**Career Planning with CFNC**

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**1.** Go to **Plan** from the main page

Select **For a Career**

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**2. Plan for a Career --** From this page you can:

* **Learn About Yourself** – Determine your interests, skills, and work values and use them to find career options that are right for you.
* **Explore Careers** – Learn about the many different types of jobs that exist in the workplace. You can browse by cluster, or find careers that meet requirements you specify.
* **Learn about Fastest Growing Careers**
* **Find out about NC careers**
* **Get a Job -** Tools to help you create resumes, cover letters, and thank you notes, as well as get ready for an upcoming interview. Also, advice about looking for, and obtaining, a new job, and how to succeed once you start.

**3.** Select **Learn About Yourself**

**4.** Select **Career Key**

* Take the 15 minute assessment
* Check the boxes that best match your
	+ Careers of interest
	+ Your interests
	+ Your abilities
	+ How you see yourself
	+ Your values

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What are your TOP INTEREST AREAS?

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**2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**3.** Click on **VIEW CAREERS**

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Pick your top 3 Careers matched you interests?

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From this screen you can:

* Find out the job description and duties
* If this job matches your values, interests, and abilities
* What skills are needed for this career
* What classes you should take in high school and what you should major in college
* How much money you can earn in this career & if there will be jobs in the future
* Military options for this career
* Find additional resources for researching this career and what you can be doing now to prepare

**Answer the following questions on your career choice:**

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How much education is needed for that career?

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What might you major in college for this career?

![C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator\Local Settings\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\8X6B8DA3\MC900431512[1].png]()What is the Average NC Earnings (annual wage)?

![C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator\Local Settings\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\8X6B8DA3\MC900431512[1].png]()What is the National Employment Outlook for this career? Why is this important?

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Name one short-term goal for yourself to complete this semester which can help you reach your educational and career goal.

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Name one long-term goal for yourself to complete this year which can help you reach your educational and career goal.