



National News

The latest Labour Market overview produced by ONS can be viewed here

<https://www.ons.gov.uk/employmentandlabourmarket/peopleinwork/employmentandemployeetypes/bulletins/uklabourmarket/january2021>

Transforming the National Careers Service: What does the Skills for Jobs White Paper really mean?
<https://www.fenews.co.uk/fevoices/62468-what-does-the-skills-for-jobs-white-paper-really-mean>

EasyJet confirms 1,400 UK jobs cut as it warns only 10% of flights will run until March
<https://www.thesun.co.uk/money/13873911/easyjet-job-cuts-flights-coronavirus-latest/>

John Lewis Partnership to confirm 1500 head office job cuts this week

<https://www.retailgazette.co.uk/blog/2021/01/john-lewis-partnership-to-confirm-1500-head-office-job-cuts-this-week/>

BT plans to hire 400 apprentices to boost 5G

<https://sports.yahoo.com/bt-plans-to-hire-400-apprentices-to-boost-5-g-000153900.html>

Apprenticeships will get young people out of the Covid-19 jobless crisis but we need to invest fast

<https://www.google.com/url?rct=j&sa=t&url=https://www.standard.co.uk/business/apprenticeships-young-people-youth-jobless-crisis-covid-b901190.html&ct=ga&cd=CAEYAYoUMTM2NjgxMDM0MzYxMjU3NjM3NDEyGjg5MmU5NGU0ZjE3OVI2ZGQ6Y29tOmVuOjVt&usg=AFQjCNGwfhMsB1U0rT3YiqaU6o7t7T3jTQ>

UK job losses: retail redundancies grow as Asos buys Topshop

<https://www.telegraph.co.uk/business/0/job-losses-uk-coronavirus-covid-asos-topshop-arcadia/>

Lidl slumps to £25m loss after store expansion and hiring spree

<https://www.oxfordmail.co.uk/news/national/19045256.lidl-slumps-25m-loss-store-expansion-hiring-spreed/>

Whirlpool wins top employer award in UK and Europe

<https://www.kbbreview.com/34575/news/whirlpool-wins-top-employer-awards-in-uk-and-europe/>

University of Birmingham launches new Student Knowledge Exchange Project

<https://www.birmingham.ac.uk/news/latest/2021/02/university-of-birmingham-launches-new-student-knowledge-exchange-project.aspx>

Eight in 10 say employers have supported them well during pandemic

<https://www.personneltoday.com/hr/eight-in-10-say-employers-have-supported-them-well-during-pandemic/>

Apprenticeships are critical to tackling climate change

<https://www.fenews.co.uk/press-releases/62577-apprenticeships-are-critical-to-tackling-climate-change>

BT To Create Over 400 New Graduate Jobs & Apprenticeships In The UK

<https://www.e4s.co.uk/news/articles/view/2562/job-news-and-information/graduate/BT-To-Create-Over-400-New-Graduate-Jobs--Apprenticeships-In-The-UK>

Fashion-Enter on a mission to boost made in Britain

https://www.just-style.com/interview/fashion-enter-on-a-mission-to-boost-made-in-britain_id140580.aspx

OVER 50S INCREASINGLY CONCERNED THAT THEIR JOB PROSPECTS ARE DISMAL

<https://www.thehrdirector.com/business-news/employment/50s-increasingly-concerned-job-prospects-dismal/>

Newcastle tech scene 'one to watch' as analysis shows it is ripe for investment boom

<https://www.business-live.co.uk/technology/newcastle-tech-hub-scale-ratio-19728742>

Labour Warns That 650,000 Hospitality Businesses Face Possibility of Going Bust

<https://london.eater.com/2021/2/1/22260302/will-restaurants-reopen-coronavirus-business-impact-closures-2021>

Airbus staff in Flintshire vote for work-hours cut plan to save jobs

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-wales-55877402>

The NHS is recruiting – Search NHS Careers

<https://www.google.com/url?rct=j&sa=t&url=https://www.keepthefaitth.co.uk/2021/01/31/the-nhs-is-recruiting-search-nhs->

