

Report Builder

Lightcast Q1 2026 Data Set

August 2026

Parameters

Select Timeframe: Aug 2025 - Jul 2026

Report Focus:

Description	Description
Summary	Industries
Advertised Salary	Companies
Advertised Salary Trend	Job Titles
Timeseries	Occupations
Trends	Skills

Regions:

Code	Description
E06000049	Cheshire East

Company Type:

Non-Staffing Companies

Advertised Salary: Include all postings regardless

Minimum Experience Required: Any

Education Level: Any

Keyword Search:

Posting Type: Active Postings

Job Postings Summary

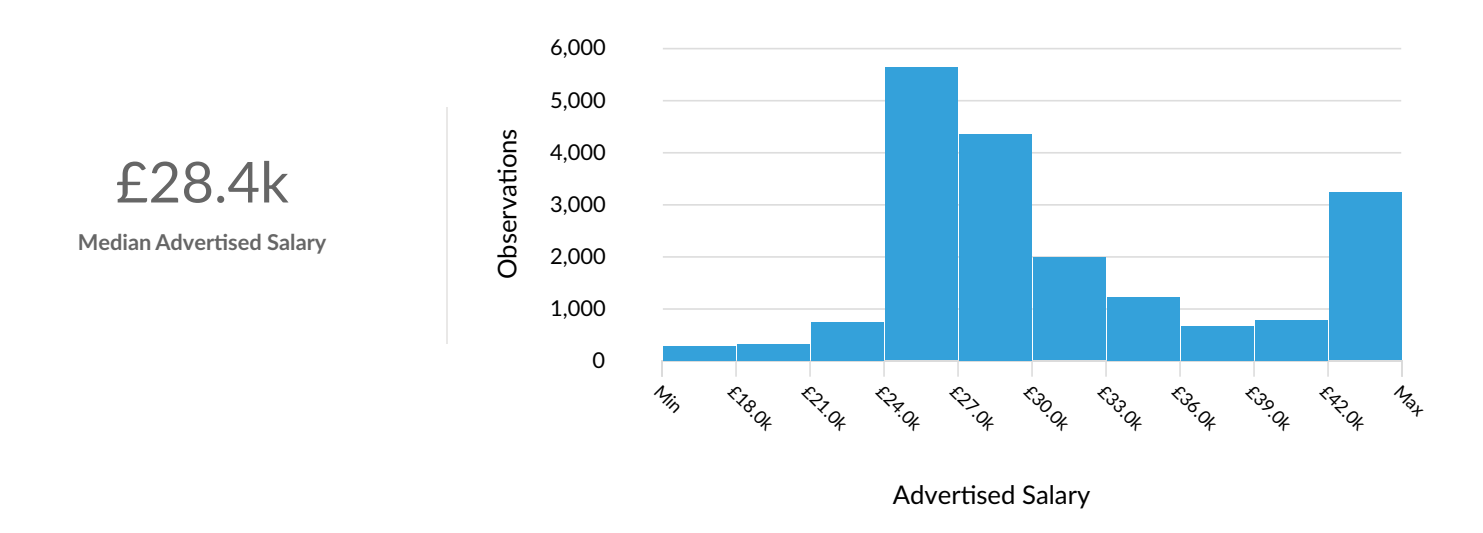
34,356 Unique Postings 67,887 Total Postings	2 : 1 Posting Intensity Regional Average: 2 : 1	3,211 Companies Posting 4,431 Total Companies	22 days Median Posting Duration Regional Average: 24 days
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There were 67,887 total job postings for your selection from August 2025 to July 2026, of which 34,356 were unique. These numbers give us a Posting Intensity of 2-to-1, meaning that for every 2 postings there is 1 unique job posting.

This is close to the Posting Intensity for all other occupations and companies in the region (2-to-1), indicating that they are putting average effort toward hiring for this position.

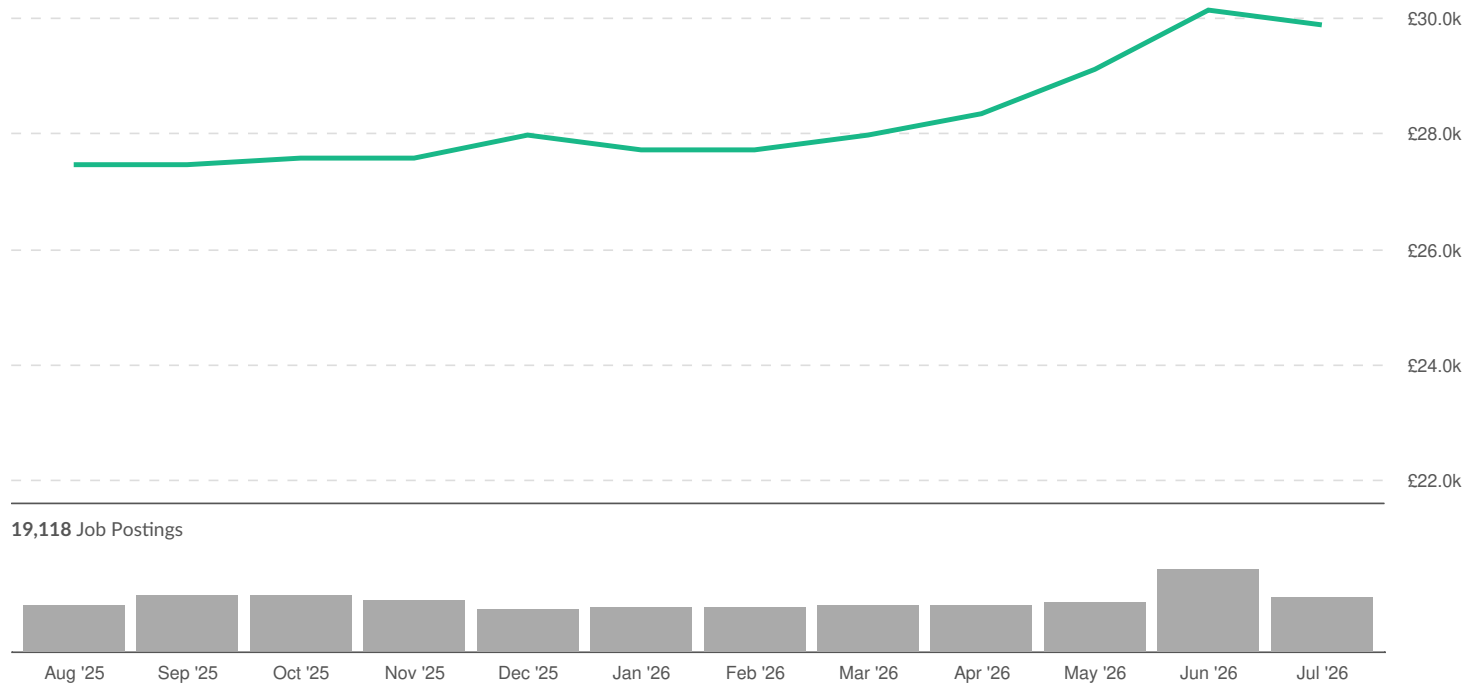
Advertised Salary

There are 19,117 advertised salary observations (56% of the 34,356 matching postings).

