

Notice periods

What a notice period is

When an employee leaves a job they usually have to work a notice period.

A notice period is the amount of time an employee has to work for their employer after they resign, are dismissed or made redundant.

How much notice they get depends on:

- how long they have worked for their employer
- what's in their employment contract or [written statement of employment particulars](#)
- whether they have been dismissed, made redundant or have resigned