Labour market information by region

January - March 2020

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Labour Market Information

North East and Cumbria

Employment

71.4%

UK average 76.3%.

Unemployment

6.2%

UK average 3.8%.

Salary

The average income is £27,716 a year

Working Hours

On average people work 31.5 hours a week

Self-Employed

11.3%

196,500 people are self-employed

Predicted Job Growth

+61,300 extra jobs by 2024

Sectors set to grow

Teaching and Education
Health and Social Work
Information Technology
Professional Services
Construction
Finance and Insurance
Wholesale & Retail

Where are the most jobs now?

Health and Social Care
Wholesale and Retail
Manufacturing
Education
Administratin

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Labour Market Information

North West

Employment
76.2%
UK average 76.3%

Unemployment
4.2%
UK average 3.8%

Salary
The average income is £28,589 a year

Working Hours
On average people work 31.9 hours a week

Self-Employed
431,000 people are self-employed

Self-Employed
9.5%

Predicted Job Growth
+134,000 extra jobs by 2024

Sectors set to grow
Finance & Business
Construction
Information Technology
Transport and Storage
Cultural & Creative
Health and Social Work

Where are the most jobs now?
Wholesale and Retail
Health and Social Care
Manufacturing
Science & Technology
Administration

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Labour Market Information

East of England & Buckinghamshire

Employment
78.5%

Unemployment
3.3%

UK average 76.3%.

UK average 3.8%.

The average income is £30,212 a year

On average people work 31.6 hours a week

289,700 people are self-employed

+52,000 extra jobs by 2024

Sectors set to grow
Health and Social Care
Support Services
Construction
Wholesale and Retail
Information Technology
Professional Services

Wholesale and Retail
Health and Social Care
Science and Technology
Administration
Education

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Labour Market Information

East Midlands & Northamptonshire

Employment

77.2%

UK average 76.3%.

Unemployment

3.9%

UK average 3.8%.

Salary

The average income is £27,825 a year

Working Hours

On average people work 31.6 hours a week

Self-Employed

279,000 people are self-employed

Predicted Job Growth

+47,000 extra jobs by 2024

Sectors set to grow

Construction
Whole trade and Retail
Health and Social Work
Transport & Storage
Science & Technology
Manufacturing

Where are the most jobs now?

Wholesale and Retail
Health and Social Care
Manufacturing
Education
Administration

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Labour Market Information
South West and Oxfordshire

**Employment**
- 79.8%
- UK average 76.3%

**Unemployment**
- 2.8%
- UK average 3.8%

**Salary**
The average income is **£28,672** a year

**Working Hours**
On average people work **31.2** hours a week

**Self-Employed**
486,700 people are self-employed

**Predicted Job Growth**
+187,000 extra jobs by 2024

**Sectors set to grow**
- STEM
- Health and Social Work
- Construction
- Professional Services
- Wholesale and Retail
- Information Technology
- Support Services

**Where are the most jobs now?**
- Wholesale and Retail
- Health and Social Care
- Accommodation and Food Service
- Education
- Science and Technology

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Labour Market Information

South East

Employment
79.7%

Unemployment
3.3%

UK average 76.3%.

Salary
The average income is £31,902 a year

Working Hours
On average people work 31.6 hours a week

Self-Employed
771,600 people are self-employed

Female 76.5%
Male 82.8%

Predicted Job Growth
+110,000 extra jobs by 2024

Sectors set to grow
Support Services
Professional Services
Information and Technology
Construction
Health and Social Care
Transport and Storage

Where are the most jobs now?

Wholesale and Retail
Health and Social Care
Education
Science and Technology
Administration

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Labour Market Information
West Midlands & Staffordshire

**Employment**
- 75.4%
  - Female 71.1%
  - Male 79.9%

**Unemployment**
- 4.3%
  - UK average 3.8%

**Salary**
- The average income is £28,730 a year

**Working Hours**
- On average people work 31.7 hours a week

**Self-Employed**
- 11.8%
  - 432,600 people are self-employed

**Predicted Job Growth**
- +88,000 extra jobs by 2024

**Sectors set to grow**
- Construction
- Health and Social Work
- Support Services
- Transport and Storage
- Professional Services

**Where are the most jobs now?**
- Wholesale and Retail
- Health and Social Care
- Manufacturing
- Education
- Administration

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Labour Market Information

London

**Employment**
- 75.6%
- UK average 76.3%

**Unemployment**
- 4.3%
- UK average 3.8%

**Salary**
- The average income is £38,298 a year

**Working Hours**
- On average people work 33.4 hours a week

**Self-Employed**
- 14.3%
- 859,900 people are self-employed

**Predicted Job Growth**
- +155,000 extra jobs by 2024

**Sectors set to grow**
- Professional Services
- Information Technology
- Health and Social Work
- Construction
- Finance and Insurance
- Financial Technology
- Energy

**Where are the most jobs now?**
- Science and Technology
- Wholesale and Retail
- Administration
- Information Technology
- Health and Social Care

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Labour Market Information
Yorkshire and The Humber

Employment
73.4%
UK average 76.3%

Unemployment
4.3%
UK average 3.8%

Self-Employed
13.4%
458,500 people are self-employed

Salary
The average income is £27,981 a year

Working Hours
On average people work 31.7 hours a week

Self-Employed

Predicted Job Growth
+78,000 extra jobs by 2024

Sectors set to grow
Health and Social Work
Professional Services
Construction
Information Technology
Transport and Storage
Wholesale and Retail

Where are the most jobs now?
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Labour Market Information

UK Overview

**Employment**

The UK employment rate is **76.3%** (80.4% male, 72.3% female)

**Unemployment**

The UK unemployment rate is **3.8%** (4% male, 3.6% female)

**Salary**

The average income is **£30,414** a year

**Working Hours**

On average people work **31.9** hours a week

**Self-Employed**

4.5 million people are self-employed

**Predicted Job Growth**

6% growth by 2024 creating **1,974,000 extra jobs in the UK**

**Fastest growing sectors**

Financial Technology
Digital Marketing
Biotechnology
Gaming and Virtual Reality
I.T/Technology
Engineering
Healthcare

**Where are the most jobs now?**

Wholesale and Retail (4.9million)
Health and Social Care (4.4million)
Science and Technology (3.2million)
Administration (3million)
Education (2.9million)

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