

+Determine a Career Goal

(Explore Careers)

If all jobs paid \$2 an hour, what job would you want to do?
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1. Complete the diagram by listing the similarities and difference of a job and a career.

Similarities of a Job and Career	Differences of a Job and Career

2. Choose three careers you are willing to explore in more detail. Consider one from the “Who Am I” quizzes. **WHEN RESEARCHING** a career goal, use the table below as a check list. Check off after you use each of your top three career choices.

Career Choice	Occupational Handbook	careeronestop.org	Salary.com	Trade Associations	Insider's point of view

Questions to help guide your research.

Career Choice #1

What is the nature of the work?

What is a typical working condition?

What training or education is necessary?

What existing qualifications are necessary?

What is the job outlook?

What is the salary range?

What Associations (groups) could I join to help me build my career?

What would be the best way to get an insiders point of view for this path?

Career Choice #2

What is the nature of the work?

What is a typical working condition?

What training or education is necessary?

What existing qualifications are necessary?

What is the job outlook?

What is the salary range?

What Associations (groups) could I join to help me build my career?

What would be the best way to get an insiders point of view for this path?

Career Choice #3

What is the nature of the work?

What is a typical working condition?

What training or education is necessary?

What existing qualifications are necessary?

What is the job outlook?

What is the salary range?

What Associations (groups) could I join to help me build my career?

What would be the best way to get an insiders point of view for this path?

Name: _____

What is my career goal?

#1 - My career goal is to be a _____ by working on these skills _____, furthering my education by _____ .

Finally create a time line, showing the steps you will take to get where you want to be!