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# CAREER EXPLORATION

## Learning Target:

**I. Reality Check:** Using the **Reality Check** link on my website, budget how much money you will need to earn in order to cover your current monthly living expenses, your ideal monthly living expenses, and your ideal yearly living expenses.

**Current Monthly Living Expenses:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Ideal Monthly Living Expenses:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Ideal Yearly Living Expenses:** \_\_\_\_\_

**II. Career Cluster Survey:** Use the **Career Cluster Survey** link on my website, to take the survey. After finding out your results, record your top 3 Career Clusters on the slip of paper provided. Then, choose a Career from one of your top 3 Career Clusters to research. Use the Career Cluster Research and the Career Exploration Research links on my website and record the information you find below.

**Career:** \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Median Pay</b>	
<b>Entry Level Education</b>	
<b>Work Experience</b>	
<b>Jobs Available</b>	

**What They Do:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Work Environment:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

How to Become One: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Job Outlook: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Similar Careers: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Suitability** - Describe your existing **skills, competencies, talents,** and **personality traits** that make this career a good fit for you.

**Skills, Competencies, Talents:**

**Personality Traits:**

**Relevant Experience:**

2. **Timeline** - List major steps you will need to accomplish in order to achieve this career goal (i.e. training, coursework, licensing needed). Put these in chronological order.

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