Labour Market Information

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National Careers Service ®

Leicester & Leicestershire LEP

Melton, Charnwood, NW Leicestershire, Leicester, Blaby, Harborough, Hinckley & Bosworth, Oadby & Wigston



Employment

UK - 76.3% LEP - 75.4%

16-64 year old population = 667,700 *Total population = 1,053,500*

Unemployment

UK - 3.8% LEP - 4.9%



UK Average - £30,414 LEP Average - £27,305

Self-Employment



70,200 people in the region are self-employed

Growth Sectors



Health & Social Care

Care Workers

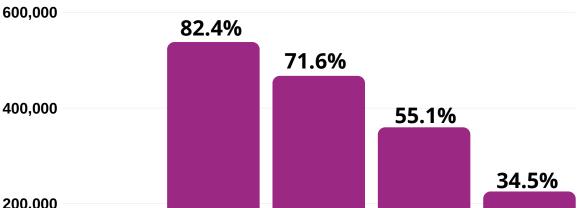


Wholesale and Retail



Qualification levels

467,000 people have at least a level 2 qualification such as GCSEs or an NVQ.







Where do people work right now?

Most jobs

- Wholesale & Retail 75,000 (15.9%)
- Manufacturing 59,000 (12.5%)
- Health & Social Care 53,000 (11.2%)
- Education 47,000 (10%)
 - Administration 41,000 (8.7%)

Fewest jobs

- Arts & Entertainment 11,000 (2.3%)
 - Electricity, Gas & Air 6,000 (1.3%)
- **Real Estate 6,000 (1.3%)**
 - Water, Sewerage & Waste 2,500 (0.5%)
- 🔀 Mining, Quarrying & Utilities 2,000 (0.4%)

Did you know...

The NHS is the UK's biggest employer, and the 5th biggest employer in the world!

What are some of the region's big name companies to work for?



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