Why Choose Higher Education?

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• Employment
• Economics
• Excitement
“Up against the competition of 2 billion people in China and India – with 5 million graduates a year- Britain cannot compete on low skills only high graduate skills”

- 80% of all new jobs
- 50% of all new job vacancies
- 40% of the working population
Employment

Improves career prospects

More skills: more choice

- Intellectual capability
- Communication
- Problem solving
- Teamwork
- Networking
- Technical ability
- Business awareness
- Flexibility
Employment
Graduates earn more:

- £12K more per year, every year
- Average graduate starting salary £25,000

Source: Association of Graduate Recruiters/Office for National Statistics
“University opened up possibilities for me I could never have dreamed of”
Excitement

Higher Education is a personal experience

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