

# Labour Market Information

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

## Greater Birmingham & Solihull LEP

Birmingham, Cannock Chase, Lichfield, Solihull, Tamworth & East Staffordshire



### Employment

UK - 76.4%  
LEP - 71.2%



### Unemployment

UK - 3.9%  
LEP - 6.7%

16-64 year old population = 1,276,400  
Total population = 2,040,300

### Full-Time Salary



UK Average - £30,414  
LEP Average - £29,603

### Self-Employment



128,700 people in the region are self-employed

### Apprenticeships

There are approximately 961 live vacancies within a 40 mile radius of Birmingham including...

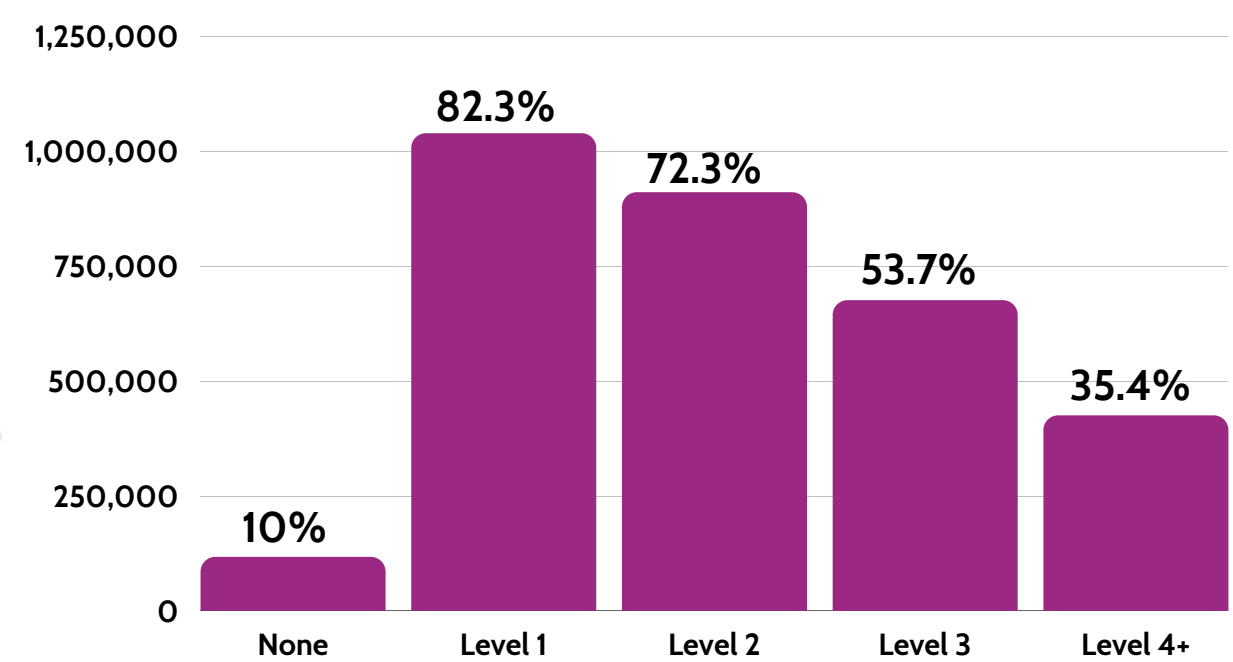
- Digital Marketing
- Business and Administration
- Pharmacy Assistant
- Multi-skilled Engineer
- Infrastructure Technician
- Assistant Accountant
- Software Developer
- Police Officer
- Electrical Installation
- Health & Social Care

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### Qualification levels

910,900 people have at least a level 2 qualification such as GCSEs or an NVQ.



### Where do people work right now?

#### Most jobs

- Wholesale & Retail - 145,000 (15.5%)
- Health & Social Care - 123,000 (13.2%)
- Administration - 100,000 (10.7%)
- Manufacturing - 91,000 (9.8%)
- Education - 89,000 (9.5%)

#### Fewest jobs

- Arts & Entertainment - 17,000 (1.8%)
- Real Estate - 16,000 (1.7%)
- Water, Sewerage & Waste - 5,000 (0.5%)
- Electricity, Gas & Air - 1,000 (0.1%)
- Mining, Quarrying & Utilities - 175 (0.01%)

#### Growth Sectors

- Health and Social Care
- Life Sciences
- Food & Drink Services
- Professional & Finance Services
- Creative Industries

There are many other sectors that will grow in your region

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

