

Careers Curriculum: Gr 6-9

Book Title: *Careers: ultimate guide to planning your future*

Materials needed: Book, computer, paper and writing utensil.

Question: What are the skills you have, the passions you have and the hobbies you have that spark your interest, and what careers exist that connect to these interests and passions.

Big Ideas: Reflecting on our preferences and skills helps us identify the steps we need to take to achieve our career goals.

First Peoples Principles: Learning requires the exploration of one's identity. Learning involves patience and time.

Lesson ideas: Have students take any of the quizzes listed below under "Links", these will help students discover who they are and what their strengths are. As well, students can review possible career videos of interest using Work BC's Career Trek Videos, or students can learn about who they are using myBlueprint "Who Am I?"

Once students have learned a little more about themselves through the quizzes and videos, have them review the book "*Careers: the ultimate guide to planning your future*" can they make more connections to potential future careers and pathways of interest?

Students select three possible careers of interest and complete the following handout: see next page.

Extending: What high school courses are required to get you started down a pathway of passion? Moreover, choose a career and investigate what courses are required in high school to start working towards this career. Students can do a simple google search or use [EdPlannerBC](#).

Links:

Work BC Career Discover Quiz: <https://careerdiscoveryquizzes.workbc.ca/form/abilities-quiz>

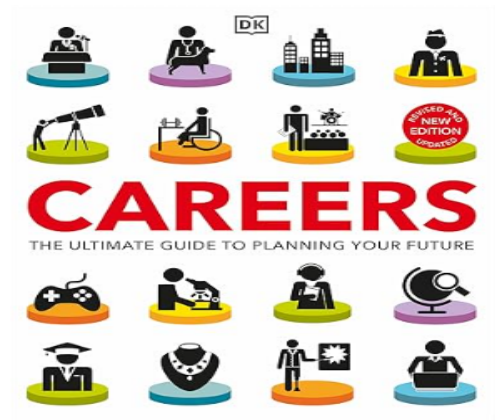
Work BC Interest Quiz: <https://careerdiscoveryquizzes.workbc.ca/form/interests-quiz>

Work BC Career Profile: <https://www.workbc.ca/plan-career/explore-careers/career-search>

Work BC Career Trek Videos: <https://www.workbc.ca/plan-career/career-trek-videos>

myBluePrint qathet: <https://app.myblueprint.ca/?sdid=sd47>

Education Planner BC: <https://www.educationplannerbc.ca/>



Career #1 Title:	
<p>What skills do you need to be successful in this career?</p> <p>Ex. Creative, good communicator, teamwork, leadership, organization, time management, tech, confidence, positive, flexible, critical thinker, good listener, problem solver, etc.</p>	
<p>What training and certifications/diplomas/degrees are needed to do this career?</p>	
Career #2 Title:	
<p>What skills do you need to be successful in this career?</p> <p>Ex. Creative, good communicator, teamwork, leadership, organization, time management, tech, confidence, positive, flexible, critical thinker, good listener, problem solver, etc.</p>	
<p>What training and certifications/diplomas/degrees are needed to do this career?</p>	
Career #3 Title:	
<p>What skills do you need to be successful in this career?</p> <p>Ex. Creative, good communicator, teamwork, leadership, organization, time management, tech, confidence, positive, flexible, critical thinker, good listener, problem solver, etc.</p>	
<p>What training and certifications/diplomas/degrees are needed to do this career?</p>	