

## Career/College Research Worksheet

Open Internet Explorer and go to [www.cacareerzone.org](http://www.cacareerzone.org)

Go to create an account

Write down your **user id**: \_\_\_\_\_

Write down your **password**: \_\_\_\_\_

### Go into Quick Assessment

Rank your top 3 Personality Codes and then list them below:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

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

3. \_\_\_\_\_

Look at the jobs list that matches your personality/interests and pick one career to explore further.

List it here. Job title \_\_\_\_\_

Write down at least 3 facts that are important to you about this job. (This could be salary, something about the description, the job outlook, etc.)

List what Job Zone (**Educational level**) the career is? \_\_\_\_\_

List a few of the titles that this position could also be called. \_\_\_\_\_

**List some of the common college majors** for this field? \_\_\_\_\_

**List at least two schools** that you are truly interested in that offer this; \_\_\_\_\_

Another great resource to research colleges and majors is <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/college.search>

Under the Find Job Openings link; look at the actual job postings. List 3 companies that are hiring right now.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

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

3. \_\_\_\_\_

Take a look at those company job descriptions and make a note of some of the requirements that you may not have been aware off.

Note things that you know you are going to have to either take in school or get experience in.

Note: These websites are loaded with great information. You will need to search the site to find the information requested. Please take advantage of **ALL** the information on these sites.

The more you put into your Career Search the more successful you will be.

## Reality Check Worksheet

What location did you use for your reality check? \_\_\_\_\_

**List the criteria and the dollar amount that corresponds to each category:**

Living situation \_\_\_\_\_

Utilities: (list all)

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Total \_\_\_\_\_

Transportation style \_\_\_\_\_

Clothing \_\_\_\_\_

Healthcare \_\_\_\_\_

Personal Expenses (list all)

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Total \_\_\_\_\_

Entertainment \_\_\_\_\_

Misc. \_\_\_\_\_

Savings \_\_\_\_\_

School loans \_\_\_\_\_

**WHAT IS YOUR TOTAL MONTHLY LIVING EXPENSE:**

\_\_\_\_\_

What categories were on this list that you didn't anticipate?

Where do you think you could save?

What do you think you could do differently based on this information?