



EXPLORING FUTURES

6-8 Grade Curriculum Spring Scope & Sequence

6th and 7th Grade Lesson Plans (Each lesson plan requires 60 mins to complete)		8th Grade Lesson Plans (Each lesson plan requires 60 mins to complete)	
Unit 1: Introduction to Exploring Futures		Unit 1: Introduction to Exploring Futures	
1	The Me I Choose	1	My Superpowers
2	Know Your Spark	2	Building My Vision Board
Unit 2: Early Career Exploration		Unit 2: Transitioning to High School	
3	Which Me Am I? (blended*) or Top Values (paper-based)	3	Who is My High School Self?
4	What is Work? (blended*) or Spark Career Curiosity (paper-based)	4	Who is My High School Self? Part II Building Relationships and Community
5	Explore Hats (blended*) or Explore Hats (paper-based)	5	Unpacking My High School Decision - Part 1
6	NYC Works Career Quest (paper-based)	6	Unpacking My High School Decision- Part 2
7	Financial Literacy 101 (blended*) or Financial Literacy 101 (paper-based)	7	Making Career Connections in High School
8	My Career Growth (paper-based)	8	All About SYEP
Unit 3: My Industry-Focused Pathways <i>In this unit, educators collaborate with students to select a pathway-focused unit on either STEM, Education, or Entrepreneurship.</i>		Unit 3: Financial Literacy	
		9	Financial Literacy 101 (blended*) or Financial Literacy 101 (paper-based)
		Guidance for sessions 10-13 can be accessed here .	
9	Pathways Session 1	10	Financial Literacy: Your Future Life
10	Pathways Session 2	11	Financial Literacy: Comparison Shopping
11	Pathways Session 3	12	Financial Literacy: Why Saving is Important
12	Pathways Session 4	13	Financial Literacy Let's Make a Budget
13	Pathways Session 5	Unit 4: My Next Step	
Unit 4: My Next Step		14	Exposure Event: Community Walk , Career Panel , or Field Trip

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Unit 2: Early Career Exploration		Unit 2: Exploring My High School Choices	
3	H&L: Spark Career Curiosity	3	My High School Self
4	H&L: What is Work?	4	All About High School
5	H&L: Which Me Am I?	5	Exploring My High School Options
6	H&L: NYC Works Career Quest	6	Drafting My High School List
7	H&L: Explore Hats	7	Revising My High School List
8	H&L: My Career Growth (Part 1)	8	Finalizing My High School List
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	Reflection		Reflection
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