



## Explore Working In A Team



EXPAND  
EXPERIENCES

### ARE YOU A TEAM PLAYER?

#### 1: START WITH YOURSELF

Identify if you like to work on a team.

**THINK ABOUT** working in a team

***Do I have the skills and desire to be a successful team player?***

Every team player needs to be reliable. The rest of the people on your team count on you to get your part of the job done on time and with quality.

*Is this you?*

I rank myself a \_\_\_\_\_

I like hearing the ideas of other people and can incorporate them into my own ideas. I am not threatened if their ideas differ from my own or are an improvement on my work.

*Is this you?*

I rank myself a \_\_\_\_

I can admit when I am wrong to others. I take responsibility for my actions whether they are work related or are a reflection on my personal behavior.

*Is this you?*

I rank myself a \_\_\_\_

I am flexible. I can adjust my role when the need arises. I am comfortable learning new skills from others so that I can help others with their part of the project.

*Is this you?*

I rank myself a \_\_\_\_

I have a positive attitude. I know how important a comfortable environment is for everyone and my behavior towards others is a big part of that.

*Is this you?*

I rank myself a \_\_\_\_

I know when to ask my partners for help. I accept the fact that I do not always have the answers and can rely on the wisdom of others without feeling embarrassed for not knowing everything.

*Is this you?*

I rank myself a \_\_\_\_

My overall score is \_\_\_\_

# WHAT JOBS RELY ON PEOPLE WORKING TOGETHER?

## 2: LOOK BEYOND YOURSELF

Evaluate if you like jobs that require teamwork.

**THINK ABOUT** careers that require teamwork

*What are some careers that may allow you to work in teams?*

Take a look at the careers in the table below and see which of them are interesting to you. Put a checkmark next to the ones you would consider doing.

<input type="checkbox"/> Construction Manager	<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Sciences Manager	<input type="checkbox"/> Athlete In Team Sports
<input type="checkbox"/> Video Game Designer	<input type="checkbox"/> Human Resources Manager	<input type="checkbox"/> Security Engineer
<input type="checkbox"/> Surgeon	<input type="checkbox"/> Chef	<input type="checkbox"/> Veterinarian
<input type="checkbox"/> Tax Preparer	<input type="checkbox"/> Sports Broadcaster	<input type="checkbox"/> Film Director
<input type="checkbox"/> Choreographer	<input type="checkbox"/> Wedding Planner	<input type="checkbox"/> Police Officer

Choose one of the careers you marked and find out more information on it. Visit [careereexplorer.com](https://careereexplorer.com), and use the search function to find your career and then use the tabs on the right side to find the required information.

<p>What tasks do they perform in their job? (Overview Section)</p> <p>1.</p> <p>2.</p>	<p>What do you need to do to prepare for this career? (How To Become Section)</p>	<p>Will this job be in high demand in the future? (Job Market Section)</p>
<p>3.</p> <p>4.</p> <p>5.</p>	<p>Does this career have a high satisfaction rate? (Satisfaction Section)</p>	<p>Which Holland Codes apply to this career? (Personality Section)</p>

## WHAT HAVE YOU LEARNED ABOUT WORKING IN TEAMS?

### 4: Reflect and Update your thinking

I can use what I have learned in this lesson to decide whether or not I prefer working in teams and, if I do, demonstrate the skills to do it effectively.

In your opinion, what is the most compelling reason for working in teams?

After analyzing the job requiring teamwork, would that be a job you might be interested in? Why or why not?

Do you feel your team worked effectively when creating your product? Why or why not?