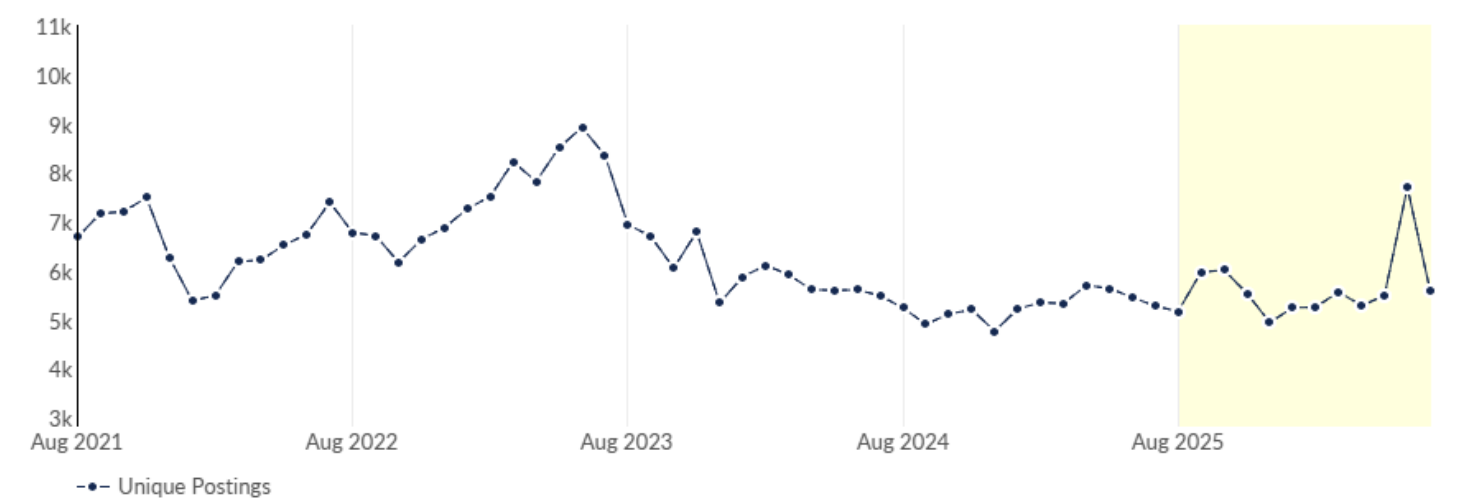


Advertised Salary Trend

▲8.9% Aug 2025 – Jul 2026
£28.4k Median



Unique Postings Trend

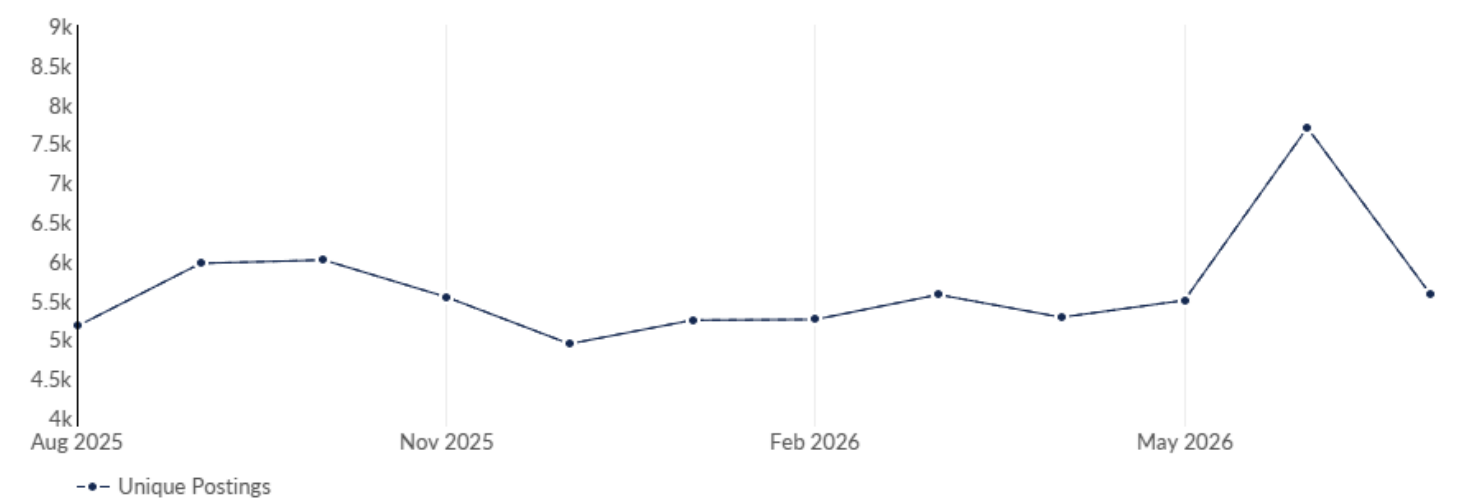


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Jul 2026	5,574	2 : 1
Jun 2026	7,698	2 : 1
May 2026	5,495	2 : 1
Apr 2026	5,279	2 : 1
Mar 2026	5,568	2 : 1
Feb 2026	5,251	2 : 1
Jan 2026	5,243	2 : 1
Dec 2025	4,940	2 : 1
Nov 2025	5,537	2 : 1
Oct 2025	6,010	3 : 1
Sep 2025	5,967	3 : 1
Aug 2025	5,168	3 : 1
Jul 2025	5,275	3 : 1
Jun 2025	5,455	3 : 1
May 2025	5,638	2 : 1
Apr 2025	5,699	2 : 1
Mar 2025	5,330	2 : 1
Feb 2025	5,346	2 : 1
Jan 2025	5,219	2 : 1
Dec 2024	4,763	2 : 1

Nov 2024	5,202	2 : 1
Oct 2024	5,115	2 : 1
Sep 2024	4,902	3 : 1
Aug 2024	5,238	3 : 1
Jul 2024	5,489	3 : 1
Jun 2024	5,606	3 : 1
May 2024	5,599	2 : 1
Apr 2024	5,610	2 : 1
Mar 2024	5,923	2 : 1
Feb 2024	6,107	3 : 1
Jan 2024	5,871	3 : 1
Dec 2023	5,338	3 : 1
Nov 2023	6,789	3 : 1
Oct 2023	6,052	3 : 1
Sep 2023	6,697	3 : 1
Aug 2023	6,940	3 : 1
Jul 2023	8,352	3 : 1
Jun 2023	8,922	3 : 1
May 2023	8,513	3 : 1
Apr 2023	7,819	3 : 1
Mar 2023	8,221	3 : 1
Feb 2023	7,516	3 : 1
Jan 2023	7,257	3 : 1
Dec 2022	6,880	3 : 1
Nov 2022	6,637	3 : 1
Oct 2022	6,169	3 : 1
Sep 2022	6,714	3 : 1
Aug 2022	6,775	3 : 1
Jul 2022	7,394	3 : 1
Jun 2022	6,744	3 : 1
May 2022	6,522	3 : 1

Apr 2022	6,212	3 : 1
Mar 2022	6,186	3 : 1
Feb 2022	5,491	4 : 1
Jan 2022	5,387	4 : 1
Dec 2021	6,267	4 : 1
Nov 2021	7,490	4 : 1
Oct 2021	7,201	4 : 1
Sep 2021	7,167	4 : 1
Aug 2021	6,688	4 : 1

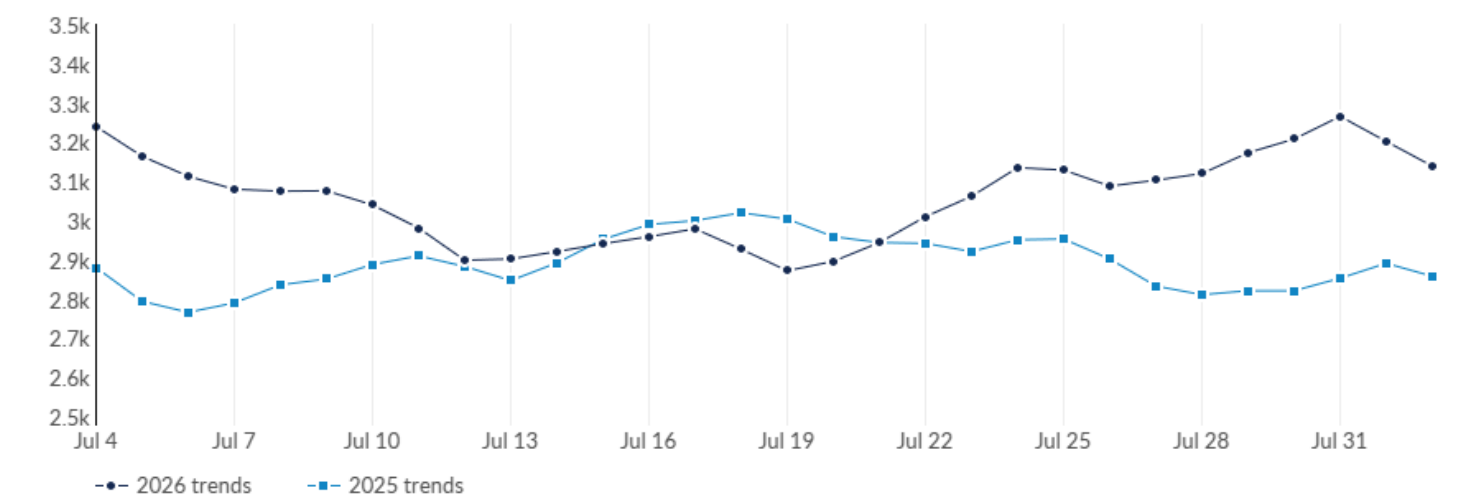
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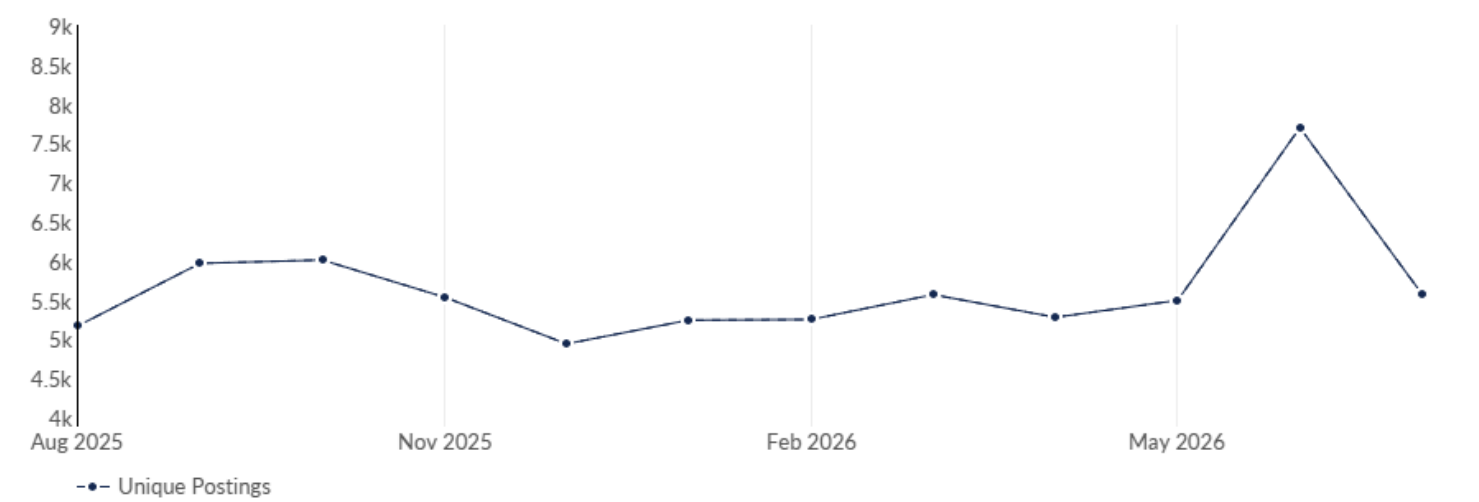
This view displays the most recent 30 days of job postings activity to show near-term trends. It does not reflect your timeframe.



