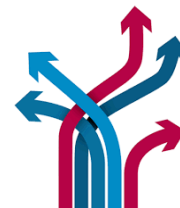




# Career Pathways Group Project



Due: \_\_\_\_\_

The first step in preparing for a career is to understand what that pathway really involves. For example: What are the educational requirements? What is the expected salary? Can you name some local employers? Once you have answered these questions you are on your way towards making your career goals a reality!

To begin, you will work in a group with two other students to research the career pathway of your choice. (The teacher will help put you into groups based on your interests.) Then you will write information into **either a poster** with 6 sections **or a PowerPoint presentation** with 6 body slides (this does not include the basic title slide or conclusion slide). For both options you will include at least **2 visuals** (e.g. graphs, photos, logos, etc.) Finally, your group will share your project to the class in a **3-minute oral presentation**.

## Rubric

Sections	Description	Minimally --- Somewhat --- Absolutely!				
<b>Job Duties</b>	You describe the basic job functions expected in the position.	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Skills</b>	You list the common skills involved in the job.	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Education</b>	You explain the minimal required education for this job and/or how different levels of education affect this career.	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Local Employers</b>	You identify at least 3 local employers in this career pathway.	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Salary</b>	You find the average (national) salary for this job and/or some local examples.	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Cost-Benefit Analysis</b>	You write the pros and cons of this job (from your own perspective).	1	2	3	4	5