

46% of people in employment in the UK want to work flexibly

(Source: Timeswise, 2015)

UK business culture is reflecting the global trend towards flexible and mobile working. The rewards for employers can be substantial. Remote working opportunities can help you attract, retain and grow top talent, simplify business processes and improve workflow.

While helping employees achieve a better work/life balance along the way. Happier employees show increased productivity, too. Working remotely can even diminish your carbon footprint and office space.

Now that's good news all round.



Get more done



Retain and grow top talent



Improve work/life balance



87%

of men and women say work/life balance affects their health negatively

(Source: Hewitt Recruitment, 2015)

83% of workers say adopting flexible working results in improved productivity

(Source: Vodafone, 2016)



of HR professionals believe adopting a flexible, mobile work model delivers competitive advantage

(Source: Cisco, 2014)



72%

The number of people spending more than 2 hours travelling to and from work every day in the UK

(Source: TUC, 2015)

92%

of millennials place flexibility as a top priority while selecting workplaces

(Source: The Future of Work Community, 2015)

70%



The number of organisations predicted to have flexible working by 2020

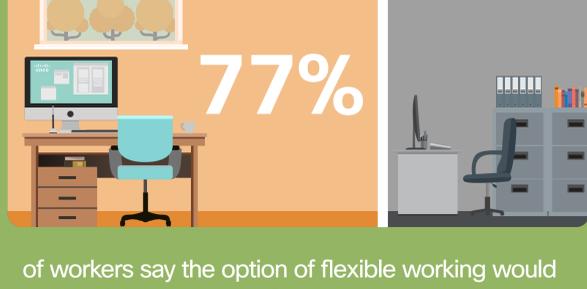
(Source: Lancaster University Work Foundation, 2016)



of the UK workforce has a home office

(Source: Regus, 2015)

65%



of workers say the option of flexible working would make a job more attractive

(Source: OnePoll, 2016)

So, flexible working is good for productive business AND engaged employees. Giving employees secure, industry-leading collaboration tools is fundamental to a successful flexible working culture.

Remote access provides the same people and resources without having to leave the home study, or whilst they're on the move. That means as soon as their broadband or data connection is made, employees can share information and ideas almost anywhere.

88%



of CEOs believe digital technologies are creating high value on operational efficiency

(Source: MIT/Debitte, 2015)

“ We like to give people the freedom to work where they want, safe in the knowledge that they have the drive and expertise to perform excellently, whether they're at their desk or in their kitchen. Yours truly has never worked out of an office and never will. ”

Richard Branson – Founder and Chairman, Virgin Group

75%

of users say video improves collaboration and productivity

(Frost and Sullivan, 2014)



50%

of team coordination and communication will occur via mobile group collaboration applications by 2018

(Source: Gartner, 2015)

Collaboration technology from Cisco brings people and information together simply, securely and efficiently across a remote, mobile and diverse workforce.

productive and safe. Strengthening employee communications, teamworking, relationships and work/life balance as people meet face-to-face. Wherever. Whenever.

Collaboration solutions, including Cisco Spark, WebEx, and Jabber use powerful and highly secure voice, video, IM and file sharing capabilities. Keeping your business

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Job done.

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