Day	Unique Postings	Last Year's Unique Postings	% Change
July 4, 2026	3,240	2,880	+12.5%
July 5, 2026	3,164	2,794	+13.2%
July 6, 2026	3,113	2,766	+12.5%
July 7, 2026	3,080	2,790	+10.4%
July 8, 2026	3,075	2,836	+8.4%
July 9, 2026	3,076	2,851	+7.9%
July 10, 2026	3,040	2,888	+5.3%
July 11, 2026	2,981	2,910	+2.4%
July 12, 2026	2,899	2,883	+0.6%
July 13, 2026	2,902	2,847	+1.9%
July 14, 2026	2,921	2,892	+1.0%
July 15, 2026	2,941	2,952	-0.4%
July 16, 2026	2,959	2,990	-1.0%
July 17, 2026	2,979	3,000	-0.7%
July 18, 2026	2,927	3,020	-3.1%
July 19, 2026	2,872	3,004	-4.4%
July 20, 2026	2,896	2,959	-2.1%
July 21, 2026	2,944	2,944	0.0%

July 22, 2026	3,010	2,942	+2.3%
July 23, 2026	3,062	2,921	+4.8%
July 24, 2026	3,135	2,951	+6.2%
July 25, 2026	3,129	2,953	+6.0%
July 26, 2026	3,088	2,902	+6.4%
July 27, 2026	3,103	2,833	+9.5%
July 28, 2026	3,120	2,811	+11.0%
July 29, 2026	3,173	2,821	+12.5%
July 30, 2026	3,208	2,821	+13.7%
July 31, 2026	3,266	2,853	+14.5%
August 1, 2026	3,202	2,891	+10.8%
August 2, 2026	3,139	2,858	+9.8%

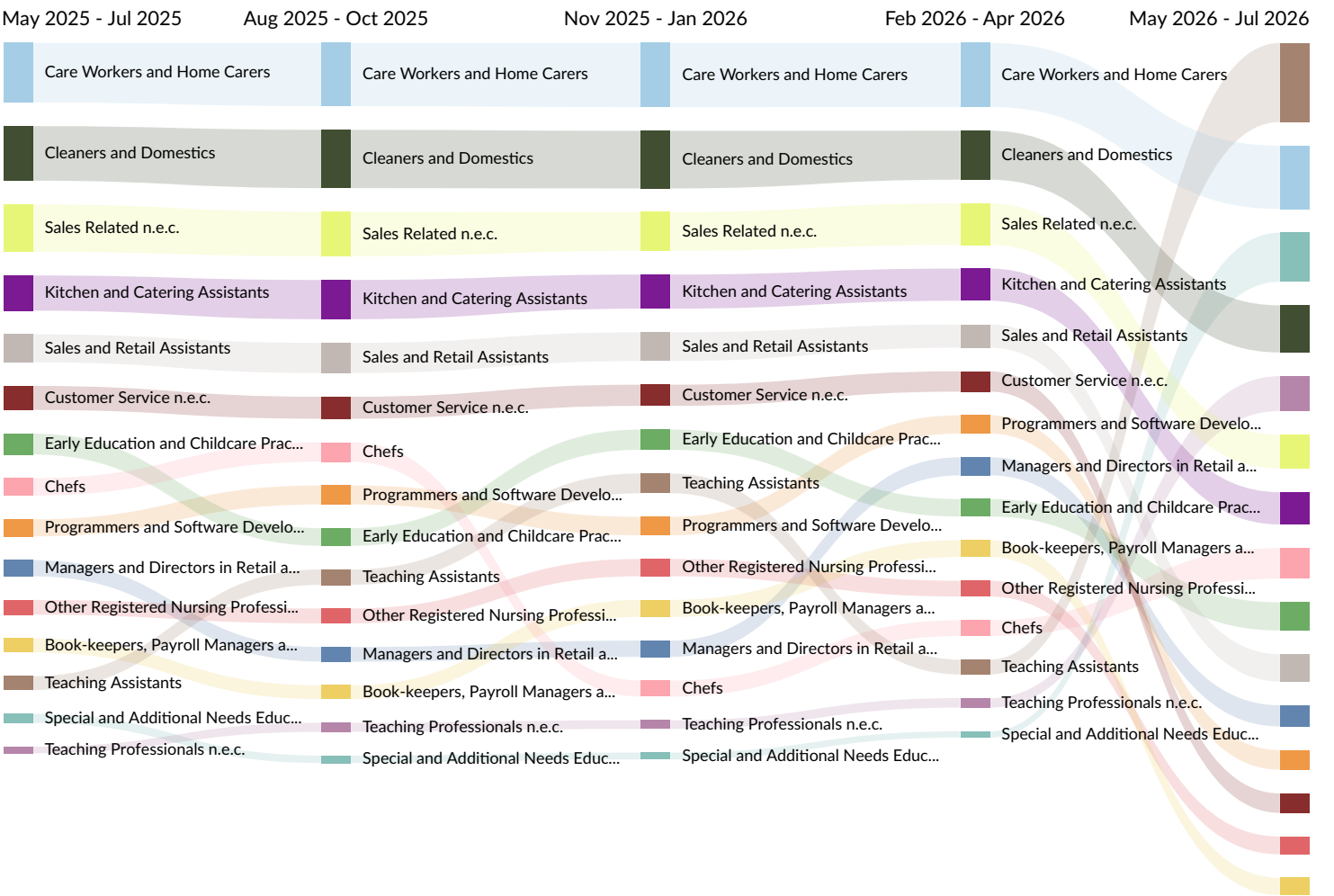
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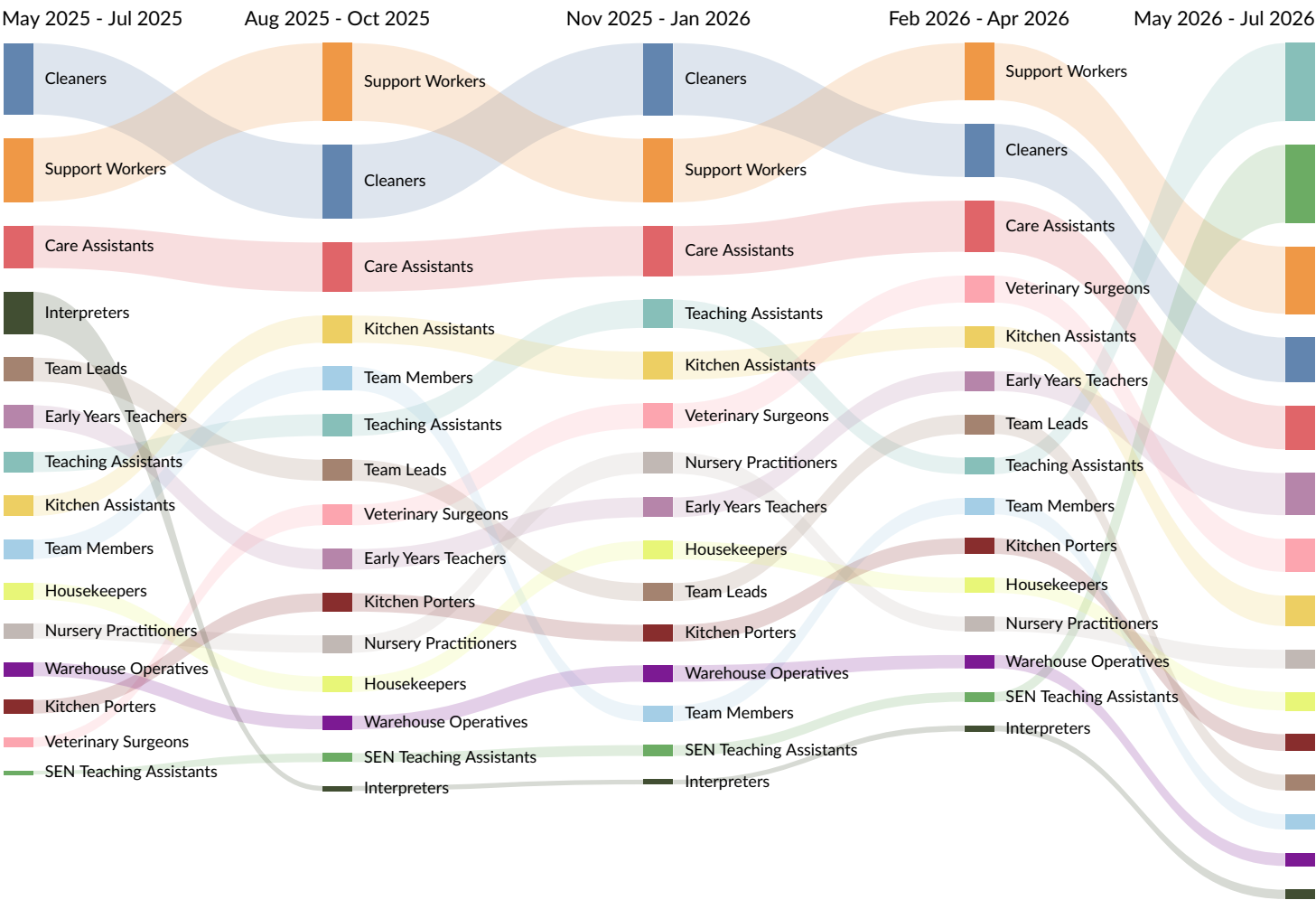
Occupation Trends in Job Postings by Quarter

