

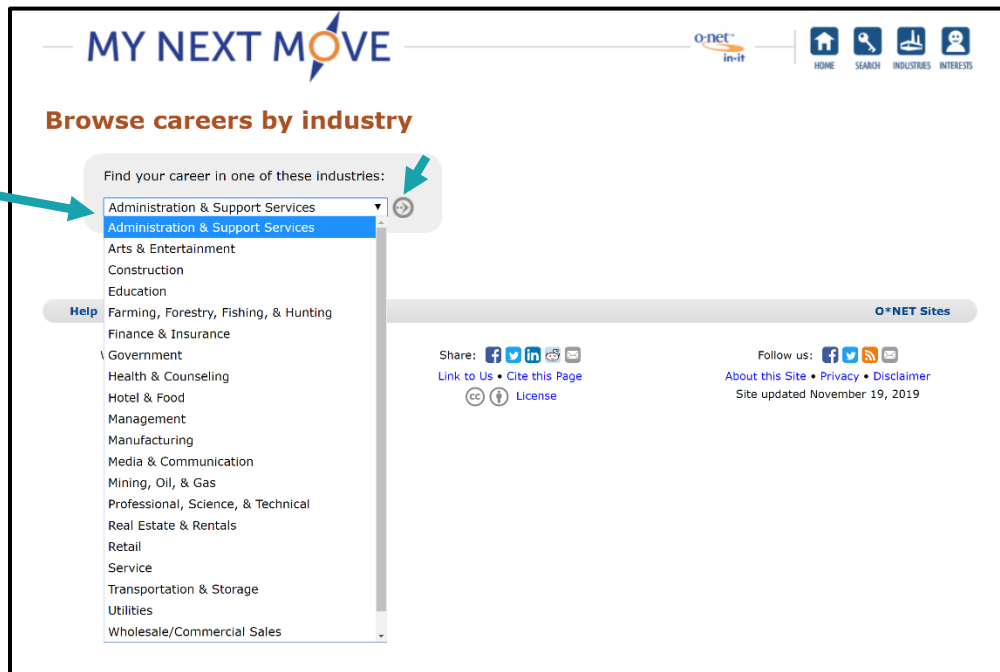
Career Research Worksheet

Once you have selected three industry pathways to explore, write them down here.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Now go to [My Next Move](https://www.mynextmove.org) and click on the industry groups you are interested in, one at a time.

<https://www.mynextmove.org/find/browse>



Review several Sample Career Profiles that interest you and select one favorite from each of your top 3 industries above. Three favorite career profiles:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

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Review each of the three Career Profiles you chose then fill in the following information.

SAMPLE CAREER PROFILE

MY NEXT MOVE

HOME
 SEARCH
 INDUSTRIES
 INTERESTS

Elementary School Teachers

Also called: Classroom Teacher, Elementary School Teacher, Elementary Teacher, Teacher

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What they do:
Teach students basic academic, social, and other formative skills in public or private schools at the elementary level.

On the job, you would:

- Establish and enforce rules for behavior and procedures for maintaining order among the students for whom they are responsible.
- Adapt teaching methods and instructional materials to meet students' varying needs and interests.
- Instruct students individually and in groups, using various teaching methods, such as lectures, discussions, and demonstrations.

KNOWLEDGE

Education and Training

- teaching and course design

Arts and Humanities

- English language
- history and archeology

Math and Science

- arithmetic, algebra, geometry, calculus, or statistics
- psychology

Engineering and Technology

- computers and electronics

SKILLS

Basic Skills

- talking to others
- using the best training or teaching strategies for learning new things

Social

- teaching people how to do something
- changing what is done based on other people's actions

People and Technology Systems

- thinking about the pros and cons of different options and picking the best one
- figuring out how a system should work and how changes in the future will affect it

ABILITIES

Verbal

- communicate by speaking
- communicate by writing

Ideas and Logic

- notice when problems happen
- use rules to solve problems

Attention

- do two or more things at the same time
- pay attention to something without being distracted

Memory

- remember words, numbers, pictures, or steps

PERSONALITY

People interested in this work like activities that include **helping people, teaching,** and talking.

They do well at jobs that need:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| • Dependability | • Integrity |
| • Adaptability/Flexibility | • Self Control |
| • Concern for Others | • Initiative |

TECHNOLOGY

You might use software like this on the job:

Electronic mail software

- Email software
- Microsoft Outlook 📧

Spreadsheet software

- Microsoft Excel 📊

Graphics or photo imaging software

- Graphics software

EDUCATION

bachelor's degree or master's degree usually needed

Get started on your career:

Find Training

Find Certifications

Find Licenses

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JOB OUTLOOK

New job opportunities are **very likely** in the future.

SALARY:

\$58,230

\$37,780 \$95,270

Check out my state

Local Salary Info

Find Jobs

EXPLORE MORE

- [Healthcare Social Workers](#)
- [Mental Health & Substance Abuse Social Workers](#)
- [Special Education Teachers, Middle School](#)
- [Special Education Teachers, Secondary School](#)
- [Training & Development Specialists](#)

You might like a career in one of these industries:

- [Education](#)



Industry #1

Job Title: _____

Education needed: Certificate Apprenticeship 2-year Degree 4-year Degree

Skills and Abilities I have: _____

Job Outlook for this career is: Bright Average Below Average

Average salary you might expect to earn: _____

After reviewing the Career Profile, list 3 reasons why this career would be right for you:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Industry #2

Job Title: _____

Education needed: Certificate Apprenticeship 2-year Degree 4-year Degree

Skills and Abilities I have: _____

Job Outlook for this career is: Bright Average Below Average

Average salary you might expect to earn: _____

After reviewing the Career Profile, list 3 reasons why this career would be right for you:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Industry #3

Job Title: _____

Education needed: Certificate Apprenticeship 2-year Degree 4-year Degree

Skills and Abilities I have: _____

Job Outlook for this career is: Bright Average Below Average

Average salary you might expect to earn: _____

After reviewing the Career Profile, list 3 reasons why this career would be right for you:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____