

JOB EXPLORATION COUNSELING

Career Exploration: Student Interview Guide

Utilize the following form to record student information from a conversation with them about the job exploration process. Record their responses and any notes that will inform activities you want to provide in the future (i.e., a work-based learning opportunity, a possible assessment to take) based on their responses. Use the blank rows to add in your own questions, if desired.

Question	Student Response	Notes
General Interests/Goals		
What would you like to do for a job right now?		
What do you do outside of school?		
Can you tell me what you're good at?		
What type of work setting would you like to work in? (Give examples, as necessary).		
What are your career goals?		



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Knowledge about self-assessment results			
Have you taken any career assessments or inventories in the past? If yes, what did the results say?			
Are you planning on pursuing postsecondary education? (Remind students that some jobs require additional education after high school. Some of these options include: 4-year or 2-year colleges or vocational-technical schools). If so, what type of program are you looking for to meet your goals?			
Are you interested in exploring potential careers that match these results?			
How much do you know about potential careers available in your area?			