The chart below captures the postings trend for the top 15 occupations posted for based on your filters.



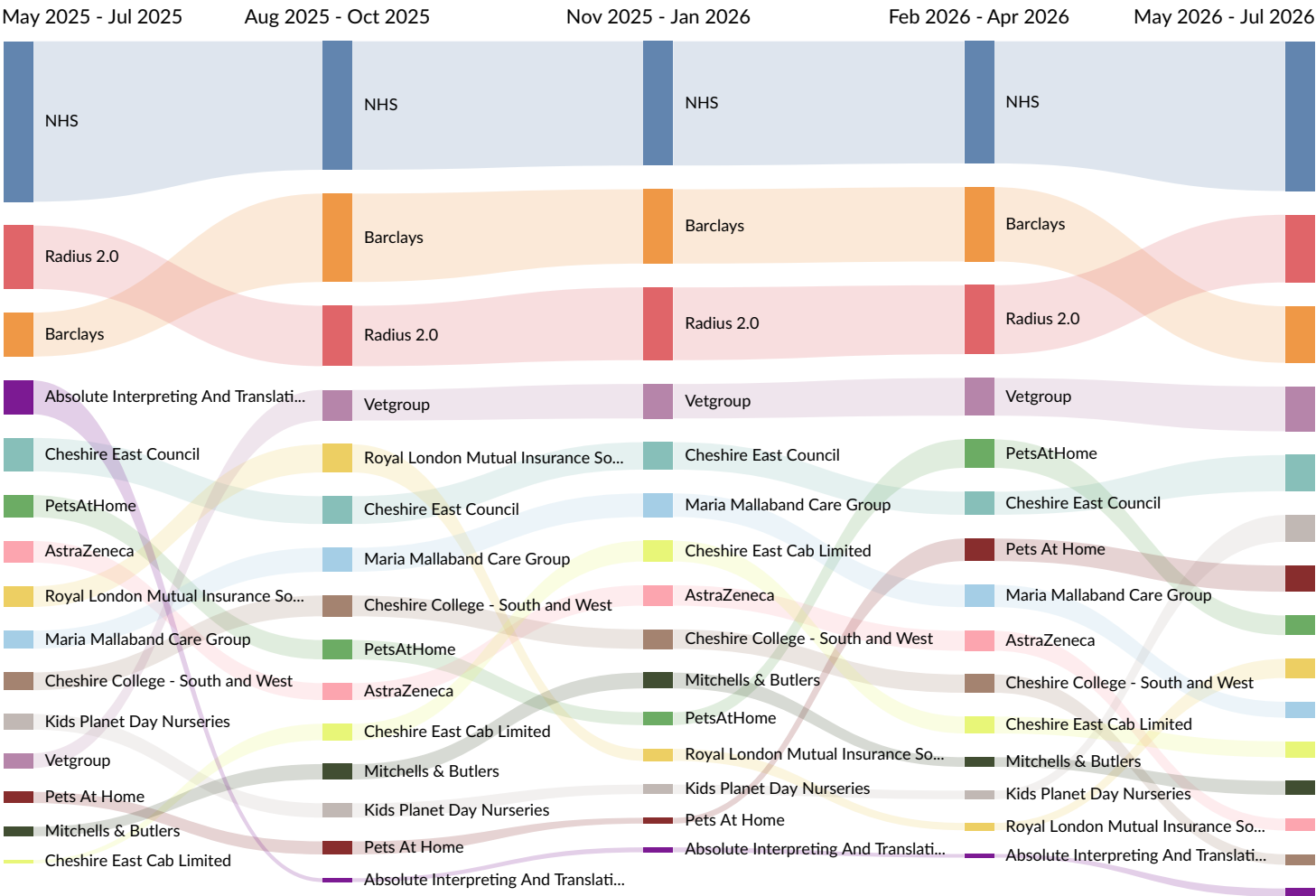
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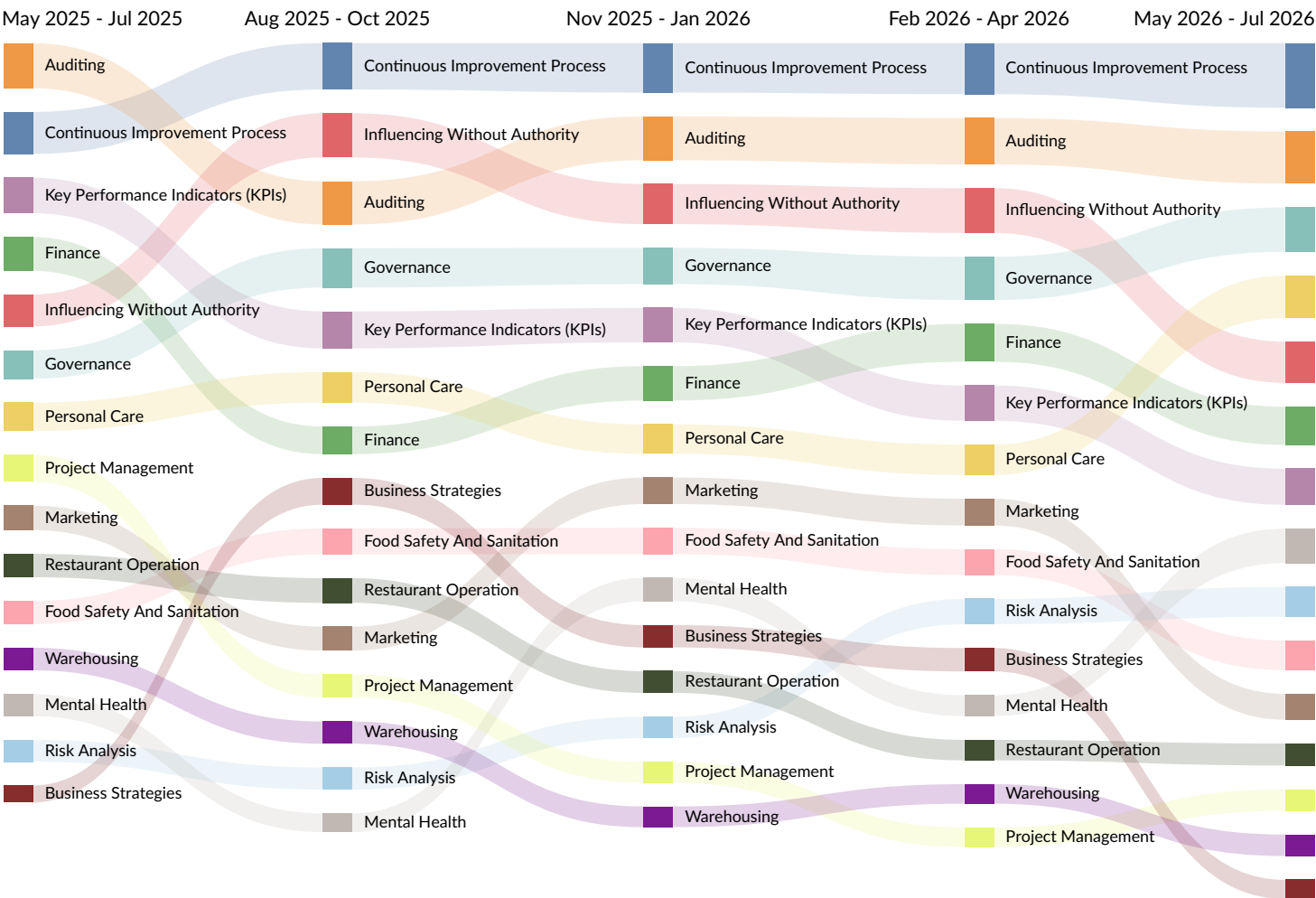
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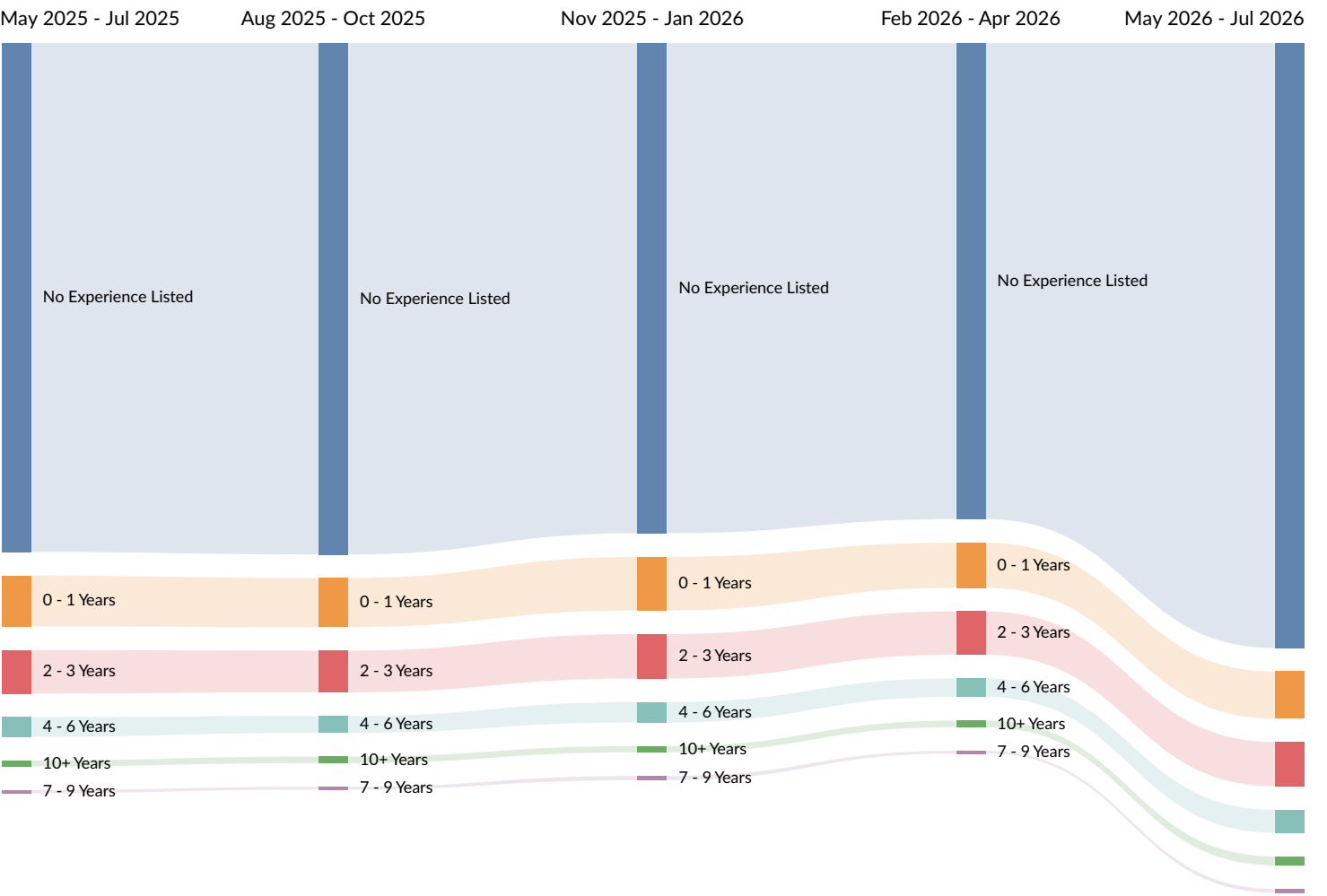
Skill Trends in Job Postings by Quarter

