

Ports & Logistics

Ports & Logistics Overview

Ports have, throughout history, been a place where goods and people arrive or leave the country by sea. **Logistics** is the management, movement & storage of products. It is about getting the right product to the right place, at the right time. It is also about the movement of people by road, rail, sea and air. It includes postal and courier services. Large companies such as supermarkets run their own logistics while other companies outsource all their logistics to specialist companies.



6.5% of employment in the Humber is in ports & logistics

Examples of Key Employers in the Humber



Useful subjects

- Maths
- IT
- Science
- English

Did you know?

- The Ports & Logistics Sector accounts for 6.5% of the region's workforce, employing 22,944 people
- 1 in 12 people working in the UK are working in logistics related industries. Incredibly that's 2.3 million people spanning some 196,000 companies
- Only 36% of the workforce are under 34
- The Humber is the UK's busiest trading estuary and the 5th busiest in Europe
- Around 1 million P&O Ferries passengers pass through the port of Hull each year
- The Ports of Grimsby and Immingham are the UK's largest ports by tonnage
- Logistics is not just about driving - there are a variety of occupations within the industry

Will there be opportunities available?

- The sector is set to continue to grow in the Humber Sub-Region as a result of the investment in the Energy and Renewable Sector
- Employment in the logistics sector is expected to grow by 16% by 2020 nationally
- Ports & Logistics sector is identified as one of our key growth sectors accounting for 17.5% of the UK's maritime trade and supporting around 47,000 jobs in the region.
- The supply of both deck and engine officers is projected to fall by more than 30 per cent nationally

For further information visit:

- National Careers Service
- www.lmihumber.co.uk
- www.careersyandh.co.uk
- www.bridgingthegaphumber.co.uk
- www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship
- www.allaboutcareers.com
- www.skillsforlogistics.org
- www.deliveringyourfuture.co.uk
- Look in your local newspapers
- Pop in to you local Job Centre
- Check out Social Media
- And talk to family and friends



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Planning ahead...



Entry Level

Involves building basic knowledge and skills and is not geared towards specific occupations

Traineeship
Study Programme
Entry level certificate
Entry level Skills for Life
Entry level Award, Certificate and Diploma
Entry level Functional Skills
Entry level Foundation Learning
English for speakers of other languages (ESOL)

Rigger
Removals Operative
Forklift Truck Driver
Courier
Chandler
Drivers Mate
Warehouse Operative
Deckhand
Transport Clerk
LGV Driver
Train Driver

Level 1

Involves activities which mostly relate to everyday situations and may be linked to job competence

GCSE (grades D-G or 1-3)
Traineeship
Study Programme
Key Skills
NVQ
Skills for Life
Foundation Diploma
BTEC Award, Certificate and Diploma
Foundation Learning
Functional Skills
OCR National

Stevedore
Warehouse Manager
Purchasing Officer
Customer Service Assistant
Large Goods Vehicle Instructor
Crane Drive
Air Cabin Crew
Postal Delivery Worker (Postman)

Level 2

Involves building knowledge and or skills in relation to an area of work or subject area appropriate for many job roles

GCSE (grades A*-C or 4-9)
Intermediate Apprenticeship
Key Skills
NVQ
Skills for Life
Higher Diploma
BTEC award, Certificate and Diploma
Functional Skills

Road Transport Manager
Inventory Specialist
Operations Manager
Logistics Manager
Transport Planner
Freight Forwarder

Level 3

Involves obtaining detailed knowledge and skills. It is appropriate for people wishing to go to university, working on their own or in some areas, supervising others in their field of work

AS and A level
Advanced Apprenticeship
Advanced Extension Award
Cambridge International Award
International Baccalaureate
Key Skills
NVQ
Advanced Diploma
Progression Diploma
BTEC award, Certificate and Diploma
BTEC National
OCR National
Cambridge National

Level 4

Appropriate for people working in technical and professional jobs, and/or managing and developing others

HNC
Higher Level Apprenticeship
Key Skills
NVQ
BTEC Professional Award, Certificate and Diploma
Certificate of higher Education

Level 5

Appropriate for people working as higher grade technicians, professionals or managers

HND
NVQ
Higher Level Apprenticeship
Higher Diploma
BTEC Professional Award, Certificate and Diploma
HNC
Diploma of Higher Education (DipHE)
Diploma of Further Education
Foundation Degree

Level 6

Involves the achievement of high level professional knowledge and is appropriate for people working as knowledge based professionals or in professional management positions

NVQ
Higher Level Apprenticeship
BTEC Advanced Professional Award, Certificate and Diploma
Degree with Honours (BA Hons, BSc Hons)
Graduate Certificate
Graduate Diploma

Harbour Master
Contract Manager
Pilot
Distribution Manager
Logistics Director

Level 7

Involves the achievement of high level of professional knowledge and is appropriate for people working as knowledge based professionals or in professional management positions

BTEC Advanced Professional Award, Certificate and Diploma
Fellowship and Fellowship Diploma
Postgraduate Certificate
Postgraduate Diploma
NVQ
Degree Level Apprenticeship
BTEC Advanced Professional Award, Certificate and Diploma
Master's degree

Level 8

Involves the achievement of high level professional knowledge and is appropriate for people working as knowledge based professional management positions

NVQs
Vocational qualifications
Doctorate
Degree Level Apprenticeship
Postgraduate Certificate

Good to know:
Skills in demand by the sector are team work, interpersonal skills, communication, organising & planning.