

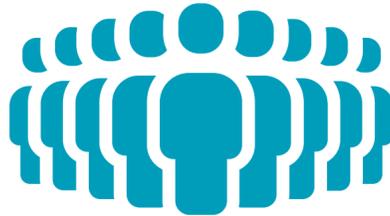
Education



Sector employee jobs¹

424,000

people employed
in the sector

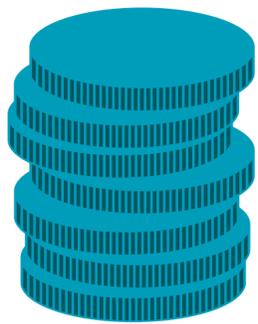


6.5%

of employee
jobs are in
this sector

(England: 8.2%)

Average salary²



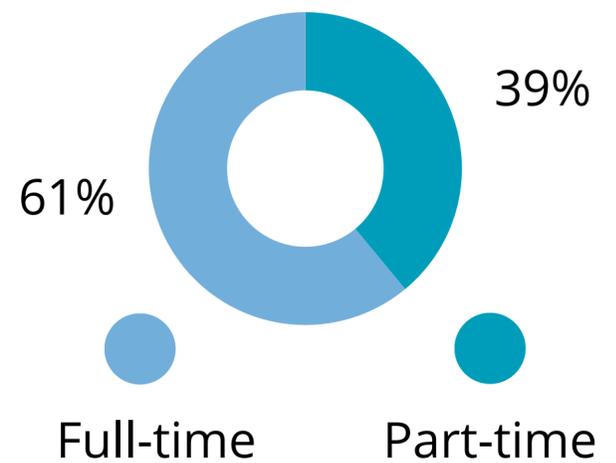
Median gross income:
£37,000 a year in London

Working hours²



On average people work
34.5 hours a week (UK).

Working patterns¹



Most vacancies in 2024/25³

- Teaching assistants
- Primary and secondary teachers
- Learning support assistants
- Special educational needs (SEN) assistants and teachers
- Early years teachers & practitioners
- Educational support assistants

Job vacancies³

144,520
job vacancies

(Apr 24 - Mar 25)

Most requested skills³

- Working with children
- Autism spectrum disorders
- Learning support
- Classroom management
- Lesson planning
- Curriculum development
- Child protection

Which sub-sectors employ the most people?¹



Primary
education



Secondary
education



Higher
education



Other education and
support services



Pre-primary
education