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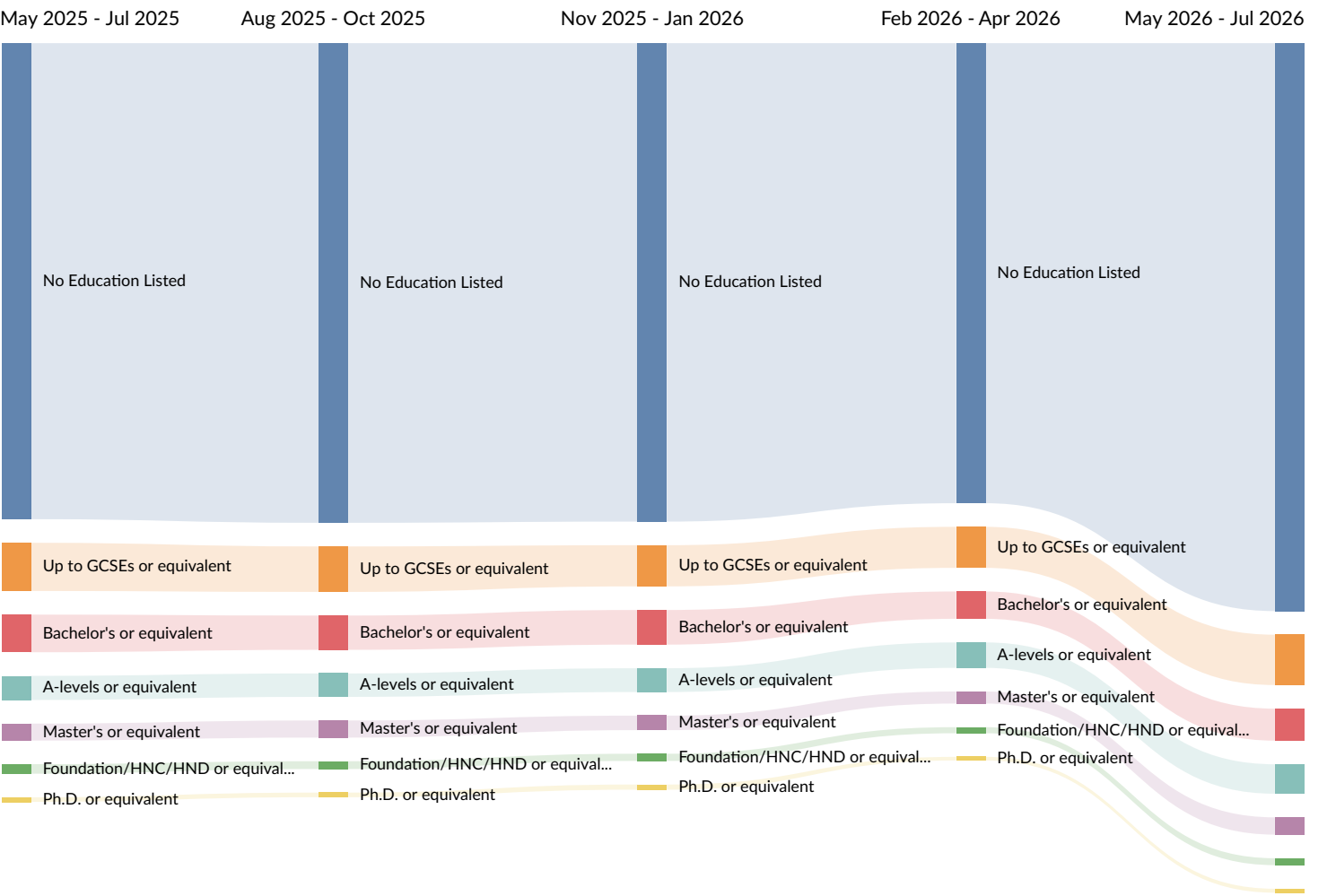
Minimum Experience Requirement Trends in Job Postings by Quarter

