# Beyond the school gates Hertfordshire students and the world of work

YC HERTFORDSHIRE

MOST ESSENTIAL

#### **Hertfordshire school leavers**

#### What 2016 leavers chose

92.3%

of Year 11s chose full-time education

STUDYING AT...

Level 3 70.9%

Level 2 12.1% SCHOOL 7678

Level 1 7.5% COLLEGE 4347

### Full-time employment including Apprenticeships

585 year 11s

**979** year 13s

Over 50% of these chose jobs in the in the top four occupational groups

- Retail, sales & customer services •
- Administration, business & office work
- $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{G}}$  Catering, hospitality & other services  $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{G}}$ 
  - Building & construction

**- 67%**-

of year 13s chose higher education



= 54.6%



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#### Most popular subject groups

Business, finance & management = 619
Biological sciences and psychology = 514
Social sciences, economics, geography, environment = 483
Creative and performing arts = 472

#### **Hertfordshire apprenticeships**

#### -In 2017-

200 new apprenticeships were advertised each month

Almost 50% were in these 3 sectors
Administration, business office = 671
Catering & hospitality = 258
Health & social care = 227

#### levels



Compared to 2016 figures

42 higher level apprenticeships were advertised

#### SSESSE Wages SESSESS

Average weekly wage = £176.21
36% higher than the National Minimum Wage
for apprentices

Highest weekly wage advertised = £455.38

Over 25% of opportunities offered £200+ per week

#### Highest paid...

Sector = Engineering = £207.91\* District = St Albans = £187.07\*

\*Average weekly wage

1800 Hertfordshire under 19s started an apprenticeship in 2016/17

#### Hertfordshire and its workforce

### †††† 606,000 †**†**†**†**

Total employee jobs 2016

**64.9%** full-time **35.1%** part-time

#### Sectors with the most jobs

Wholesale, retail, motor trades = 107,700 Admin & support services = 88,000 Professional, technical, scientific = 73,000

#### ··· KEY FACTS ···

#### Hertfordshire residents are highly qualified

42.5% to level 4 - national average = 38.2%

Unemployment in Herts is lower than the national average

3.7% compared to 4.6%

#### Hertfordshire residents earn more than the national average

£651.40 compared to £552.70 per week

91.3% of Hertfordshire businesses have less than 10 employees

235 businesses have 250 employees or more

Many of these companies are household names

173,000 Hertfordshire residents commute out of Hertfordshire to work and 133,000 people travel into the county for work

#### **Hertfordshire employers**

...are looking for these skills and qualities in their employees...

Respect & good manners O

O Numeracy O

**○** Literacy **○** 

**○** Teamwork **○** 

O Determination & resilience O

Motivation and ambition O

Confidence C

Adaptability O

Business & customer awareness

**○** Analytical & problem-solving skills **○** 

O Digital technology O

O Qualifications O

#### **Hertfordshire predictions**

**51,000 new additional jobs** will be created between 2012 and 2022, especially in...

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES • CONSTRUCTION • IT WHOLESALE • HEALTH CARE & WELFARE

**243,000 opportunities** will also become available due to an aging workforce

Industries expecting to recruit in 2018...

MANUFACTURING & ADVANCED MANUFACTURING
ART & RECREATION SERVICES • LIFE & MEDICAL SCIENCES
FINANCIAL & PROFESSIONAL SERVICES • CONSTRUCTION
INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION

Hertfordshire will face skills shortages in...

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES • CONSTRUCTION • HEALTH
CARE & WELFARE • IT & SOFTWARE ENGINEERING •
SALES & MARKETING • ENGINEERING &
MANUFACTURING

The world of work today is complex and constantly evolving. Young people need knowledge, flexibility and resilience to be able to cope with this successfully and must be prepared to learn new skills to meet the changing demands of the labour market.

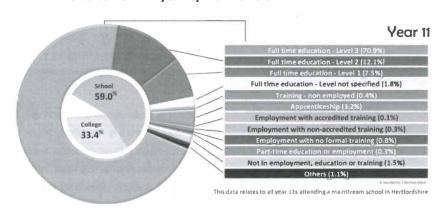
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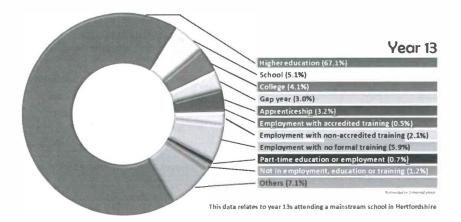
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#### **Hertfordshire school leavers**

Source: YC Hertfordshire Activity Survey - 2016 leavers





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#### **Hertfordshire apprenticeships**

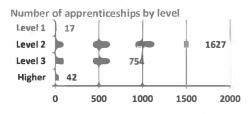
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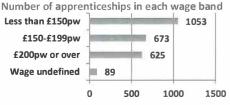
Hertsjobs16to19 analysis of new apprenticeship

vacancies Jan - Dec 2017

Number of apprenticeships by occupational group

Administration, Business and Office Work	671
Building and Construction	90
Catering, Hospitality and Other Services	258
Computers and IT	195
Creative and Media	42
Education and Training	13
Engineering	116
Environment, Animals and Plants	64
Financial Services	123
Hair and Beauty	90
Health and Social Care	227
Manufacturing	5
Motor Industry	189
Retail, Sales and Customer Services	102
Science	61
Sport and Leisure	151
Transport and Warehouse	43





Number of under 19s starting an apprenticeship

Source: Education and Skills Agency – Herts Insight

#### Hertfordshire and its workforce

#### Sources:

Total employee jobs and top sectors
ONS Business Survey and Employment Register 2016

Qualifications

**ONS Annual Population Survey Jan-Dec 2016** 

Unemployment

ONS Annual Population Survey Jul 2016-Jun 2017

Average earnings

**ONS Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings 2017** 

Businesses and numbers of employees Inter Department Business Register 2017

Residents commuting

Hertfordshire LEP - Labour Market Overview Jan 2018

Note: National average means GB average

#### **Hertfordshire employers**

**Skills and Qualities** 

Source: Hertfordshire LEP / University of Hertfordshire / Hertfordshire County Council Skills Framework 2017

#### **Hertfordshire predictions**

Source: Hertfordshire LEP – Labour Market Overview Jan 2018

"65% of children entering primary school today will ultimately end up working in completely new job types that don't yet exist"

Source: World Economic Forum – The Future of Jobs 2016