

SKILL ASSESSMENT

AI Skills Mapping Framework

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Understand Which Skills to Focus on in an AI-Driven World

A simple system to identify which of your skills are valuable, at risk, and worth developing.

Why This Matters Now

AI is changing how work is done across every industry.

Some skills are becoming less valuable, while others are becoming more important.

The challenge is not just learning new skills—but knowing which ones are worth your time.

The Three Skill Categories

To make this simple, we divide skills into three groups:

1. At Risk Skills

These are skills that AI can automate easily.

These are best reduced over time.

Examples:

- Data entry
- Repetitive admin work
- Basic content generation
- Rule-based tasks

2. Augmented Skills

These are skills that improve when combined with AI.

These should be improved using AI tools.

Examples:

- Research with AI support
- Content creation with AI tools
- Data analysis using AI assistance

3. High-Value Human Skills

These are skills that remain difficult to automate.

These are where you should invest most of your time.

Examples:

- Problem solving
- Communication
- Strategic thinking
- Decision making

Your Personal Skills Map

Fill this in based on your current work or business.

Use the table below to map your own skills.

Your Skill

Example: Customer Service | High Value | Requires human judgement

Category (At Risk / Augmented / High Value)

Notes

Example: Excel

Augmented

Faster with AI tools

Example: Writing

Augmented

Needs human direction

Example: Strategy

High Value

Core decision skill

How to Use This

Go through your current skills and:

- List everything you regularly use
- Assign each skill to a category
- Identify gaps and opportunities

What to Do Next

Once you've mapped your skills:

- Reduce reliance on “At Risk” skills
- Improve “Augmented” skills using AI
- Invest time in “High Value” skills

The Key Insight

The goal is not to compete with AI.

The goal is to:

- 👉 Work with AI
- 👉 Build skills AI cannot replace
- 👉 Stay adaptable

Want to Go Further?

This framework is part of a wider system designed to help you work more effectively with AI.

Learn how to:

- Structure your data
- Ask better questions
- Build your own AI workflow

Explore the full toolkit here:

<https://whatnowuk.co.uk/ai-business-toolkit-uk/>