

## CAREER INFORMATION

### **SURVEYS, LINKS TO COLLEGE MAJORS, NATIONAL AND STATE JOB INFORMATION, SUMMER EMPLOYMENT**

#### [www.getInsights.com](http://www.getInsights.com)

Northgate students are strongly encouraged to use this web site, developed by a local company. Click on the blue “getinsights” button, click on *Take Your Profile Now*, and enter your name, e-mail address, etc. Select NHS and enter the coupon code # 4396F4. Check out the informational interview with Nick Swisher!

#### [www.cacareerzone.org/index.html](http://www.cacareerzone.org/index.html)

This state-sponsored web site offers 3 free self-assessments, links to career briefs, and lots of data and information about careers and employment in the state of California.

#### <http://bacareerguide.org/home/>

The Bay Area Career Guide provides a quick survey of occupational interests to help link students with appropriate career or vocational programs offered by Bay Area Community Colleges.

#### <http://mappingyourfuture.org/>

This site provides a ten-step plan for determining and achieving your career goals.

#### <http://studentcenter.ja.org>

Career information at this site is organized into 16 industry clusters, useful for students who have a general idea about where their interests lie, and want to learn about the range of career options within that area of employment.

#### [http://encarta.msn.com/quiz\\_84/Celebrity Majors Quiz.html](http://encarta.msn.com/quiz_84/Celebrity_Majors_Quiz.html)

Take a fun quiz measuring your knowledge of celebrities and their college majors.

#### [www.MyMajors.com](http://www.MyMajors.com)

Begin with the 15 minute on-line interview, which allows you to enter information about courses you have taken in high school. You will receive a list of 6 majors that match your interests and experience, and find out about required courses and related jobs.

#### [www.niu.edu/careerservices/weblinks/index.html](http://www.niu.edu/careerservices/weblinks/index.html)

Link college majors with careers, employers, and professional organizations at this web site. Professional organizations, in turn, often provide lists of accredited or recommended programs of study at colleges and/or vocational schools.

#### [www.careervoyages.gov](http://www.careervoyages.gov)

The “students” section of this site includes information on careers in the military, apprenticeships, hot careers that require a 4-year degree (and those that do not), plus links to resources.

[www.bls.gov/oco](http://www.bls.gov/oco)

Access the on-line *Occupational Outlook Handbook* at this site. Look up articles describing 300 careers and find out how much you can expect to earn in the future.

[www.humanesources.com/dwya.html](http://www.humanesources.com/dwya.html)

*Do What You Are* allows high school students to explore interests and careers based on a self-discovery assessment focusing on personality and temperament. Or try the free personality profiler is available at: [www.typefocus.com/s\\_complimentary.html](http://www.typefocus.com/s_complimentary.html) .

[www.calapprenticeship.org](http://www.calapprenticeship.org)

[www.rwm.org/rwm](http://www.rwm.org/rwm)

Search for trade and vocational schools by state at this web site. Some of these schools are non-profit, and some are for-profit, so ask questions before signing a contract.

**Other web sites recommended by school counselors for career/college search:**

[www.collegetoolkit.com/Career/Main.aspx](http://www.collegetoolkit.com/Career/Main.aspx)

<http://online.onetcenter.org/>

[www.careercruising.com/](http://www.careercruising.com/)

[www.schoolsintheusa.com/career\\_test.cfm](http://www.schoolsintheusa.com/career_test.cfm)

[www.careersandcolleges.com](http://www.careersandcolleges.com)

[www.collegequest.com](http://www.collegequest.com)

[www.acinet.org](http://www.acinet.org)

**Web Sites for summer job searches:**

[www.Coolworks.com](http://www.Coolworks.com)

[www.SummerJobs.com](http://www.SummerJobs.com)

[www.ResortJobs.com](http://www.ResortJobs.com)

[www.Indeed.com](http://www.Indeed.com) Use your college major or areas of interest as keywords in your search.