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Period _____

Instructions:

A unique look into your future: A Career Research & Planning Quest!

Follow each step below to complete the assignment.

Step 1:

START HERE!



Start Here: Your teacher may have you watch the [O*NET interest profiler video](#) or have separate instructions.

Now, open the [O*NET interest Profiler](#) and take the short interest quiz.

After you complete your interest quiz print your interest profile if possible or just use the results screen to do the following:

- Write down the numbers from the interest profiler results for each of the six interest areas below. The higher the number, the more you are aligned with that interest area.

Realistic - _____

Investigative - _____

Artistic - _____

Social - _____

Enterprising - _____

Conventional- _____

- List your top three interest areas below.
- Take the time to read about these interest areas on your print out or by clicking on the interest area in O*NET.
- For each of your top three interest areas, answer the question: Do you agree this describes you? Why or why not?

Top Three Interest Areas - [Do you agree this describes you? Why or why not?](#)

1) _____ - _____

2) _____ - _____

3) _____ - _____

Step 2:

EXPLORE JOB ZONE



Next, familiarize yourself with the “Job Zones” and how they relate to the amount of training or education certain careers require. (see the “O*NET Interest Profiler: Job Zones” handout or click on the different job zones for more information.)

Now, look at the careers that are available in each of the job zones and choose the three careers that interest you the most.

1.) _____

Why are you interested in this career?

2.) _____

Why are you interested in this career?

3.) _____

Why are you interested in this career?

Step 3:

explore

Directions: Choose the career that you most want to learn more about and Research that career.

CAREER CHOICE #1: _____

Job Description: (List responsibilities and tasks in your own words)

KNOWLEDGE

List the top three knowledge areas most needed for this job and rate your current knowledge level using the scale provided.

Knowledge Areas	Scale: 3 = Excellent; 2= Okay; 1 = None		
● _____ _____	3	2	1
● _____ _____	3	2	1
● _____ _____	3	2	1

SKILLS

List the top three skill areas most needed for this job and rate your current skill level using the scale provided.

Skill Areas	Scale: 3 = Excellent; 2= Okay; 1 = None		
● _____ _____	3	2	1
● _____ _____	3	2	1
● _____ _____	3	2	1

ABILITIES

List the top three ability areas most needed for this job and rate your current ability level using the scale provided.

Ability Areas	Scale: 3 = Excellent; 2= Okay; 1 = None		
● _____ _____	3	2	1
● _____ _____	3	2	1
● _____ _____	3	2	1

PERSONALITY

List the top three personality traits most needed for this job and rate yourself for each personality trait using the scale provided.

Personality traits	Scale: 3 = Excellent; 2= Okay; 1 = None		
● _____ _____	3	2	1
● _____ _____	3	2	1
● _____ _____	3	2	1

TECHNOLOGY

List the top three technology skills most needed for this job and rate your current ability level for each technology skill using the scale provided.

Technology skills	Scale: 3 = Excellent; 2= Okay; 1 = None		
● _____ _____	3	2	1
● _____ _____	3	2	1
● _____ _____	3	2	1

EDUCATION

Describe the Education level usually needed for this career.

- _____

JOB OUTLOOK

New job opportunities are _____ in the future.

- _____

Step 4:

Company
Research



Find one Company that you could work for with your top career choice.

Company: _____

Location: _____

Company Website:

One fact about the company:

<p>Step 5:</p> <p>Final Project:</p> <p>Prepare an oral presentation</p>	<p>Directions: Using your top career choice, prepare an oral presentation to share with the class. You can use any presentation platform of your choice (Poster, PowerPoint, Google slides, Canva, Prezi are some examples.) Your presentation must include the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Your Top Career Choice ● Job Description (What are the job duties, responsibilities) ● Knowledge areas required ● Skills required ● Abilities required ● Personality traits required ● Technology skills required ● Level of education usually required ● The job outlook and average salary for this career. ● Mention at least 1 company you could work for, its location and what job you could do there. ● One fun fact about your career choice. <p>**BONUS- Find a video introducing your career and add it to your presentation! **</p> <p>Make sure you cover everything on your given rubric.</p>
<p>Step 6:</p> <p>Career Presentation Organizer</p>	<p>Presentation Days!</p> <p>You will be given a Career Presentation Organizer. Please fill out one box for every presenter. Make sure you collect all of the given information!</p>
<p>Step 7:</p> <p>Career Final Reflection</p> 	<p>You will be given a Career Final Reflection Sheet to work on both independently and with a group. Please complete the reflection to the best of your ability.</p>