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Career Education

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Personality - Go to: <https://www.16personalities.com/> and click "Take the Test". Enter your personality type below.



Explore Your Type: Look at the left of the screen and read the "Introduction" and "Strengths & Weaknesses" portion of your survey.

List three (3) strengths you have:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____

List two (2) weaknesses you have:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____

Think about the type of job you are most interested in right now. Do your strengths and weaknesses allow you to become successful at it?





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Personality Types

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- ARCHITECT LOGICIAN COMMANDER DEBATER
- ADVOCATE MEDIATOR PROTAGONIST CAMPAIGNER
- LOGISTICIAN DEFENDER EXECUTIVE CONSUL
- ENTERTAINER VIRTUOSO ADVENTURER ENTREPRENEUR
- ANALYSTS SENTINELS DIPLOMATS EXPLORERS



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Name Poster

What are your preferences, your favourite people, places and things? Make a terrific poster by printing your name in **BIG, FAT** letters on paper provided.

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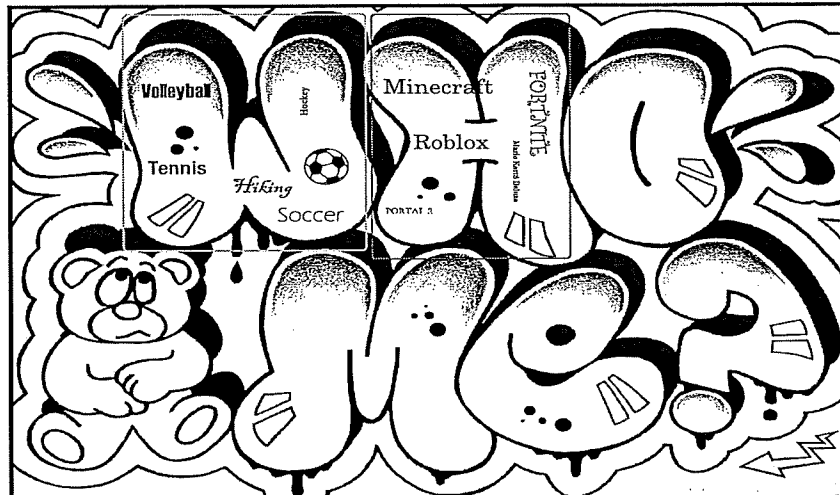
ALEXIS

Fill in the letters with ideas, drawings, and other things that interest you personally. You must have at least five (5) letters on your poster and five (5) words in each letter describing your interest. If your name is shorter than five letters, use the first letter of your last name, or your nickname.

Here are some possible topics to spark your imagination:

Friends	Movies	Sports	Video games
Pets	Songs	Books	Apps
Places	Food/Drink	TV shows	I'm good at ...
Future goals	School	When I grow up...	I like to...

Notice that the letter "W" has five (5) words that are associated with sports, and the letter "H" has five (5) words that are associated with video games. Now it is time for you to create your own. You may want to add some colour and drawings to your poster. Take your and do your best work. You need to fill in the entire rectangle.



Name _____

Career Exploration Day 1 Webquest

1. Go to: <http://www.educationplanner.org/>
2. Click "Students"
3. Click "Career Planning"
4. Click "Career Planning Checklists"
5. Click "Middle School"
6. List the 6 things you can do to get started on a successful path to your future career:
 - a. Be a good _____ and work _____ to get _____.
 - b. Develop _____.
 - c. Do your _____.
 - d. Read _____, magazines, and online publications for fun.
 - e. Get _____ in extracurricular activities.
 - f. Identify several career areas that may _____.

Career Exploration Day 1 Continued Webquest

7. Click "Find Careers"
8. Click "Which Careers Match Your Skills?"
9. Click each checkbox that identifies what you are good at.
10. Click "Show Me the Results!"
11. Read the full list under "You may enjoy these careers"
12. Choose three careers to research during the career exploration unit.

Career 1: _____

Career 2: _____

Career 3: _____

Name _____

Career Exploration Day 2 Webquest

1. Go to: <http://www.educationplanner.org/>
2. Click "Students"
3. Click "Career Planning"
4. Click "Find Careers"
5. Click "Career Search"
6. Click "Go to My Next Move"
7. In the "search careers with keywords" box, type your first career choice. Click "Search"
8. Click the link for the career that best matches your career choice.
9. Read the information on the page.
10. Use the Career Descriptions sheet and the "My Next Move" webpage to write a summary paragraph description. Also, include the salary/wage for the career.
11. Repeat all steps for career choices 2 and 3.

Name _____

Career Exploration Day 2: Career Descriptions

Career Choice 1:	
Career Salary / Wage:	
Career Description:	

Career Choice 2:	
Career Salary / Wage:	
Career Description:	

Career Choice 3:	
Career Salary / Wage:	
Career Description:	

Name _____

Career Exploration Day 3 Webquest

1. Go to: <http://www.educationplanner.org/>
2. Click "Students"
3. Click "Career Planning"
4. Click "Find Careers"
5. Click "Career Videos"
6. Click "Go to the Career Videos"
7. Click the career and cluster video link that best matches your career choice.
8. Click the video for your career choice.
9. View the video.
10. Repeat all steps for career choices 2 and 3.
11. Use information you have learned from the career descriptions activity completed on day 2 and the videos to complete the Career Exploration Day 3: Reflect sheet for each career choice.