[careers/&ct=ga&cd=CAEYACoUMTM0MDQ1OTU5ODk4NzUyMjE4OTQyGjhhODc1ZTM5YmJhMGU2NDc6Y29tOmVuOIVT&usg=AFQjCNGpffVw-wgaK43TJG1AoFjFYTbzTQ](https://www.inyourarea.co.uk/news/nine-jobs-you-can-apply-for-in-aldershot-farnborough-and-fleet-today-290121/)

Nine jobs you can apply for in Aldershot, Farnborough and Fleet today

<https://www.inyourarea.co.uk/news/nine-jobs-you-can-apply-for-in-aldershot-farnborough-and-fleet-today-290121/>

Everton FC are hiring and one job promises you'll be at the heart of the action

<https://www.liverpooecho.co.uk/news/liverpool-news/everton-fc-hiring-one-job-19719657>

Tech firms need to grasp the chance to change their hiring

<https://www.cityam.com/tech-firms-need-to-grasp-the-chance-to-change-their-hiring/>

Fury as at least nine UK universities plan job cuts

<https://www.universityworldnews.com/post.php?story=20210131042418301>

These Are The Best Jobs In The UK For 2021

<https://www.refinery29.com/en-gb/best-jobs-uk-2021>

Nissan to cut around 160 office-based UK jobs

<https://japantoday.com/category/business/nissan-to-cut-around-160-office-based-uk-jobs>

Lower Thames Crossing to create 22,000 job opportunities

<https://www.constructionnews.co.uk/skills/lower-thames-crossing-to-create-22000-job-opportunities-29-01-2021/>

Police forces hire more than 6,000 new officers

<https://www.somersetlive.co.uk/news/uk-world-news/police-forces-hire-more-6000-4938118>

Monster survey finds 46% of big companies more open to hiring remote workers

<https://www.techrepublic.com/article/monster-survey-finds-46-of-big-companies-more-open-to-hiring-remote-workers/>

More than half of world's airline pilots no longer flying, finds survey

<https://www.tribuneindia.com/news/world/more-than-half-of-worlds-airline-pilots-no-longer-flying-finds-survey-204632>

Rapid shift away from fossil fuels would risk 'extraordinary' UK job losses

<https://www.thisismoney.co.uk/money/markets/article-9202913/Blackrock-Retreat-fossil-fuels-cost-UK-jobs.html>

HS2 launches website to promote 20,000 jobs set to be created by phase one of the project

<https://www.globalrailwayreview.com/news/117163/hs2-website-promote-jobs-phase-one-project/>

Gaming Careers Are Driving The Next Generation of Creativity

<https://www.fenews.co.uk/press-releases/62457-gaming-careers-are-driving-the-next-generation-of-creativity>

Berks

Three UK jobs you can apply for in Berkshire

<https://www.getreading.co.uk/news/reading-berkshire-news/three-uk-jobs-reading-berkshire-19727023>

Robots are set to swamp the jobs market

<https://www.thetimes.co.uk/article/robots-are-set-to-swamp-the-jobs-market-k6505m3d6>

Thames Water plans to recruit more than 1,000 people

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-berkshire-55824737>

Cornwall & the Isle of Scilly

Pandemic increases demand for environmental subjects at Cornish college

<https://www.hortweek.com/pandemic-increases-demand-environmental-subjects-cornish-college/landscape/article/1705764>

Dorset

Recruitment drive for social care jobs in Dorset

<https://www.dorsetecho.co.uk/news/19047371.recruitment-drive-social-care-jobs-dorset/>

Department store Jenners to close with loss of 200 jobs

<https://www.dorsetecho.co.uk/news/national/19037149.department-store-jenners-close-loss-200-jobs/>

Gloucestershire

'Plethora of offers' for Gloucester's Debenhams building as 120 staff to lose jobs

<https://www.gloucestershirelive.co.uk/whats-on/whats-on-news/plethora-offers-gloucesters-debenhams-building-4935865>

Young people bearing brunt of unemployment in Gloucestershire

<https://www.punchline-gloucester.com/articles/aanews/young-people-bearing-brunt-of-unemployment-in-gloucestershire>

The Forum: Go-ahead for Gloucester's £107m campus plan

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-gloucestershire-55870910>

Developer named as key partner for Gloucestershire's £400 million cyber central project

