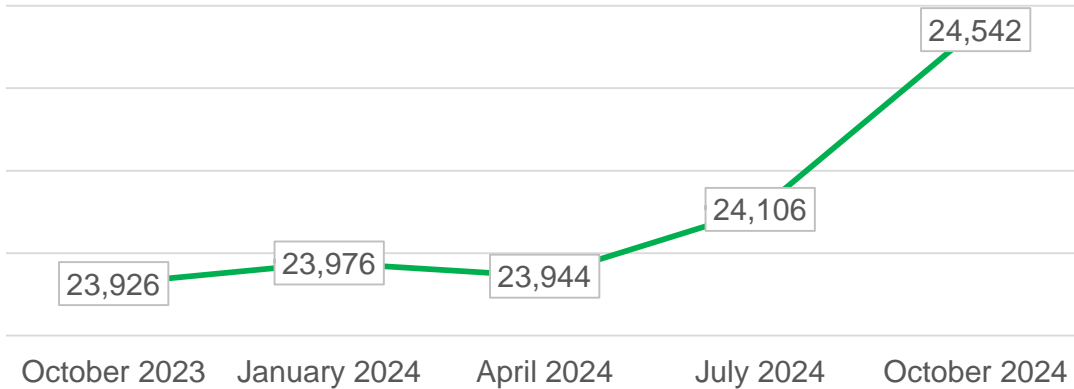


Employment in the Northern Ireland Civil Service (NICS)

Based on Staff in Post as at 1 October 2024.

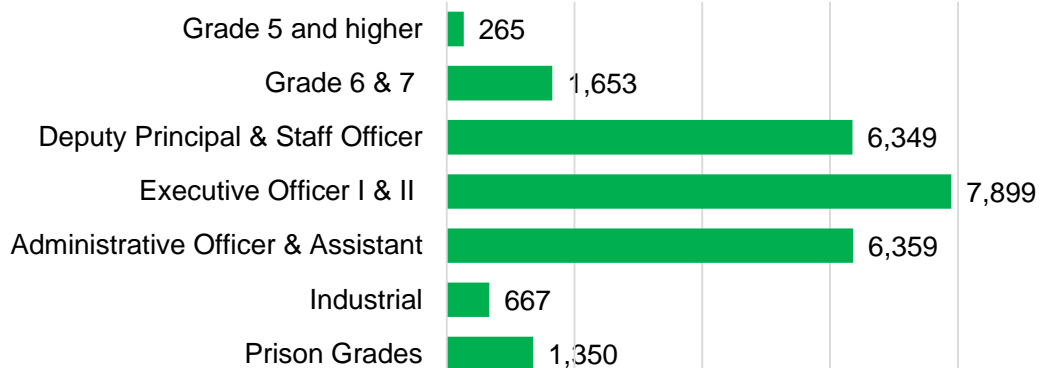
NICS Headcount



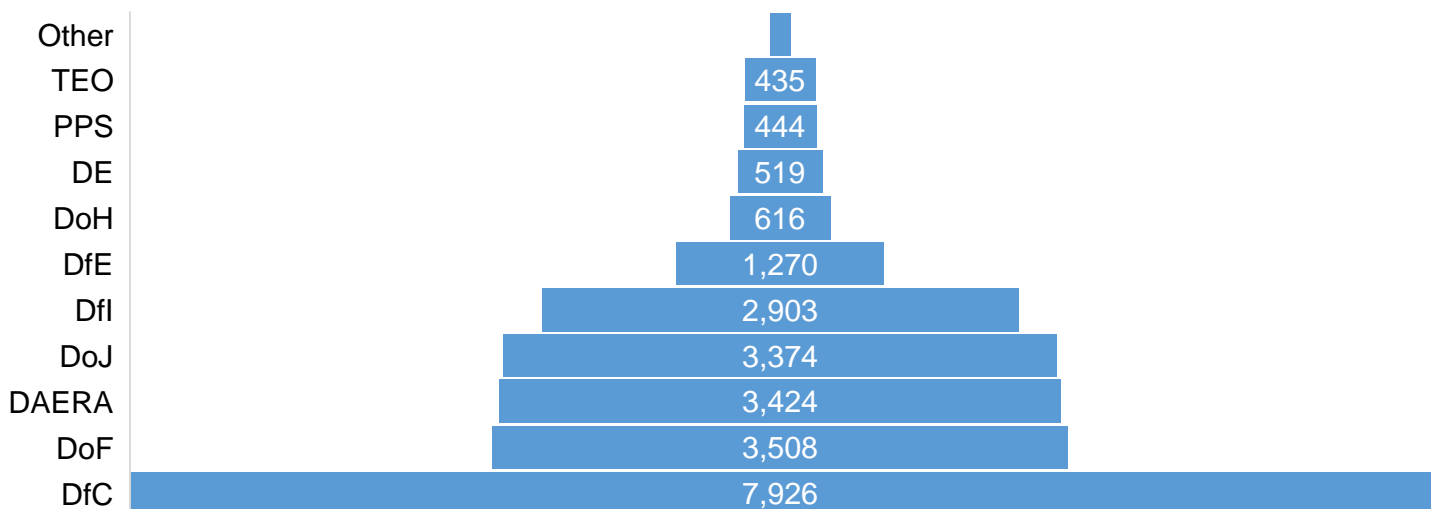
The headcount number of staff in the NICS at 1 October 2024 was 24,542, an increase of 436 from the position at 1 July 2024 and an increase of 616 from the position 1 October 2023

NICS Headcount by Grade

Grade 5 and higher has the least number of staff while Executive Officer I and II had the greatest number of staff.



NICS Headcount by Department



Department for Communities is the largest department within NICS.

Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs - DAERA Department for Communities - DfC
Department for the Economy - DfE Department of Education - DE Department of Finance - DoF Department
of Health - DoH Department for Infrastructure - DfI Department of Justice - DoJ The Executive Office - TEO
Public Prosecution Service for Northern Ireland - PPS

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