

Career ideas with... History



Law, the public sector and politics

Barrister
Civil Service manager
Diplomatic Service officer
Economist
Legal executive
Local government officer
Market researcher
Marketing executive
MP
Paralegal
Solicitor

Media and performing arts

Actor
Art valuer
Arts administrator
Copy writer
Costume designer
Editorial assistant
Journalist
Media researcher
Screenwriter
Set designer
TV or film producer
Web content manager
Writer

Jobs directly related to history

Antique dealer
Archaeologist
Art valuer
Conservator
Further education teacher
Heritage officer
Higher education lecturer
Museum assistant
Museum curator
Secondary school teacher

Managing information

Archivist
Indexer
Information scientist
Librarian
Library assistant
Registrar of births, deaths, marriages and civil partnerships

Other

Architect
Landscape architect
Primary school teacher
Secret service personnel
Tourist guide

Studying history helps develop the skills needed for jobs in many sectors, including business, law, the public sector and the media

In most of these jobs you work Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm, but in some jobs you work evenings and weekends

Many jobs where history is useful involve doing a lot of reading, writing and researching information

Good verbal and written communication skills are needed for many history related jobs

Remember: It is important to study a broad and balanced range of subjects. Look at <https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/explore-careers> for more information about different jobs.