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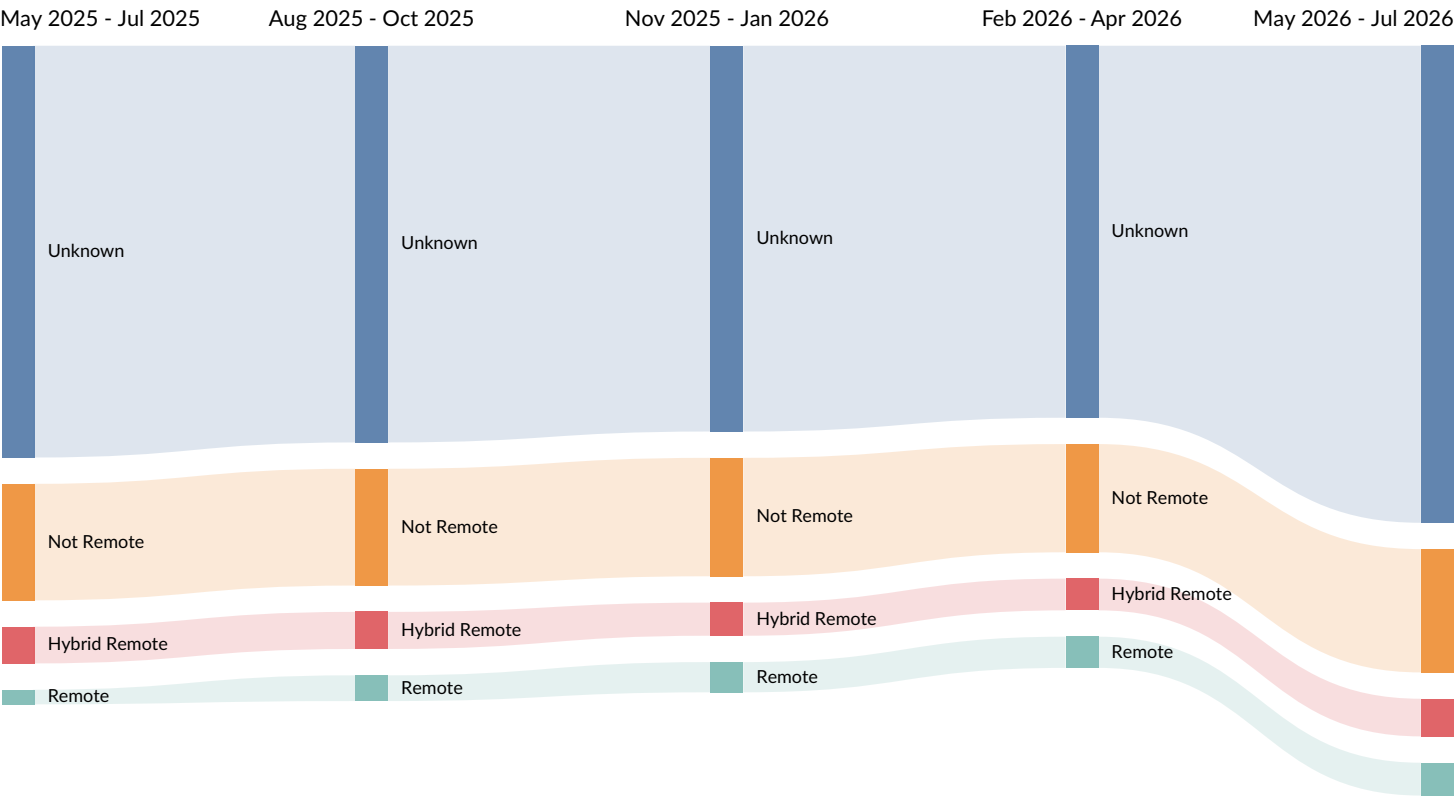
Educational Requirement Trends in Job Postings by Quarter

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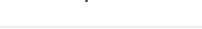


Remote Trends in Job Postings by Quarter

The chart below captures the remote posting trends based on your filters.



Top Industries

	Total/Unique (Aug 2025 - Jul 2026)	Posting Intensity	Median Posting Duration
Human health activities	9,697 / 3,940	2 : 1 	28 days
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	4,714 / 1,989	2 : 1 	22 days
Food and beverage service activities	4,138 / 1,668	2 : 1 	28 days
Education	3,332 / 1,630	2 : 1 	22 days
Residential care activities	4,203 / 1,549	3 : 1 	29 days
Financial service activities, except insurance and pension funding	3,025 / 1,408	2 : 1 	18 days
Activities of head offices; management consultancy activities	2,246 / 1,166	2 : 1 	28 days
Accommodation	1,287 / 726	2 : 1 	29 days
Other personal service activities	953 / 631	2 : 1 	27 days
Social work activities without accommodation	1,221 / 610	2 : 1 	23 days

Top Companies Posting

Company	Total/Unique (Aug 2025 - Jul 2026)	Posting Intensity	Median Posting Duration
NHS	5,126 / 1,939	3 : 1 	29 days
Barclays	2,486 / 1,093	2 : 1 	17 days
Radius 2.0	2,395 / 939	3 : 1 	29 days
Vetgroup	1,870 / 492	4 : 1 	27 days
Cheshire East Council	797 / 431	2 : 1 	25 days
PetsAtHome	1,632 / 297	5 : 1 	17 days
Royal London Mutual Insurance Society	570 / 278	2 : 1 	18 days
Maria Mallaband Care Group	951 / 277	3 : 1 	30 days
Cheshire College - South and West	646 / 265	2 : 1 	21 days
AstraZeneca	432 / 262	2 : 1 	19 days
Cheshire East Cab Limited	378 / 251	2 : 1 	27 days
Pets At Home	365 / 237	2 : 1 	18 days
Kids Planet Day Nurseries	395 / 226	2 : 1 	23 days
Barchester	712 / 204	3 : 1 	29 days
Mitchells & Butlers	509 / 193	3 : 1 	30 days
Waters	354 / 171	2 : 1 	23 days
Reaseheath College	328 / 168	2 : 1 	25 days
Accor Group	369 / 164	2 : 1 	34 days
Tesco	967 / 158	6 : 1 	22 days
Nwf Group Plc	186 / 123	2 : 1 	34 days
Bupa	270 / 119	2 : 1 	31 days
Care Uk	286 / 108	3 : 1 	34 days
Maid2Clean	211 / 107	2 : 1 	15 days
Sodexo	555 / 102	5 : 1 	29 days
Busy Bees	297 / 99	3 : 1 	22 days
Cygnet Health Care	322 / 98	3 : 1 	31 days

Compass Group	252 / 78	3 : 1		33 days
David Lewis Centre	106 / 77	1 : 1		24 days
Costa Coffee	356 / 75	5 : 1		30 days
Fairmont Hotels & Resorts	83 / 72	1 : 1		24 days
Bentley Motors	111 / 69	2 : 1		17 days
Absolute Interpreting And Translations	259 / 66	4 : 1		33 days
Laplanduk	193 / 65	3 : 1		37 days
ALDI	160 / 64	3 : 1		20 days
ISS Global	124 / 61	2 : 1		32 days
Royal London	64 / 60	1 : 1		19 days
Macclesfield College	118 / 59	2 : 1		31 days
Spire Healthcare Group Plc	95 / 57	2 : 1		28 days
Chalk.com Education	124 / 54	2 : 1		14 days
Champneys Eastwell Ltd	69 / 54	1 : 1		31 days
Co-operative Group	260 / 53	5 : 1		16 days
The Boots Company	109 / 53	2 : 1		22 days
Alternative Futures Group Ltd	135 / 52	3 : 1		31 days
Belong International Co., Ltd.	92 / 52	2 : 1		22 days
Asda	201 / 52	4 : 1		23 days
ClubCorp	65 / 51	1 : 1		32 days
Spicerhaart Group Limited	88 / 50	2 : 1		31 days
Akari Care	204 / 50	4 : 1		35 days
Ail International Ltd.	132 / 49	3 : 1		22 days
GXO Logistics	122 / 47	3 : 1		31 days

