



Your Fabulous Future in Oxfordshire

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What is Labour Market Information (LMI)?



Labour Market Information (LMI) is a useful tool to help research future jobs in the local area, understand the skills needed for certain roles and the demand for future employment.

In **Oxfordshire**, there are fantastic opportunities in **whatever pathway you want to take!**



There are over **350,000 people working in Oxfordshire** and over **50,000 people are self-employed.**

During this presentation, you are going to **find out more about what's available to you**, and this will **help with your career choices going forward!**



Opportunities in Oxfordshire



Have you thought about your future yet? **What do you enjoy?**

Whatever your interests, there is something **for you!**

There are **lots of great opportunities** in many **different sectors** across Oxfordshire. A **great future awaits...**

Whether you want an **apprenticeship**, **T Levels**, further **education** or to **study for a degree**, Oxfordshire has a **pathway that would suit you.**



Opportunities in Health & Social Care

The **NHS, Health and Social Care** all have a **variety of opportunities** with different **entry levels and pathways**, with over **46,000 people** working across **their services** in Oxfordshire.



There are currently **shortages within the health and social care system**, so it's **more important than ever** that people know about the **opportunities on offer!**

There are
career
opportunities in
the following:

Health Science
Services



Medical &
Dental



Allied Health
Professionals

Adult Social
Care



Qualified &
Unqualified Nursing



Corporate &
Administrative Services

Some key questions to ask yourself:

Are you
compassionate?



Can you offer
respect & dignity?



Do you want to
improve lives?

Are you committed
to **quality care?**



Do you enjoy
working with
others?



Do you want a job
that **grows with**
you?

Opportunities in Innovation



Oxfordshire is at the **cutting edge of innovation** with roles in **transformative technologies, space** and **life sciences**.

Oxfordshire are world-leaders in the technologies of **digital health, space-led data applications** and **autonomous vehicles** (e.g. self-driving cars).



Harwell Science and Innovation Campus is located in Oxfordshire. It has over **90 space organisations** and is the **largest space cluster in Europe!** Many of the roles require **degree-level or higher education**, and the skills needed include **Maths, Physics & Engineering**. They also have some **apprenticeships**.



Meanwhile, **Quantum Computing** creates technologies that allow computers to make **breakthroughs in a range of areas, including medicine**.

You may have seen it near Didcot!





Opportunities in Science

The field of **science**, including **medical research and development**, is thriving in Oxfordshire, so there are **many roles to choose from**.



One of the **most well-known discoveries of recent times** to come out of Oxfordshire is **AstraZeneca's Coronavirus vaccine!**

Oxford Biomedical Research Centre is based at Oxford University Hospitals and is a **National Institute for Health Research (NIHR)**.

There are also **several new innovation centres** at the Oxford BioEscalator, the Begbroke Accelerator, Harwell Science & Innovation Campus, and Culham Science Centre.



Some of the key skills needed for these roles:

Biomedical Science



Chemistry



Engineering

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Computer Science



Data Analytics



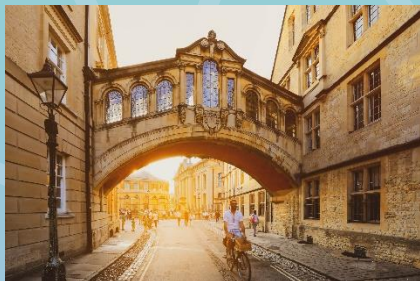


Opportunities in Tourism

Oxfordshire has a great tourist economy, with the historic **Oxford University**, beautiful **Blenheim Palace** and popular **Bicester Shopping Village**.



Through **these venues and many others**, there are **lots of careers available in travel and tourism** in Oxfordshire.



Oxford University doesn't just need **academic staff** to keep its position as a **world-leading place** to learn! There are a **wide range of opportunities** available here such as gardeners, librarians or IT support.



Blenheim Palace hosts events throughout the year, including weddings and conferences. This means there are **lots of jobs here** too.



Bicester Village is one of the top tourist destinations in the UK. It has **high value retailers** in one central shopping area with lots entry level **full and part-time retail jobs**.





Opportunities in Small Businesses

99% of Oxfordshire employers are small or medium sized enterprises with up to 249 employees, and 85% of these are micro businesses with less than ten employees.



Only 155 businesses in Oxfordshire have **250 employees or more**.

Maybe you have **your own idea for a business** or have a **business your family already owns?** Are you the next entrepreneur with your own idea?



There were **5.9 million small businesses across the UK at the start of 2020**.

There are **definitely advantages** to working for smaller businesses.



Fewer employees could mean:

Varied roles

More flexibility

Promotion opportunities

Access to all staff

Personal achievement



Opportunities in Creative Industries

If the **creative sector** is more your thing, there are **plenty of jobs** on offer in this area in **Oxfordshire** too!



The **local sector's strengths** include **computer games, software development** and **high performance computing**, as well as **film** and **TV**.



Did you know **Rebellion Film Studios** recently opened a **£78m studio facility** in Didcot?



This shows **how important Oxfordshire is** in the **development of this sector**, and you could be a **part of it!**

Do any of the following areas appeal to you?

Art & Design



Production



Animation

Marketing



Coding & IT



Quality Assurance



Opportunities in Advanced Manufacturing

Advanced Manufacturing includes everything from electric cars to 3D printing. So, it might be the area for you without you even realising it!



Roles in **advanced manufacturing** are available either through **Apprenticeships or Degree level education**.



Oxfordshire has fantastic opportunities in **high-performance technology** and **motorsport engineering**. This will also lead to increased demand for **engineers, scientists, biochemists** and **software developers** in the area.



If you have **great ideas and a problem-solving approach**, then maybe this is the career path for you!

Oxfordshire has so many opportunities in **technology and innovation**.





Opportunities in Construction

With all these different sectors **thriving and growing** in Oxfordshire, **homes for new residents** are going to be important too! There are over 20 construction companies in Oxfordshire.



If you are interested in **construction and the environment**, **Greencore** have a range of careers centred around building **healthy, modern, safe homes**.



They also have a clear objective in order to **manage their environmental impact**: all of their developments and projects are **zero carbon** and have **net zero energy usage**!



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The results of this include **lower energy bills** and a **smaller carbon footprint** for homeowners.

Some of the career paths on offer include:

Planning



Management



Design



Building



Admin & Support





Routes to your future!

From choosing your GCSE subjects, through to Further or Higher Education there is a route to suit everyone. Check out [Find Your Future](#) for more information.

T Levels



Apprenticeships

A+



A Levels



Degree Level
Apprenticeships



Degrees



Finding help & information

School is just the start of your learning journey, you can continue to learn and develop new skills every day, **no matter where you are!**



Continually developing your **personal skills**, **reskilling** and **upskilling** allows you to **create** the future you want.



Definition: Reskill

To learn new skills so that you can do a different or evolving job.

Definition: Upskill

To learn new skills or to teach workers new skills.



Challenge:


There are great resources to help you make decisions about your future. Why not visit <https://www.oxfordshirelep.com/findyourfuture>? Or, you can speak to your teacher or school careers advisers for more information.



Finding help & information

Oxfordshire's new careers' platform, [Find Your Future](#) is the next step for you to find out more and plan your future here in Oxfordshire.



Navigate your way around the platform by clicking on  Find Your Future.

There is a guide on [Find Your Future](#) for students and parents to explore **Your Fabulous Future in Oxfordshire**. Take time to get excited and make plans!



A fabulous future in Oxfordshire?

Time to find out more about the **fabulous future** waiting for you in Oxfordshire!

Click on The WOW Show to watch the film!



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