Name _____

Career Exploration Day 3: Reflect

Career Choice 1:

What I like:

What I dislike:

Name _____

Career Exploration Day 3: Reflect

Career Choice 2:

What I like:

What I dislike:

Name _____

Career Exploration Day 3: Reflect

Career Choice 3:

What I like:

What I dislike:

Name _____

Career Exploration Day 4 Webquest

1. Go to: <http://www.educationplanner.org/>
2. Click "Students"
3. Click "Self Assessments"
4. Click "Which Study Habits Can You Improve?"
5. Indicate where you stand for each study habit by choosing already do, plan to do, or not interested.
6. Click "What Can I Do?"
7. List two study habits you can improve:
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
8. Write a letter to your future self. Include in the letter:
 - Your favorite career choice
 - Why it is your favorite career choice
 - What you will work on to improve
 - What you do really well making your career choice a good option for you

Career Exploration Day 5 Interviewer

1. For which job are you applying?
2. What skills do you have that make you qualified for this job?
3. What is one way you could improve before being hired?
4. How much money do you expect to make?
5. What work will you be seen doing well?
6. Why would you like to have this job?

Name _____

Career Exploration Day 5 I Have a Job Interview

1. For which job are you applying? (Write your favorite career choice.)

2. What skills do you have that make you qualified for this job?

3. What is one way you could improve before being hired? (List one of your study habits that you are working on improving.)

4. How much money do you expect to make?

5. What work will you be seen doing well? (List tasks from the job description.)

6. Why would you like to have this job?

Name: _____

Day 6

Career and living expenses worksheet

Job or Career interested in _____

Hourly wage _____ . Or Yearly Salary _____

To find out the yearly salary do the following calculations (BC minimum wage \$15.56)

- Per Day: Multiply the hourly wage x 8hr _____
- Per week: multiply the day x 5 _____
- Per Month: Multiply the week by 4 _____
- Per Year : multiply the month by 12 _____

To find out an hourly wage if you know the yearly Salary:

- Divide your salary by 12 to find out how much you make per month _____
- Divide your monthly salary by 4 to find out how much you make per week _____
- Divide your weekly salary by 5 to find out how much you work per day _____
- Divide you daily wage by 8 (hours) to find out how much per hour _____
- My Hourly wage is _____

If you already know a yearly salary of your Job/career write it here _____

Do you have enough money to get by each month?

Expenses:

Income Per month
(after taxes)

Expenses per month

Housing (choose one)

- Apartment city (Van) \$2200
- Apartment Chilliwack \$1400
- House city (Van) \$4000
- House Chilliwack \$2200
- Townhouse city (van) \$3000
- Townhouse Chilliwack \$1900

Housing _____

Heat _____

(apartment \$40; average house w/ furnace \$90; big house with gas stove and BBQ, furnace and multiple fireplaces \$120)

Hydro _____

(apartment \$80; house with electric hot water \$140; big house and lot of electrical use \$180)

Phone _____

(\$60-\$80 per phone)

Internet _____

(slow \$60 -> \$Fast 120)

Cable TV _____

(\$60-\$100). Subscriptions are about \$15 each (prime, Netflix, Disney etc.)

Name: _____

Food _____ (\$600-\$2000) depending on your family size (\$500 is a low end single person estimate. **not including dining out**)

Car _____ (payments + insurance + Gas) (so a \$6000 dollar used car would be around \$900 per month with insurance and gas)

Clothing _____ (how much do you want to spend on new clothing?)

House insurance (rent vs own) _____ (renters \$50; owners \$150 average home)

Savings _____ How much do you want to put away for the future

Entertainment _____ (movies, eating out, concerts, sports games...)

Income Tax

- The government will take money from your paycheck or at the end of the year when you do your taxes. (Low taxes are about 20% and the more you make the more % you pay up to %53)
- How much Income tax would you pay with your career? _____
 - Salary x (your income tax % in a decimal 27% is .27 = income tax

British Columbia Provincial and Federal tax brackets

Your taxable income places you in the following tax brackets.

Canadian federal tax bracket	Canadian federal tax rate	British Columbia tax bracket	British Columbia tax rate
\$49,020 or less	15.00%	Up to \$42,184	5.06%
\$49,020 - \$98,040	20.50%	\$42,185 to \$84,369	7.70%
\$98,040 - \$151,978	26.00%	\$84,370 to \$96,866	10.50%
\$151,978 - \$216,511	29.00%	\$96,867 to \$117,623	12.29%
More than \$216,511	33.00%	\$117,624 to \$159,483	14.70%
		\$159,484 to \$222,420	16.80%
		Over \$222,420	20.50%

Name _____

Getting To Know You Survey

Directions:

Fold the paper on the dark vertical line so that the eight columns on the right are folded back. Then read each statement below. Rate each statement from 0 to 5 according to how well the description fits you (0 = Not at All to 5 = Very True) Next unfold the paper and transfer each number over to the outlined block on the same row. Finally, add the numbers in each column to find the total score for each multiple intelligence area. The highest possible score in one area is 15. How many ways are you smart?

