

1 John Smedley Ltd, Lea Bridge, Matlock

Established in 1784, creators of fine knitwear crafting beautiful, high quality garments designed to last, made in Britain and distributed the world over.

Key skills: production development/operations, technical, managerial, finance, customer relations.

For more details visit www.johnsmedley.com

JOHN SMEDLEY
THE WORLD'S FINEST KNITWEAR

2 Forterra, Somercotes, Alfreton



One of the largest manufacturers of building products in the UK.

Key skills: engineering, technical, finance, production, customer relations.

For more details visit www.forterra.co.uk



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5 Lubrizol, Hazelwood

Provider of specialty chemicals for the transportation, industrial and consumer markets.

Key skills: scientific, chemistry, finance, engineering, managerial, customer relations.

For more details visit www.lubrizol.com



3 Thorntons (Ferrero), Somercotes, Alfreton

Specialist in crafting high quality chocolate sweets, toffee, fudge and other confectionery.

Key skills: engineering, technical, production, managerial, human resources, sales and marketing.

For more details visit www.thorntons.co.uk



4 Denby Pottery, Denby



Over 200 years of craftsmanship creating tableware, cookware and serveware.

Key skills: design, production, sales and marketing, IT, finance, customer relations, human resources.

For more details visit www.denbypottery.com



POPULATION

100,421



Under 16
17%

Working age
62%

Over 65
22%

Total employment
63,552

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY

	JOBS
Manufacturing	10,000
Retail / Wholesale	8,000
Health / Social Care	5,000
Education	4,000
Construction	3,500
Visitor Economy	3,500
Technical / Scientific	2,500
Public Administration / Defence	2,500
Business Administration	2,250



BUSINESS

TOTAL

5,230



99.6%
of which are
micro, small, or
medium sized.



MOST ADVERTISED JOBS

Community and Social Services
Sales
Education and Training
Manufacturing and Production
Transportation
Engineering
Finance
Business Management and Operations
Healthcare inc Nursing
Hospitality Food and Tourism
Information Technology
Clerical and Administration
Maintenance Repair and Installation
Customer and Client Support
Construction, Extraction and Architecture



SKILLS IN GREATEST DEMAND



AVERAGE EARNINGS

(per week)

Amber Valley
£572.60

Derbyshire
£555.80

England
£586.50



NVQ LEVELS 2019

Level 1	92.2%
Level 2	79.5%
Level 3	63.5%
Level 4	32.7%



APPRENTICESHIP STARTS

1.3% of working population commencing an apprenticeship

EDUCATION & LEARNING

	AGE
John Flamsteed Community School	11 - 16
Aldercar High School	
Belper School & Sixth Form	
David Nieper Academy	11 - 18
Heanor Gate Science College	
Ripley Academy	
Swanwick Hall School	
Derby College	FE 16+
University of Derby	
University of Nottingham	FE 18+
Nottingham Trent University	

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www.d2n2schools.co.uk

LMI Data Sources: Derbyshire Observatory, NOMIS, Burning Glass Technologies. Dated: August 2020.



Derby
Derbyshire
Nottingham
Nottinghamshire