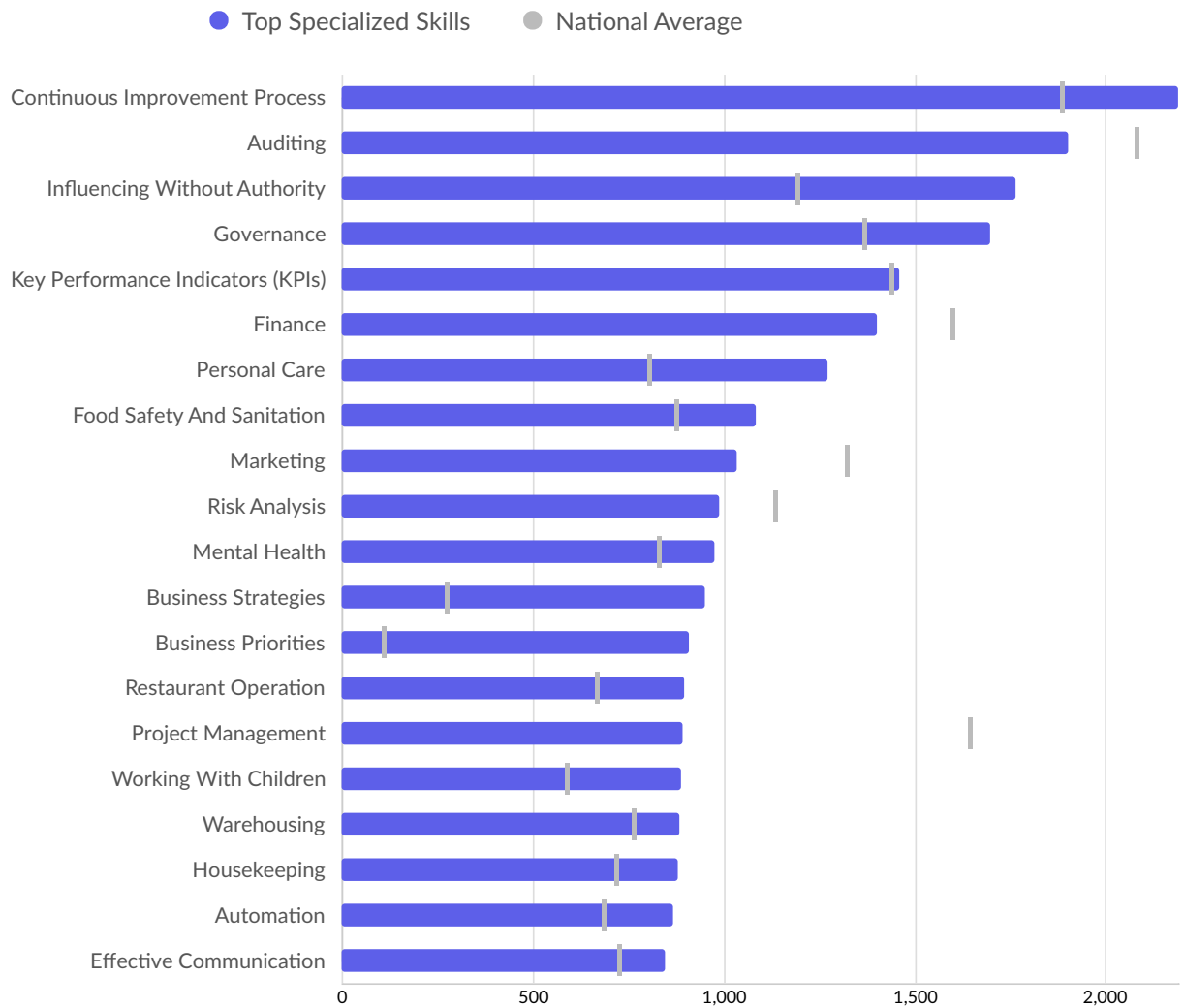
Top Posted Job Titles

Job Title	Total/Unique (Aug 2025 - Jul 2026)	Posting Intensity	Median Posting Duration
Support Workers	1,586 / 635	2 : 1 	26 days
Cleaners	1,030 / 618	2 : 1 	22 days
Care Assistants	1,308 / 438	3 : 1 	31 days
Teaching Assistants	547 / 397	1 : 1 	18 days
SEN Teaching Assistants	472 / 303	2 : 1 	17 days
Kitchen Assistants	514 / 263	2 : 1 	29 days
Early Years Teachers	403 / 259	2 : 1 	24 days
Veterinary Surgeons	735 / 237	3 : 1 	31 days
Team Leads	413 / 184	2 : 1 	23 days
Team Members	475 / 180	3 : 1 	25 days
Nursery Practitioners	366 / 174	2 : 1 	21 days
Housekeepers	415 / 162	3 : 1 	25 days
Kitchen Porters	266 / 159	2 : 1 	24 days
Learning Support Assistants	230 / 144	2 : 1 	17 days
Receptionists	227 / 138	2 : 1 	21 days
Delivery Drivers	295 / 137	2 : 1 	20 days
Catering Assistants	338 / 136	2 : 1 	29 days
Warehouse Operatives	211 / 135	2 : 1 	20 days
Health Care Assistants	271 / 121	2 : 1 	30 days
Sous Chefs	209 / 120	2 : 1 	29 days
Chefs	307 / 120	3 : 1 	31 days
Cleaning Operatives	199 / 118	2 : 1 	23 days
Apprentices	253 / 116	2 : 1 	27 days
Domestic Assistants	321 / 112	3 : 1 	31 days
Home Care Assistants	368 / 111	3 : 1 	29 days
Store Colleagues	886 / 110	8 : 1 	20 days

Wait Staff	220 / 109	2 : 1		21 days
HGV Class 1 Drivers	211 / 109	2 : 1		29 days
Baristas	391 / 105	4 : 1		28 days
Early Years Practitioners	156 / 103	2 : 1		32 days
SEND Teaching Assistants	134 / 101	1 : 1		17 days
Sales Colleagues	607 / 100	6 : 1		21 days
Registered Nurses	266 / 99	3 : 1		26 days
Registered Veterinary Technicians	394 / 96	4 : 1		30 days
Senior Center Nursing Assistants	259 / 94	3 : 1		31 days
Customer Service Advisors	203 / 94	2 : 1		24 days
Retail Assistants	222 / 92	2 : 1		21 days
Primary Teachers	146 / 90	2 : 1		18 days
Assistants	132 / 86	2 : 1		22 days
Chefs De Partie	161 / 84	2 : 1		29 days
Residential Support Workers	146 / 78	2 : 1		17 days
Store Managers	229 / 77	3 : 1		23 days
Sales Executives	157 / 76	2 : 1		21 days
Sales Advisors	190 / 75	3 : 1		30 days
Administrators	101 / 73	1 : 1		21 days
Bar Staff	141 / 73	2 : 1		27 days
SEN Teachers	84 / 72	1 : 1		18 days
Sales Assistants	149 / 70	2 : 1		26 days
Tutors	139 / 69	2 : 1		12 days
Bartenders	107 / 68	2 : 1		31 days

