

This activity requires students to research two different occupations based on their interests. The students must then reflect on their learning.

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**LEARNING GOALS:**

1. Students will explore and discover different occupations.
2. Students will reflect on the skills required for an occupation of interest and what they'll need to learn.

**MATERIALS:**

- Computers, tablets, or mobile devices
- **Handout [A] - Occupation Hunt Instructions**

**GETTING STARTED:**

1. Have students visit [www.myBlueprint.ca](http://www.myBlueprint.ca), click **Log In** (in the top right hand corner), and enter their email and password.
  - **Forgotten password?** Students can reset their passwords by clicking 'Forgot your password?'
  - **Forgotten email?** As a teacher/counsellor, you can reset your students' emails and passwords in your **Student Manager** or **Classes**.

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Provide students with **Handout [A] - Occupation Hunt Instructions** and have them use their myBlueprint account to help them navigate through post-secondary options.
2. Students may work with a partner to brainstorm ideas and program options they are interested in.

## HANDOUT [A] - OCCUPATION HUNT INSTRUCTIONS

1. Click **Work** on the left hand side navigation menu and select **Occupations**.
2. Use the **Filter Options and/or Keyword Search** to start looking for occupations. Click **Search** when ready.
3. Favourite **TWO (2)** Occupations by clicking on the **heart** icon in the top corner of the occupation that you would like to favourite.

*List the two occupations you've added to your favourites:*

a. \_\_\_\_\_ b. \_\_\_\_\_

4. Choose one of the occupations and answer the following questions below or add the occupation to a portfolio (**Home > Portfolios > choose your portfolio > Add Box > Add from myBlueprint > Favourites**) and then reflect by answering the questions below (click **Add Reflection** at the bottom of your occupation box in your portfolio):

*Occupation:* \_\_\_\_\_

*What interests you most about this occupation?*

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*What are some of the main duties for someone in this occupation?*

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*What are some skills and abilities required for this occupation?*

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*Which of the required skills and abilities do you already have?*

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*Which skills or abilities would you need to learn?*

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*What is the required education or training for this occupation?*

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