

Why The Post Office?



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More than 170 products and services



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1/3 of all small businesses in the UK visit a Post Office branch at least once a week

The Post Office is required by government to meet the following 'Access Criteria:'

1. 99% of the UK population to be within three miles of their nearest post office outlet;
2. 90% of the UK population to be within one mile of their nearest post office outlet;

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At the time of writing there are 322 crown offices, directly managed by Post Office. The remaining branches are managed on an agency basis either by sub postmasters or partners. These are the Post Office's we are contracted to.

The Post Office is now a growth business building on our core asset of a nationwide network of branches, run by local, trusted people.

The Post Office is changing. As a commercial business with a public purpose, you will still find a PO within three miles of 99.7% of the population, providing key services at the heart of communities and providing social value estimated at £2.3 billion.