JOD of the Week

Architect

Do you have a genuine interest in constructing new buildings and developing old ones?

Skills...

Communication

Initiative

Decision making

Problem solving

Creativity

Computer skills

Presenting

UK Average Salary:

£50,000+

Starting Salary:

£25,000

What would you do?

 An Architect designs new buildings and the spaces around them.

They also work on restoration and conservation of existing buildings.



What would you do?

- Prepare design proposals and present to clients
- Produce detailed drawings using specific software
- Visit sites to check work in progress
- Find cost effective ways to work within a set budget



What do you need?

 You can become an Architect by either going to University to study for a degree or getting an apprenticeship



What do you need?

- <u>University</u> you will need
 - A degree recognised by the <u>Architects Registration Board</u> (ARB)
 - A year of practical work experience
- Entry Requirements you will need
 - 5 GCSEs at grades 9 to 4 (A* to C), or equivalent, including English, maths and science
 - 2 to 3 A levels, or equivalent
 - For A levels always check with universities regarding their preferences

What do you need?

For an apprenticeship:-

 You can get into this role through an architect degree apprenticeship.

Entry requirements

 4 or 5 GCSEs at grades 9 to 4 (A* to C) and A levels, or equivalent, for a higher or degree apprenticeship



Other jobs that might interest you...

- Town Planner
- Civil Engineer
- Quantity Surveyor
- Interior Designer



Top Tips

Show your enthusiasm by volunteering

Find a relevant work experience placement

Do research into similar jobs