Suggested Learning Activities

Course Selection and Your Future

Objective
Identify the high school courses important in preparation for a particular occupation.

Procedure
• Ask each student to select an occupation of interest and identify the specialized skills and/or knowledge required for the selected occupation.
• Have students list the high school courses that will help them prepare for the selected occupation.
• Instruct students to consult their school counselor, Virginia Career View postsecondary education/training, and the related high school course requirements.
• Have students discuss activities outside the classroom and how they might contribute to career preparations (e.g., clubs, organizations, volunteer/community service, athletics, hobbies, offices held in organizations).

Suggested Evaluation
Written report outlining education requirements and one or more pathways to selected occupation

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