

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Determine and implement the best layout to achieve a desired pattern.

Daily

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Finish and dress the joints and wipe excess grout from between tiles, using damp sponge.

Daily

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