<https://www.soglos.com/business/49354/Developer-named-as-key-partner-for-Gloucestershires-400-million-cyber-central-project>

Heart of the South West

Thousands of new jobs as Hinkley Point C to ramp up

<https://www.itv.com/news/westcountry/2021-01-29/thousands-of-new-jobs-as-hinkley-point-c-to-ramp-up>

Work begins on road improvements that will 'unlock' East Devon and Exeter AirPark and 1,000 jobs

<https://eastdevonnews.co.uk/2021/01/25/work-begins-on-road-improvements-that-will-unlock-east-devon-and-exeter-airpark-and-1000-jobs/>

Hospiscare charity will hold virtual recruitment fair

<https://www.exmouthjournal.co.uk/news/hospiscare-jobs-fair-for-2021-6913010>

Plans on show for new Aldi and Costa Coffee at Torquay

<https://www.devonlive.com/news/plans-show-new-aldi-costa-4925712>

Work starts on £2.7m enterprise centre in Bruton

<https://www.somersetcountygazette.co.uk/news/19042506.work-starts-2-7m-enterprise-centre-bruton/>

£348,000 grant to preserve Tone Works, in Wellington

<https://www.somersetcountygazette.co.uk/news/19043079.348-000-grant-preserve-tone-works-wellington/>

Saxonvale regeneration scheme approved in 'positive next step' for Frome town centre

<https://www.somersetlive.co.uk/news/somerset-news/saxonvale-regeneration-scheme-approved-positive-4942358>

Card Factory given month to save shops from closure

<https://www.somersetlive.co.uk/news/uk-world-news/card-factory-given-month-save-4941465>

Police seek new Special Constable recruits

<https://www.midweekherald.co.uk/news/police-seek-new-special-constable-recruits-6880912>

New Business and Careers Hub to help young people in North Devon find jobs

<https://www.inyourarea.co.uk/news/new-hub-to-support-young-jobseekers-in-in-north-devon/>

Hinckley college students to take part in National Apprenticeships Week

<https://www.inyourarea.co.uk/news/hinckley-college-students-to-take-part-in-national-apprenticeships-week/>

More Devon National Trust jobs set to go as consultation reaches final phase

<https://www.devonlive.com/news/devon-news/more-devon-national-trust-jobs-4938918>

Oxfordshire

Oxford Virtual Job Fair to be held next month

<https://www.kitchenertoday.com/regional-news/oxford-virtual-job-fair-to-be-held-next-month-3301238>

Bluebird Care recruiting 50 new carers in Oxfordshire

<https://www.oxfordmail.co.uk/news/19055649.new-carers-wanted/>

Swindon/Wiltshire

Wasdell Group created 100 new jobs to fulfil Covid contracts producing packaging for products

<https://www.swindonadvertiser.co.uk/news/19050101.wasdell-group-created-100-new-jobs-fulfil-covid-contracts-producing-packaging-products/>

More Swindon families struggling to put food on table as pandemic hits jobs

<https://www.swindonadvertiser.co.uk/news/19049435.new-food-handout-opens-parks-help-families-without-work-pandemic/>

West of England

BACKING FOR THE BOTTLE YARD STUDIOS' EXPANSION PLANS

<https://www.insidermedia.com/news/south-west/backing-for-the-bottle-yard-studios-expansion-plans>

The possible fate of Debenhams building in Bristol city centre after closure

<https://www.bristolpost.co.uk/whats-on/shopping/possible-fate-debenhams-building-bristol-4939904>

Work begins on Weston's £20million broadband investment

<https://www.thewestonmercury.co.uk/news/business/weston-broadband-investment-7075580>

BRISTOL FIRM SUPPORTED BY £3M BOOST

<https://www.insidermedia.com/news/national/bristol-firm-supported-by-3m-boost>

Training provider offers free online help for workers needing to kickstart career

<https://www.somersetlive.co.uk/news/uk-world-news/training-provider-offers-free-online-4932751>

AEROSPACE JOBS SAFEGUARDED BY RESCUE DEAL

<https://www.insidermedia.com/news/south-west/aerospace-jobs-safeguarded-by-rescue-deal>