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Green jobs are decent jobs that contribute to preserve or restore the environment, be they in traditional sectors such as manufacturing and construction, or in new, emerging green sectors such as renewable energy and energy efficiency.

In UK there are apperenticeships for people of all ages to break into green jobs. They offer the opportunity to earn while you learn with options to train right up to degree level. Also there are some ducational camps called Skills Bootcamp. These are short, flexible and free courses that give people the opportunity to build on existing experience and gain sector-specific skills.

The UK has committed to reaching net zero by 2050. This means that the total greenhouse gas emissions would be equal to the emissions removed from the atmosphere, with the aim of limiting climate change.

There are some things that still can be done such as:

* Making invesments in renewable energy for decreasing the usage of fossil fuels.
* Creating some storage departmants only for clean energy that has been made from renewable energy platforms suc as wind turbines and hydroelectricity.
* Protecting the natural habitats for preventing forest loss and protecting the ecosystem to maintain biodiversity.
* Improving public transportation systems and making them 100% electric fot reducing carbon emission.
* Designing cities bike friendly and making them more walkable for reducing the poluttion from cars and motored wehicles.
* Creating educational campaings for teaching people about the benefits of a green economy.
* Increasing the numbers of green jobs to contributing the green economy plan.
* Baning or limiting harmful chemicals and non-recyclable plastics.
* Making some chances in tax regulations for energy-efficent Technologies.
* Developing tools for measuring the progresstowards sustainabillity goals.
* Making global agreements for limiting global warming and promoting sustainable developments

There are many more other things to do but they are the main ones.

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