

## WebQuest01 - Let's check out: Retail industry

Step 1: To login to KareerHub, in your browser go to: <https://wolverhampton.kareerhub.co.uk/>

The screenshot shows the KareerHub login page. At the top, it says "Login to KAREERHUB, or register below." There are two input fields: "Email address" (containing "johnsmith@kareerhub.com") and "Password". Below the password field is a "Show password" toggle and a "LOGIN" button. A "Forgot password?" link is at the bottom right. A navigation bar at the top left has "Home", "Register", and "Login" buttons. Two callout boxes provide instructions: "1a. Click Login:" points to the "Login" button in the navigation bar, and "1b. Enter your email address and password - click LOGIN:" points to the login form. A tip box says: "TIP: If you've forgotten your password, click and you will be emailed a password reset."

For this WebQuest we are going to check out working in the **Retail sector** :

You will find out what is involved in the normal course of work, what you might get paid, what the job prospects are, where you can go for training - say, an Apprenticeship (Earn as you Learn), or find a College or University course. LETS GO!

### **Task 1 - check out pay and job prospects:**

- After you login to KareerHub - click on "Career" search box.
- Enter "**retail**" in search box - click LETS GO!

You will see a wide variety of roles in the retail sector - scroll down to see more.

NOTE - some will have a **green** uptick arrow and some a **red** downtick - this indicates increasing or decreasing demand in that particular career path.

**TIP:** You can click a tile to see more information - Job Description; Entry Requirements; Role & Responsibilities; Employment Rates etc. Hit *Back* button to go back and look at more job options.

Read the Description and Job Roles - and click one which interests you and answer the following questions:

#### **1.1 What is the pay?**

Note: this is the average pay - starters get paid less, senior staff get paid more.

£ \_\_\_\_\_

#### **1.2 Is demand increasing or decreasing and by what percentage?**

Increasing/Decreasing \_\_\_\_\_%

#### **1.3 What is the demand projected to be in 2022?**

Note: Hover over the graphline above 2022

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#### **1.4 How many hours per week would you expect to work?**

\_\_\_\_\_hours

### **Task 2 - look for a Study Course:**



- click the  at the bottom of the page, or click the Home button
- click on "Course" search box.
- enter "**retail**" in search box - click LETS GO!

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d. Enter your Postcode and Radius details:

The screenshot shows a course listing for 'Retail Knowledge Diploma - Level 3'. It includes a small logo for 'We are Outstanding We are Quality', the course title, and a description: 'The Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Retail Knowledge qualification is aimed at those looking to progress into a supervisor, sales professional or management role, such as retail buyer, merchandiser, sales manager, store manager, online retailer, or into a retail specialist role.' It also indicates the location as '3.3 miles - Dudley, England'.

e. scroll down to a Course which interests you:

- click to select it, and answer the following questions:

2.1 What is the course start date? \_\_\_\_\_

2.2 Where is the Campus? \_\_\_\_\_

2.3 Is the course: **Part time**  **or Full time**  ?

2.4 Give 3 examples of the modules included in the course:

\_\_\_\_\_

2.5 What are the fees for the course? \_\_\_\_\_

Note: if there is no information available in any of the questions above, put n/a

### **Task 3 - look for an Apprenticeship:**

a. On the Home page - click on Apprenticeship search box

b. enter "**retail**" in search box - enter Postcode and Radius - click LETS GO!

Scroll down and click one that interests you and answer the following questions:

The screenshot shows a search result for 'Farmfoods Retail Apprenticeship' in the 'Retail and Commercial Enterprise' sector. It includes a map showing the location in Wolverhampton (1 mile away), a description of the role, and key details: start date '04 JUN 2018', duration '13 MONTHS', and pay '£210.00 PER WEEK'.

3.1 What is the Apprenticeship start date? \_\_\_\_\_

3.2 Where is the Apprenticeship based? \_\_\_\_\_

3.3 How much does the Apprenticeship pay? **£\_\_\_\_\_per week**

3.4 Who is the Employer? \_\_\_\_\_

3.5 Who is the Training Provider? \_\_\_\_\_