Median Weekly Earnings by Educational Attainment

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Doctoral or Professional degree                                $1790.00

Master's degree                                                               $1401.00

Bachelor's degree                                                            $1173.00

Associate degree                                                             $ 836.00

Some college, no degree                                              $ 774.00

High school diploma, no college                                 $ 712.00

Less than a high school diploma                                 $ 520.00

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Weekly earnings by degree (U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2018)

1)  What is the average difference in earnings between people with a four-year college degree or higher (Bachelor's or higher) and those with less than a 4-year degree? Be sure to show your calculations along with your answer.

2) What conclusions can be drawn about the relationship between educational attainment and weekly earnings?