

The UK's obligations under the 1961 European Social Charter with which it complies (8)

Right (Article)	Obligation (paragraph)(year of conclusion)
The right to work (1)	One of the UK's primary aims and responsibilities is the achievement and maintenance of as high and stable a level of employment as possible, with a view to the attainment of full employment (1.1) (2016) ^a
The right to just conditions of work (2)	Provide for a minimum of two weeks annual holiday with pay (2.3) (2019) ^b
The right to safe and healthy working conditions (3)	Consult, as appropriate, employers' and workers' organisations on measures intended to improve industrial safety and health (3.3) (2017) ^c
The right to bargain collectively (6)	Promote joint consultation between workers and employers (6.1) (2019) ^b
The right to bargain collectively (6)	Promote the establishment and use of appropriate machinery for conciliation and voluntary arbitration for the settlement of labour disputes (6.3) (2019) ^b
The right of children and young persons to protection (7)	Provide that the time spent by young persons in vocational training during the normal working hours with the consent of the employer is treated as forming part of the working day (7.6) (2015) ^d
The right to social and medical assistance (13)	Ensure that persons receiving social and medical assistance shall not, for that reason, suffer from a diminution of their political or social rights (13.2) (2017) ^c
The right to engage in a gainful occupation in the territory of other Contracting Parties (18)	The right of UK nationals to leave the country to engage in a gainful occupation in the territories of the other Contracting Parties (18.4) (2016) ^a

a European Committee of Social Rights. Conclusions XXI-1 (2016) - United Kingdom. January 2017; reference period 2011-14.

b European Committee of Social Rights. Conclusions XXI-3 (2018) - United Kingdom. March 2019; reference period 2013-16

c European Committee of Social Rights. Conclusions XXI-2 (2017) - United Kingdom. January 2018; reference period 2012-15

d European Committee of Social Rights. Conclusions XX-4 (2015) - United Kingdom. January 2016; reference period 2010-13

PR, 12/4/19