



Statement of participation

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has passed the free course including all mandatory tests for:

Understanding your sector

This 24-hour course explored the factors that affects businesses by looking at different sectors.

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<http://www.open.edu/openlearn/money-business/understanding-your-sector/content-section-overview>

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Course summary

Employers seek people who understand their businesses and the factors that most affect these. This free course, Understanding your sector, explores these factors, and allows you to gain the inside knowledge to impress in applications and at interviews and to put together an action plan that is tailored for you.

Learning outcomes

By completing this course, the learner should be able to:

- outline the differences between sectors, industries, professions and jobs
- describe the main factors that affect organisations and their performance
- describe different types of employer and the ways in which they recruit staff
- identify the principal sources of information to help you understand a sector
- reflect in light of this understanding and devise an appropriate plan of action.

Completed study

The learner has completed the following:

Week 1

Introduction and guidance

Where are you now?

Week 2

Will things stay the same?

Week 3

What else do you need to know about your sector?

Week 4

Who else is involved in your sector?

Compulsory badge quiz (score 93%)

Week 5

Professional networking

Week 6

Understanding the job market within your sector

Week 7

How does understanding your sector help you?

Week 8

Taking action

Compulsory badge quiz (score 88%)