Which of the following are true about you? 0-5

	Naturalist	Mathematical-Logical	Verbal-Linguistic	Musical-Rhythmic	Visual-Spatial	Bodily-Kinesthetic	Interpersonal	Intrapersonal
I enjoy singing and I sing well.								
I love crossword puzzles and other word games.								
I like spending time by myself.								
Charts, maps, and graphic organizers help me learn.								
I learn best when I can talk over a new idea.								
I enjoy art, photography, or doing craft projects.								
I often listen to music in my free time.								
I get along well with different types of people.								
I often think about my goals and dreams for the future.								
I enjoy studying about the earth and nature.								
I enjoy caring for pets and other animals.								
I love projects that involve acting or moving.								
Written assignments are usually easy for me.								
I can learn new math ideas easily.								
I play a musical instrument (or would like to).								
I am good at physical activities like sports or dancing.								
I like to play games involving numbers and logic.								
My best way to learn is by doing hands-on activities.								
I love painting, drawing, or designing on the computer.								
I often help others without being asked.								
I enjoy being outside in all types of weather.								
I love the challenge of solving a difficult math problem.								
Having quiet time to think over ideas is important to me.								
I read for pleasure every day.								
Totals →								

I think I am:

1) _____ Smart.

2) _____ Smart.

3) _____ Smart.

These intelligences suit me best because _____

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CAREER RESEARCH SHEET

Directions: Complete the following fields to the best of your ability. I suggest you use the Bureau of Labor Statistics Occupational Outlook Handbook (www.bls.gov/ooh/) or Career One Stop (<http://www.careerinfonet.org/>) as a starting point. **You must complete this form before beginning your business card poster.**

Name of career/occupation: _____

Basic duties/tasks:

Other names for the career/occupation:

How many jobs did people in this career hold in either 2014 or 2105 in the USA?

What are the top three industries that employ this career?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

What is the typical work schedule like for this career?

Is there potential for injuries and illnesses in this career? If so, what?

What education is required?

What licenses, certifications, and/or registrations are required?

What are three important qualities/skills to have in this career?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

What is the median annual wage (use latest year available)?

What did the lowest 10 percent earn?

What did the highest 10 percent earn?

Name: _____ Period: _____

What is the median wage for this occupation in your current state of residence?

What is the job outlook for the next 10 years?

What is a possible reason for this outlook?

What tools and technology are used in this occupation? Identify at least two. (This information is available on <http://www.careerinfonet.org/>)

1.

2.

Identify **three similar occupations**, along with their job duties, educational requirements, and median salary.

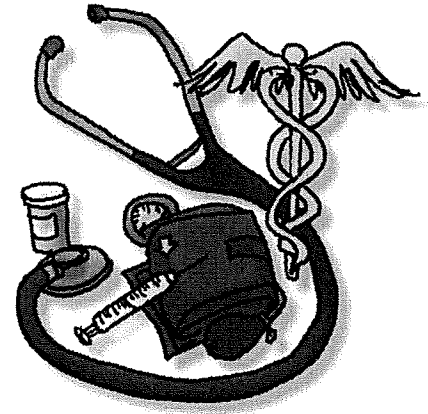
Occupation/ Job Title	Basic Job Duties (identify two)	Educational Requirements	Median salary

Career Research

Directions: Before you can truly begin researching colleges, you need to begin thinking about what you want to go to school for – what career or occupation best suits you. For this assignment, you will research a career/occupation and then use the information to create a poster.

Include the following information on your business card:

- Name of career/occupation
- The symbol depicting the career
- Basic duties/tasks
- Education required
- Important qualities/skills for career
- Median annual salary/wages
- Job Outlook
- At least two additional interesting pieces of information about the career/occupation



Other requirements:

- Make sure the name of the career is large, readable, and the focal point of your poster
 - Use colors, fonts, designs related to your career on the poster
 - Neatly write the required information on your poster. You can type and print out information then paste it onto your poster.
 - **Select a career that currently interests you.** It's okay if after researching the career or occupation you find that you're not really interested in the field anymore – that's the point of doing research and projects like this, to find what you don't want to do in the future.
 - For help researching careers, go to <http://www.careeronestop.org/ExploreCareers> and select scroll down to Explore Careers at a Glance. Then, complete any of the assessments to help you get an idea of what careers might be a good match.



PROJECT GRADING RUBRIC

Grading Criteria	Assessment B/D/A/EX				
Creativity and neatness <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The information is neat and easy to read 					
Required information <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The required elements listed at the top of this sheet are all included on the poster • Research sheet fully completed 					
Spelling and Mechanics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There are no spelling or grammatical errors on poster 					
TOTAL	BEG	DEV.	App.	EX.	

