## **CAREER AND ACADEMIC PLANNING PART 2: Career Planning**

Continue to research and narrow your options for selecting a major and career. What two career choices did you end up with at the end of the first activity? To begin, list these two career choices from the Career and Academic Planning Part 1 that you will now research.

**Career Choice 1:** Career Choice 2:

You must research your career on Onet http://www.onetonline.org/ to answer the following questions

## A. Career Choice 1:

- What tasks will you complete in this career field? List the type 5 tasks that you found most interesting when reviewing this section for your career type.
  - 1.
  - 2.

  - 3.
  - 4.

  - 5.
- What state do you plan on working when you are ready to begin your career and what is the expected availability of jobs in your career field?
- What is your expected starting salary AND earning potential for your career field? To research this, select "Wages and Employment" from the menu and then select "local salary information". Then, select the state you plan to work your first job. List the range of your salary by looking at the red data points.
- Describe the training and education required for your career field. If your career field requires a degree beyond the associate degree level, indicate which institution you plan to attend and what you plan to choose as your major at that institution.
- What tools and technology do you need to have proficiency in to do well in this career field? Identify at least 4 tools/ technology skills.
  - 1.
  - 2.

  - 3.
  - 4.

- What are some related occupations that you might also consider exploring? Identify at least 3 related occupations. To research this, selected "related occupations" from the menu.
  - 1.
  - 2.
  - 3.

## B. Career Choice 2:

- What tasks will you complete in this career field? List the type 5 tasks that you found most interesting when reviewing this section for your career type.
  - 6.
  - 7.
  - 8.
  - 9.
  - 10.
- What state do you plan on working when you are ready to begin your career and what is the expected availability of jobs in your career field?
- What is your expected starting salary <u>AND</u> earning potential for your career field? To research this, select "Wages and Employment" from the menu and then select "local salary information". Then, select the state you plan to work your first job. List the range of your salary by looking at the red data points.
- Describe the training and education required for your career field. If your career field requires a degree beyond the associate degree level, indicate which <u>institution</u> you plan to attend and what you plan to choose as your <u>major</u> at that institution.
- What tools and technology do you need to have proficiency in to do well in this career field? Identify at least 4 tools/ technology skills.

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- What are some related occupations that you might also consider exploring? Identify at least 3 related occupations. To research this, selected "related occupations" from the menu.
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  - 2.
  - 3.

## C. Career Decision

Based on the research you have conducted in part 1 and 2 of this assignment, which career choice would you like to explore further in section 3. Explain why you have chosen this career.