

Find your career formula

Your guide to the EY school and
college leaver programmes

The EY logo, consisting of the letters 'EY' in a bold, white, sans-serif font.

Building a better
working world

If you want a career in business, EY is a great place to start – whether you're going to university or starting work straight after A Levels.

Everyone's career formula is different, and as a school leaver today you have more options than ever before. At EY, we can help you discover what your strengths are, what you want from your career, and show you the different ways to get there. This guide is your starting point to thinking about the formula that's right for you. We'll explain what we do and help you decide what you would be good at. Then you can start planning for a successful career.

What we do

EY is a global professional services company. We advise some of the world's largest and most dynamic organisations. We are successful because our people, our knowledge and our experience are vital to businesses, economies and societies everywhere. You could work in one of four areas (our service lines):

– Advisory

Advising organisations all over the world, solving their most complex business problems and helping them to succeed.

– Assurance

Checking that figures are correct and that accounting methods are being used properly, which maintains confidence and security in international markets.

– Corporate Finance

Helping the world's corporations buy, sell and merge to get the best long-term return for their money.

– Tax

Guiding clients all over the world so that they pay no more and no less tax than they should, in the right countries at the right time.

Explore in more detail at ukcareerguide.ey.com

EY at a glance

At EY, you connect with international clients and colleagues, acquainting you with the big issues shaping the business world. We'll equip you with world-class training and top qualifications for a life working in high-performing teams in a global business – and that's part of a career formula that will take you as far and as fast as you want to go.

167,000

Employees globally

Work with exceptional people from different backgrounds and cultures.



140

Countries

We are a truly global company.



\$24.4bn

Growing global business

Our annual revenues were \$24.4 billion last year.



4th

Best employer

We were voted the 4th best employer for school leavers by All About School Leavers.



2020

Ambitions for the year 2020

We want to be a \$50 billion company.



20+

Offices

In addition to London, we have over 20 other offices around the UK with opportunities to join EY.



Diverse

- ▶ Stonewall Top 100 Employers
- ▶ Times Top 50 Employers for Women
- ▶ Big Tick Award from Business in the Community
- ▶ Race for Opportunity Award.



£5m

Towards helping others

The amount we contributed to charitable causes and our communities in the UK in 2012.



43,000

Hours volunteered (in the UK in 2012)

We believe in responsible business, encouraging our people to support charitable causes and the community.



EY School Leaver

Start your career straight from A Levels with a five-year programme that will get you qualified for business and keep you free of student debt while you get ahead.

Strong academic performance



Starting my career sooner



Working with global clients



Challenging from day one



Gabby's
career formula
for success



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EY Degree

When you study accountancy at Lancaster University Management School, EY will give you a bursary, work experience and potentially a job after you graduate.

Award-winning
business school



My ICAS Award
for excellence



Access to
senior EY
people



Working
directly
with clients



Leanne's
career formula
for success



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#EYDegree

EY Scholarship

You'll get a bursary for each year of your degree at any university, paid summer work experience, and the option of a place on our Advisory graduate programme.

Studying at a top university



Internship with a global organisation



Networking with senior business people



Feedback for my future development



Harry's
career formula
for success



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Experience before you commit

At EY, we offer many different and varied paths to success. Most will start with an initial taste of what working life is like at EY. The experiences we offer are a chance for you to find out about us and us to find out about you. It's a great boost to your CV even if you don't end up at EY.

EY Insight (open evenings)

The EY Insight is for school and college students who are exploring the different options to starting a career in a global business. Held in our offices all over the UK, these open evenings are a great way to start planning your future. You'll get an idea of what your strengths are and how to use them. You'll also meet our people, learn about making a successful application, and get a taste of what life is like working for a leading global business.

EY Skills Academy (3 days)

The EY Skills Academy gives the leaders of tomorrow the chance to shine while they learn. It's a three-day residential course for Year 12 students that will stretch and challenge you to build your business skills by solving real client problems. If you have the energy, ideas and commitment to develop your strengths, it can be a great early boost to a successful career.

EY Smart Futures (3 week placement)

EY Smart Futures is a work experience programme for Year 12 students who are, or have been, in receipt of free school meals, or who would be the first generation in their family to go to university. It's a three-week paid placement at EY in the summer that will give you the chance to learn about us and yourself. You'll also be paired with a mentor throughout Year 13 to help you plan your career formula.

Explore your formula online

Whichever route you take, and wherever your career takes you, the time you spend at EY will build your career formula and be of huge value to you. You'll meet leading business people, experience world-class training and work for some of the biggest, best-known organisations in the world.

Visit us at ukcareerguide.ey.com where you can find out more, get careers advice, see our events listings and apply to join a programme or experience.

For all of our programmes and experiences there is a minimum requirement of at least 300 UCAS points, and a B in both English and Maths at GCSE or equivalent.

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EY is a global leader in Assurance, Tax, Transaction and Advisory Services. The insights and quality services we deliver help build trust and confidence in the capital markets and in economies the world over. We develop outstanding leaders and teams to deliver on our promises to all of our stakeholders. In so doing, we play a critical role in building a better working world for our people, for our clients and for our communities.

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