



12 CONSERVATIVE ACHIEVEMENTS

- ✓ Deficit cut by a third
- ✓ **1.25 million new jobs created in the private sector**
- ✓ 250,000 new small businesses created
- ✓ **A record number of apprenticeships started – half a million in the last year alone**
- ✓ Tax cut by £600 for 24 million people and 2.2 million people taken out of tax altogether
- ✓ **Council Tax frozen for 3 years in a row**
- ✓ Energy companies being forced to put customers on the lowest tariff
- ✓ **Benefits capped – so no out-of-work household can claim more than the average working family earns**
- ✓ Net immigration cut by a third
- ✓ **A cut in the EU budget and a treaty vetoed because it wasn't in Britain's national interest**
- ✓ Crime down by 10 per cent
- ✓ **6,000 more doctors employed in the NHS – and 6,000 fewer managers**

