

Labour Market Information

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** Data used in this poster covers the period April - June 2020 and includes furloughed workers

Heart of the South West LEP

Plymouth, Devon, Torbay & Somerset



Employment

UK - 76.4%
LEP - 78.6%



Unemployment

UK - 3.9%
LEP - 3.4%

16-64 year old population = 1,033,400
Total population = 1,753,600

Full-Time Salary



UK Average - £30,414
LEP Average - £27,108

Self-Employment



162,000 people in the region are self-employed

Apprenticeships

There are approximately 331 live vacancies within a 40 mile radius of Exeter, including...

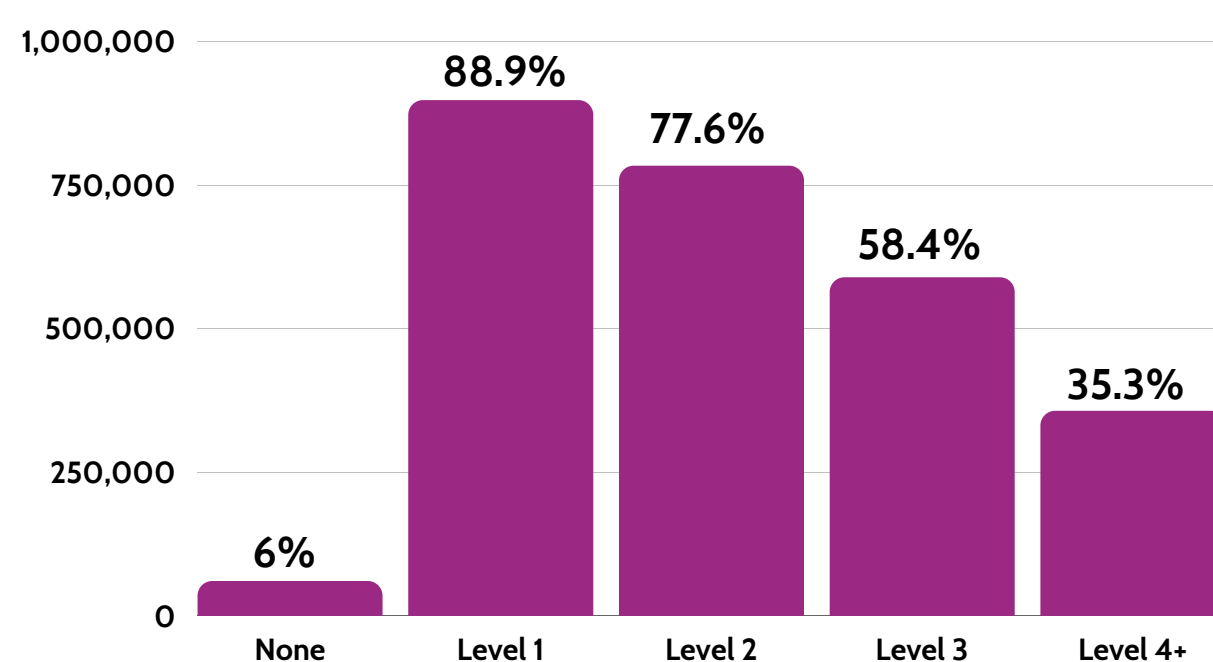
- Civil Engineering
- Business & Administration
- Carpentry
- Software Development
- Web Development
- Project Management
- Plumbing & Heating
- Childcare
- Healthcare
- Hospitality

Plus many more! Find local opportunities on www.apprenticeships.gov.uk/



Qualification levels

783,600 people have at least a level 2 qualification such as GCSEs or an NVQ.



Where do people work right now?

Most jobs

- Wholesale & Retail - 118,000 (16.7%)
- Health & Social Care - 114,000 (16.1%)
- Accommodation & Food - 74,000 (10.5%)
- Manufacturing - 69,000 (9.8%)
- Education - 65,000 (9.2%)

Fewest jobs

- Real Estate - 12,000 (1.7%)
- Finance & Insurance - 8,000 (1.1%)
- Water, Sewerage & Waste - 6,000 (0.8%)
- Electricity, Gas & Air - 4,500 (0.6%)
- Mining, Quarrying & Utilities - 1,250 (0.2%)

Growth Sectors

- Health and Social Care
- Digital and IT
- Construction
- Energy & Science
- Advanced Manufacturing

There are many other sectors that will grow in your region

What are some of the region's big name employers?

Pennon

Yessex Water
a YTL company

Mulberry

The Range
Home, Leisure & Garden

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WRIGLEY

British Solar
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