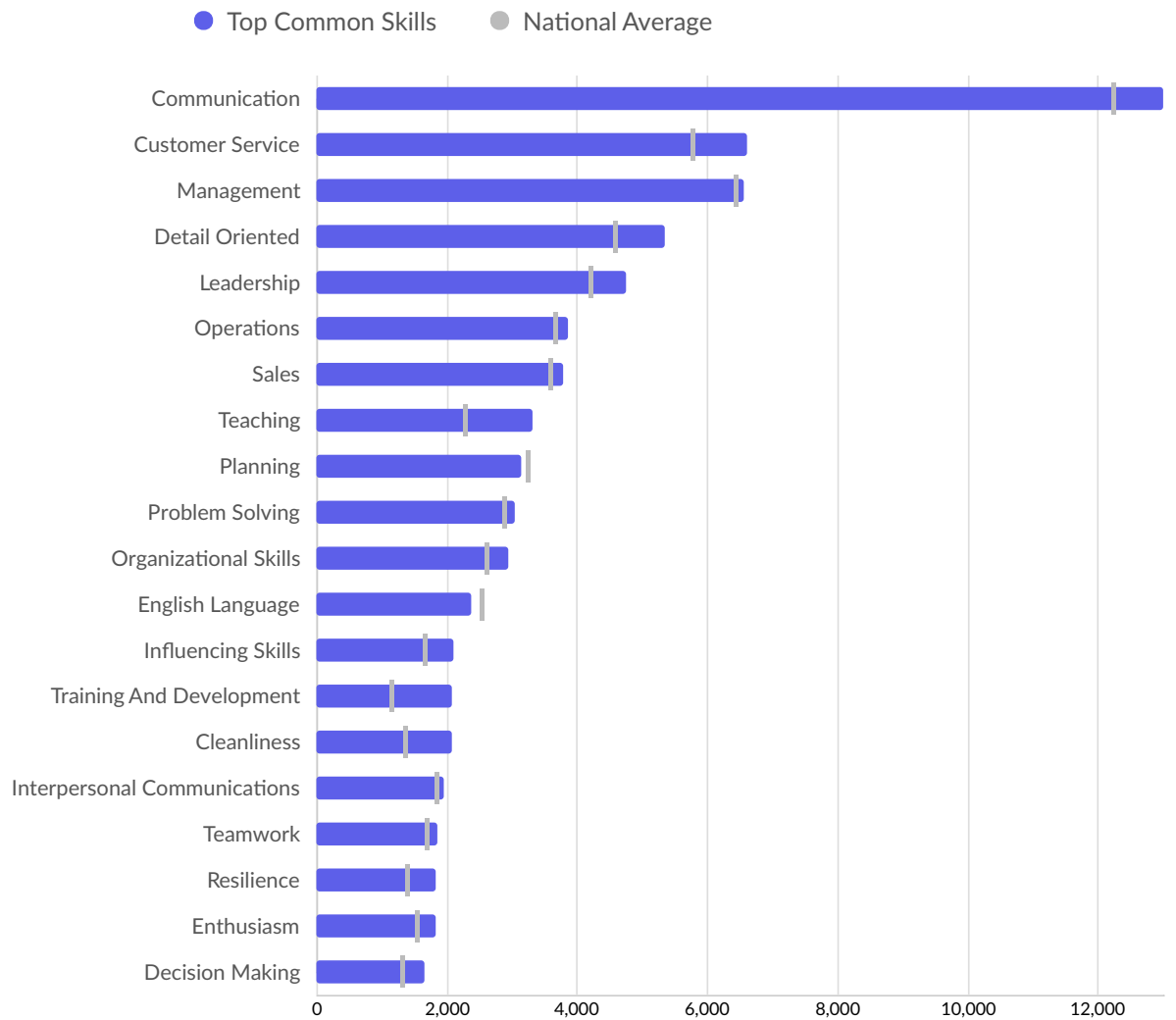
Top Posted Occupations

Occupation (SOC)	Total/Unique (Aug 2025 - Jul 2026)	Posting Intensity	Median Posting Duration
Care Workers and Home Carers	4,181 / 1,679	2 : 1 	29 days
Cleaners and Domestic	2,748 / 1,513	2 : 1 	23 days
Sales Related Occupations n.e.c.	2,210 / 1,122	2 : 1 	29 days
Teaching Assistants	1,513 / 1,027	1 : 1 	17 days
Kitchen and Catering Assistants	2,161 / 975	2 : 1 	27 days
Sales and Retail Assistants	2,813 / 788	4 : 1 	21 days
Early Education and Childcare Practitioners	1,022 / 595	2 : 1 	26 days
Chefs	1,160 / 592	2 : 1 	29 days
Customer Service Occupations n.e.c.	1,298 / 579	2 : 1 	21 days
Special and Additional Needs Education Teaching Professionals	790 / 573	1 : 1 	17 days



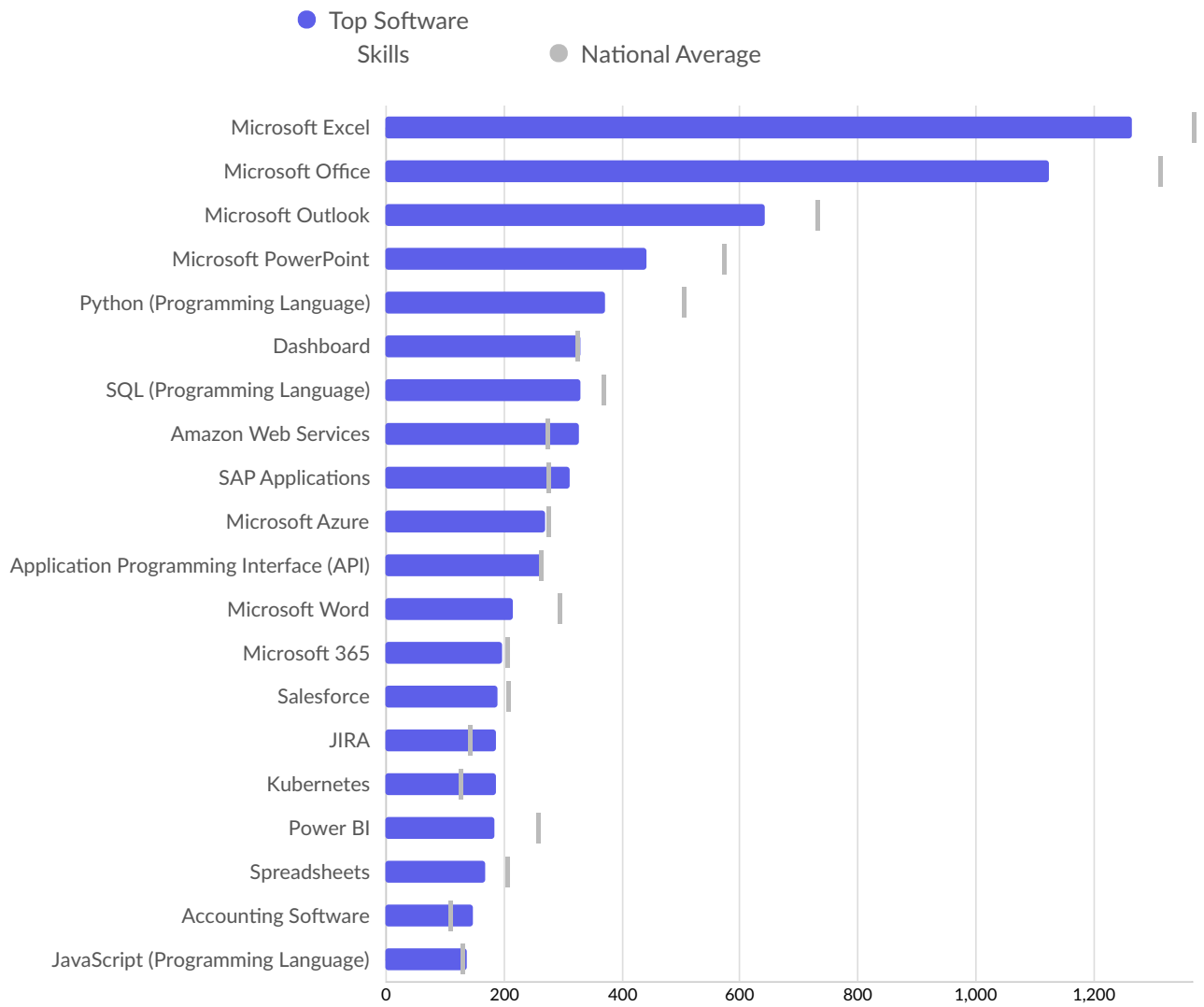
Top Specialized Skills	Unique Postings	National Average
Continuous Improvement Process	2,190	1,882
Auditing	1,901	2,077
Influencing Without Authority	1,764	1,187
Governance	1,697	1,365
Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)	1,458	1,436
Finance	1,402	1,594
Personal Care	1,273	803
Food Safety And Sanitation	1,085	870
Marketing	1,033	1,317
Risk Analysis	990	1,129
Mental Health	975	826
Business Strategies	950	271
Business Priorities	911	104

Restaurant Operation	897	662
Project Management	891	1,638
Working With Children	888	584
Warehousing	885	759
Housekeeping	880	713
Automation	867	680
Effective Communication	846	720



Top Common Skills	Unique Postings	National Average
Communication	13,006	12,201
Customer Service	6,604	5,750
Management	6,577	6,426
Detail Oriented	5,343	4,568
Leadership	4,759	4,185
Operations	3,877	3,639
Sales	3,789	3,570
Teaching	3,330	2,251
Planning	3,154	3,228
Problem Solving	3,050	2,855
Organizational Skills	2,940	2,579
English Language	2,366	2,496
Influencing Skills	2,109	1,642
Training And Development		
Cleanliness		
Interpersonal Communications		
Teamwork		
Resilience		
Enthusiasm		
Decision Making		

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Cleanliness	2,078	1,339
Interpersonal Communications	1,948	1,819
Teamwork	1,869	1,648
Resilience	1,830	1,351
Enthusiasm	1,821	1,501
Decision Making	1,662	1,299



Top Software Skills	Unique Postings	National Average
Microsoft Excel	1,265	1,367
Microsoft Office	1,125	1,309
Microsoft Outlook	642	730
Microsoft PowerPoint	442	571
Python (Programming Language)	373	503
Dashboard	330	323
SQL (Programming Language)	330	368
Amazon Web Services	327	271
SAP Applications	312	274
Microsoft Azure	272	274
Application Programming Interface (API)	266	260
Microsoft Word	216	292

Microsoft 365	198	204
Salesforce	189	205
JIRA	188	139
Kubernetes	187	124
Power BI	184	256
Spreadsheets	169	204
Accounting Software	149	106
JavaScript (Programming Language)	137	127

Appendix A - Data Sources and Calculations

Lightcast Job Postings

Job postings are collected from various sources and processed/enriched to provide information such as standardized company name, occupation, skills, and geography.