

64075 Annual Starting Salaries Regarding Architecture & Engineering Job Roles

Please can you provide the annual starting salary for each of the below listed jobs as of April 2026, or equivalent title within your departments. I understand you may not have all these job roles, but any information would be a great assistance.

Please note: if grading bands are provided could you please provide the annual figures that align as band numbering varies throughout public sector bodies.

Architecture

- Junior Architectural Technologist
- Architectural Assistant
- Architectural Technologist / Technician
- Architect
- Senior Architectural Technologist /Technician
- Senior Architect
- Team Lead (Architectural Manager)

Engineering (Civils Design Team)

- Apprentice
- Trainee Technician
- Assistant Engineer
- Engineer
- Senior Engineer / Design Team Lead
- Team Lead (Civils Manager)

Engineering (Structural Design Team)

- Apprentice
- Trainee Technician
- Assistant Engineer
- Engineer
- Senior Engineer / Design Team Lead
- Team Lead (Structural Manager)

We have identified the following posts:

- Architectural Technicians are Paid at Grade 7. Starting Salary Scale Point 58 - £40,501
- Senior Architectural Assistants are Paid at Grade 7. Starting Salary Scale Point 58 - £40,501
- Architects are Paid at Grade 8. Starting Salary Scale Point 70 - £47,639
- Architectural Managers are Paid at Grade 9. Starting Salary Scale Point 82 - £56,392

There are many generic Engineers and it is difficult to differentiate Civil from Structural Engineers.

Based on specific Job Title there is only one Senior **Structural** Engineer

- Engineers are paid at Grade 7. Starting Salary Scale Point 58 - £40,501
- Senior Engineers are paid at Grade 8. Starting Salary Scale Point 70 - £47,639
- Engineering Managers are paid at Grade 9. Starting Salary Scale Point 82 - £56,392

Pay Structures which provide the range of pay in each Grade level for 01/04/2026 are published on our website at:

<https://www.edinburgh.gov.uk/downloads/download/14473/pay-structure-and-pay-guides>