

Plotr FAQs

What is Plotr?

Plotr is a game that can help you discover our future career. You can find jobs that match your personality, interests and skills and look at what the world of work is really like. It will help you find the right courses, work experience, apprenticeships, jobs – and more – near you.

How does it work?

The Game finds out about your personality and what you like doing. Then it brings you careers to explore which could be a really good match for you.

How do I play the game?

You just click and answer the questions, the more you answer the better the career matches will be.

Why do I need to register?

If you register you can go back to the game whenever you like and will not lose your results. If you don't have time to play the entire game at once, you can go back to where you last stopped playing.

Do I have to upload a photo?

No, you only need to complete the **required** fields on the registration form. These are First Name, Last Name, Email, Password, Postcode, What type of user are you?

I haven't received the email where I should complete the registration?

Check your bulk/junk mail folder

Can I go back and change my answer?

Yes, just click on the link < *Change your previous answer* >

I've changed my email address – how can I update this in the Plotr site?

Click on your name in the top right corner on the menu bar, then select *Account details*. Type in your new email address and click *Save changes*.

What If I'm not sure how to answer a question?

You can click on "I don't know (Skip this Question)" or select the Neutral answer.

How long does it take to play the entire game from start to finish?

It will take between 70-90 minutes to complete the game.

How do I see Career Matches?

As you keep answering the questions, the lightbulb on the right hand side of the screen will change into a list of recommended careers, based on the answers you give. The more questions you answer, the more tailored the careers will be to your skills, interests and personality.

Can I click on the links at the top of the screen whilst I'm in the middle of a game?

Yes, as long as you've registered - the game will remember which question you are on and will take you back to that question, when you continue playing the game.

How do I know where I am in the game?

You will see in the top left corner the Level you are on, the question within that level (eg question 3 of 42) and how long it should take to complete that level.

How can I find out about different Industries?

Click on the Career Options tab from the top menu, then select Industries. You can then rank them by Best Match (Based on your answers) or Alphabetically.

How do I add a Career to my Favourites?

Go to the Career Options tab from the top menu, click Careers. When you find a career you want to add to your favourites – click on the Star. The star will change to purple and you will see a number next to the Favourites link in the top menu bar.

How to I access the articles, careers, worlds and industries I have added to my Favourites?

Just click on the Favourites link from the top menu bar. All the items you have added to your favourites will appear ready for you to explore.

I didn't check the boxes when I registered to receive notifications/content via email. I would like to receive some now – can I still do this?

Yes, click on your name in the top right corner on the menu bar, then select *Notifications*. Just click the boxes on the notifications you would like to receive. Scroll down to the bottom of the page and click *Save Changes*.

What are the "Worlds"?

The Career Worlds give you an insight into industry sectors where you can look into the organisations/industries and see the types of jobs in each. Some of the Worlds are sponsored by real companies eg: Barclays, BBC, O2 etc..

What is the Character Report?

The Character Report summarises all your answers and displays the information as individual bar graphs. Share the report with your Consultant.

Where do I find the Character Report?

The Character Report can be found under the Advice tab on the top menu. Or you can also click on your name in the top right corner and select Character Report.

Where can I get more help from?

You can speak to your Consultant, or you can go to the Advice Tab from the top menu and select Career Help and Resources.

I've completed the game but I want to play it again. Is that possible?

You can only play the game again if you register using a different email address.

Can I look for jobs or work experience on the Plotr site?

Yes, go to the Jobs tab from the top menu and enter search criteria and click Search.

Can I save a search so I don't have to enter the same search terms every time I log in?

Yes, once you have entered your search criteria, click on the checkbox Save this Search. You will then need to enter a name for the search and you can tick the box if you wish to receive updates by email.