

Career Information Online for Teens



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CareerOneStop GetMyFuture

www.careeronestop.org/GetMyFuture

Sponsored by the U.S. Department of Labor, GetMyFuture is a one stop resource for teens and young adults looking for career and education information. Select one of the 9 categories from "Find a Job I like" to "Apply to College" to access a wealth of activities and information. GetMyFuture can help you complete an interest assessment to find a career, create a resume, find internships, get your high school diploma or GED, and apply to college.

Career Systems Development Corp.

www.careersystems.com

Career Systems Development Corp. is an education and job training program for young adults ages 16 through 24. They provide education to help individuals earn their high school diploma or GED, as well as technical job training and career services. The program is designed to deliver services to at-risk youth and provide them with the skills to build a self-sufficient and successful life.

CareerZone

www.careerzone.ny.gov

In this New York State career exploration site, careers are divided into 6 categories such as "Arts and Humanities" and "Health Services." Select the category you want to explore to search for occupations within the field. At a glance you can find a brief description of each occupation, a link to job openings, and many include a career video. Click the title of the occupation to see a detailed description including skills, education, wages, job outlook, and more.

Other information on CareerZone includes STEM (Science Technology Engineering Math) for teens, a self-assessment, and an extensive list of resources for students including internship searches and resume help.

Exploring Career Information from the Bureau of Labor Statistics

www.bls.gov/k12/students/

Click on "Student's Desk" under the "Classroom" tab on the home page. From there click the "Career Exploration" link to explore careers within 17 distinct categories of interest such as building and fixing things, helping your community, and sports. Each category then lists 5 or 6 different career paths with detailed information pulled from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics' Occupational Outlook Handbook.

Hire Teen

www.hireteen.com

Hire Teen is a job search resource for teens 12-19 looking for current employment. You can search for jobs currently hiring in your area, as well as workshops, job fairs, and training programs. This site also provides up to date information on teen labor laws by state.

Job Corps

www.jobcorps.gov/

For those eligible between the ages of 16 and 24, Job Corps is a free federal government education and training program providing job skills training and education to help you get started on a career path and help you get a GED or high school diploma.

Mapping Your Future

mappingyourfuture.org/PlanYourCareer/

Use the CareerShip link to access detailed information on hundreds of careers. You can search for a specific job, search by cluster, or search using a self-assessment to find careers that match your interests.

MCC Career Coach

monroecc.emsicc.com

This is a free, easy to use web-based career exploration tool hosted by Monroe Community College. Each career page shows up-to-date local employment data on wages, number of people employed in that occupation, and estimated annual job openings. Career Coach also offers detailed age breakdowns of the current workers in a particular field, related degrees offered by MCC, and local job openings from www.indeed.com

MyFUTURE Career Toolbox

www.myfuture.com/careers

This site has detailed information on hundreds of careers which you can search by industry, salary, degree, or skills. MyFUTURE also provides articles on finding a job, writing a resume, interviewing, internships, volunteering and joining the military.

My Next Move

www.mynextmove.org

My Next Move is an interactive tool for job seekers and students to learn more about career options, whether you know exactly what you want to do or you're just starting out. The site breaks down the education and skills needed, salary information, and job outlook for over 900 different careers. This site is also accessible en español www.miproximopaso.org/

New York State Department of Labor Youth Portal

www.labor.ny.gov/youth

The Youth Portal is divided into two age groups: 14-17 and 18-24. Each age group features tips such as working papers, your digital identity, resumes and cover letters, interviewing, Green and STEM careers, and more. Parents can also find information here on helping their kids plan for the future.

Occupational Outlook Handbook

www.bls.gov

The online version of the United States Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics' publication on career statistics, job outlook, salaries, and more.

Rochester Works For Youth!

rochesterworks.org/rw-services/for-youth

Rochester Works, located on Goodman Street right across from Village Gate, partners with the City of Rochester to offer the Summer of Opportunity employment program which employs over 800 young people in summer jobs every year. In addition, the youth services section of the website has links on finding a job, workshops, opportunities to gain experience, employment readiness aid, and more.