



CAREERS AND YOU

What do you like to do for fun?
Thinking about what makes you happy can help you
find a career that you will enjoy. Elementary school
is a great time to learn more about yourself.

The Career Connected Learning Resource Hub
can help you learn more about yourself
and cool careers in Oregon.

[Find out more on the next page!](#)



CAREER CONNECTED LEARNING GUIDE

Try these activities to learn more about yourself and how they connect to interesting careers. Ask your family, teachers, and school counselors for help.

SPEND TIME WITH YOUR LOVED ONES

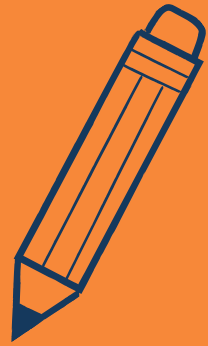


Interview someone in your family. You can start with these questions and make up more of your own. What is your occupation? Why did you choose it? What is your education or training? Can you describe a typical work day? What do you wear? Do you like your job? What challenges do you have?



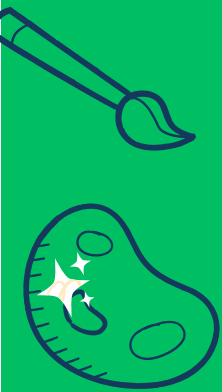
TAKE A WALK

Take a walk in and around your school. Make a list of all the occupations that helped to build your school. What jobs currently help to maintain your school building and grounds? Draw a picture of one inside occupation and one outside occupation that you find interesting and explain why you chose them.



CREATE CAREER ART

Use clay, pipe cleaners, paper, fabric, or other materials to make a 3-dimensional art project that represents an occupation. Think about the unique characteristics of this career you can show in your artwork. When it is done, ask your friends and family to guess what the occupation is, and then tell them something interesting about it.



TEACHER FOR THE DAY

Imagine that you were a teacher for a day. What would you like to teach the students in your class? What do you think the students would like to learn? Write down your plan and share it with your teacher.



VISIT THE LIBRARY

Go to the library and choose a book about an occupation that interests you. Ask the librarian to help you find several resources to choose from.



BUILD A COMMUNITY

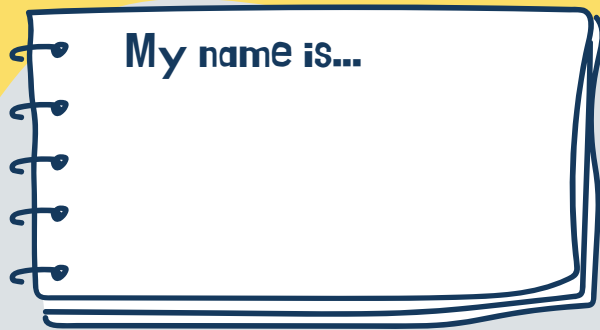
Create a poster with a make-believe Main Street. What businesses and offices will be on your Main Street? Who will work in those businesses and offices? Who will provide the services needed to keep the community thriving? Does anyone live on Main Street? Where do they park? Who governs it? Name your community.



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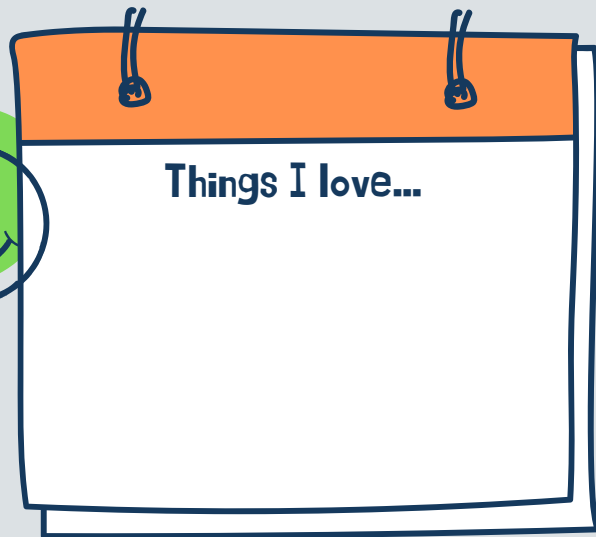
All about me



My name is...



I would like to learn...



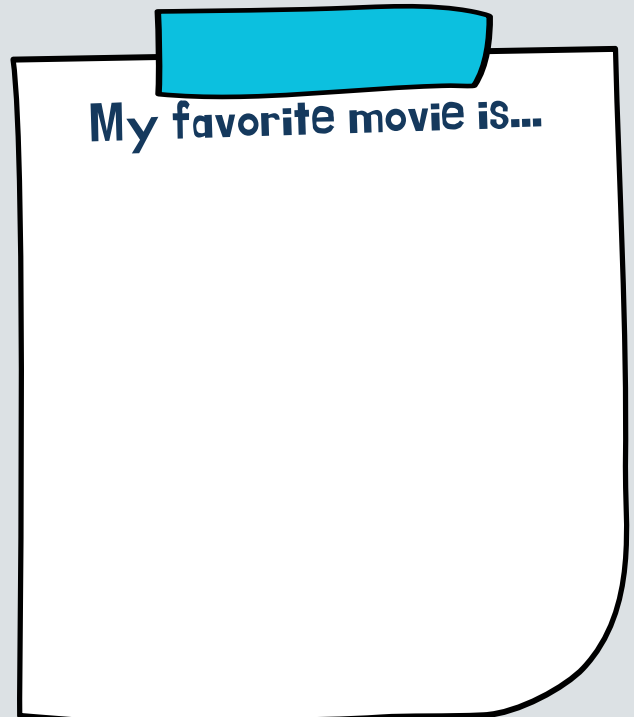
Things I love...



My favorite animal...



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I am good at...



My favorite movie is...

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Career Pathways

When thinking about possible careers, it is useful to brainstorm a pathway to that job. Choose two possible careers and think about or research what skills, school subjects and interests might be useful in that area.



IF I DECIDE TO BE A _____

Skills

Subjects

Interests

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