

Exporting help and support

The following are a collection of links and sources of useful information regarding exporting:

- **[Click Here](#) to subscribe to the DIT Education team's e-bulletin.**
- **EU EXIT: NEW RULES ARE HERE.** New rules apply to things like travel and doing business with Europe. Use the Brexit checker to get a personalised list of actions for you, your business and your family. This affects citizens, businesses, as well as travel to and from the EU. Please make sure you visit the <https://www.gov.uk/transition> website to ensure that you are up to date with all the latest information regarding this.
- **DIT EDUCATION EXPORT DRIVE:** This is the DIT Education export drive page containing useful links and information to support growth in education exports globally. <https://www.events.great.gov.uk/website/5744/>
- **INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION STRATEGY:** Joint DFE and DIT strategy setting out the government's ambition for education exports and how it will support the UK education sector to access global opportunities. The original 2019 strategy document can be seen here: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/international-education-strategy-global-potential-global-growth>. The 2021 strategy update document is available for download from: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/international-education-strategy-2021-update>
- **EXPORTING IS GREAT** website: <https://www.great.gov.uk/> offers a range of guidance, services and support to help you explore the potential of exporting. This is an essential resource to support your exporting ambitions.
- **REPORT A TRADE BARRIER:** A trade barrier is something that slows down, limits or prevents a UK business exporting to or investing in an overseas market. You can report a new trade barrier or an issue with an existing one. <https://www.great.gov.uk/report-trade-barrier/> . To see if a trade barrier has already been reported visit [check for barriers to trading and investing abroad](#).
- **EXPORT OPPORTUNITIES:** Do register on the [DIT Export Opportunities website https://www.great.gov.uk/export-opportunities/](https://www.great.gov.uk/export-opportunities/) – here you can set up a subscription and you'll automatically be notified of relevant opportunities.
- **DIT EVENTS/MISSIONS:** It is definitely worth keeping a watching brief on the [DIT events website \(https://www.events.great.gov.uk/\)](https://www.events.great.gov.uk/) as all overseas trade missions and events are usually posted on here.
- **INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADVISORS:** Contact your local DIT International Trade Advisor (ITA) for additional export help and support. Contact your ITA via [DIT's Regional Network \(https://www.great.gov.uk/contact/office-finder/\)](https://www.great.gov.uk/contact/office-finder/)
- **AID/ DONOR FUNDING:** For Aid Funded agencies / donor organisations who may have funded projects that might be of interest to you, please see the [UK Government's Guidance \(https://www.gov.uk/guidance/aid-funded-business\)](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/aid-funded-business) and you can set up a subscription to [receive updates here](#)
- **EXPORT FINANCE:** UK Export Finance's mission is to ensure no viable UK export fails for lack of finance or insurance from the private sector. To see the range of [UK Export Finance](https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/our-products) products and services available to help you export, please see <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/our-products>
- **MARKET GUIDES:** The Department for International Trade's (DIT) publish a range of guides for UK businesses who are interested in selling overseas: <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/exporting-country-guides>
- **FCDO ECONOMIC FACTSHEETS:** Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) Economic Factsheets summarise key economic and development data for over 180 economies. <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/fco-economic-factsheets>
- **DIT TRADE AND INVESTMENT FACTSHEETS:** These factsheets summarise the latest statistics on trade and investment between the UK and individual overseas partners. Trade statistics inform how we meet the challenges of trade policy and promotion in the UK. <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/trade-and-investment-factsheets>



- **UNESCO - UNEVOC** – International Centre for Technical and Vocational Education and Training contain excellent free country profiles. These provide insight relating to skills and TVET, including structures and actors.
<https://unevoc.unesco.org/home/TVET+Country+Profiles>
- **MANAGING OVERSEAS BUSINESS RISK:** This contains useful information on how UK businesses might identify and mitigate potential security and political risks to overseas trading:
<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/overseas-business-risk>
- **UK SKILLS PARTNERSHIP** – <http://www.ukskillspartnership.org.uk> - The UK Skills Partnership consists of industry bodies and associations who represent the diversity of both public and private independent skills training and education providers, further education colleges, awarding organisations and associated suppliers.

Please note that from time to time, the links supplied may change as part of ongoing updates.