

Essential information about work permits and visas

Posts based in UK and Republic of Ireland

As these posts are UK-based, non-EC nationals will require current and valid permission to work in the UK, as the Department of Employment will only issue work permits in exceptional circumstances and for limited periods only.

We are unable to apply for work permits until all EEA options have been eliminated. It is unlawful to employ a person aged 16 or over who does not have permission to live and work in the UK. We will not be able to engage you if you cannot produce, when requested, evidence of your eligibility to work in the UK. These documents include a document which contains your National Insurance Number or evidence in your passport that states that you have the right of abode or other travel documents endorsed to show that you have current leave to enter or remain in the UK and you are not precluded from taking the employment or a Home Office letter stating this.

Posts based outside the UK and Republic of Ireland

For posts based outside the UK and Ireland, applicants may require the right to work in specific countries to comply with immigration laws. Details will be specified in the advert