



Supplemental Lesson Plan: CareerStarter

To Accompany NCCER's Core: Basic Employability Skills Module

Lesson Objectives:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Help students gain knowledge and insight to construction industry crafts through CareerStarter.• Match passions and skills to available construction career pathways following a Career Quiz.• Help students generate a Job Match Profile by generating pre-populated resumes with information they provide.• Career Quiz and the customization of their Job Match Profiles will help students browse through entry-level positions and educational opportunities available to them.	
Time: 20-30 min	Summary of Student Tasks:
10 minutes	Listen to Teacher/Partner-Led Presentation About CareerStarter (utilizing accompanying PowerPoint and/or Video [link below])
2 minutes	Register for CareerStarter (careerstarter.byf.org)
3 Minutes	Take the Career Quiz & Favorite the crafts they like
5 Minutes	Customize their Job Match Profile
1 Minute	Download & Save Their Resume (if profile is complete)
4-9 Minutes	Explore Open Positions & Educational Opportunities
Materials Needed:	Helpful Resources:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Projector/Smart Board• Computer/Laptop/Smart Phone• Internet/Wi-Fi• Access to their email	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Job Seeker Walk-Through Video: youtube.com/watch?v=E7n7lQVzEvA• Accompanying PPT• Accompanying Printable Flyer with QR Code
Take Home Tasks:	
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Have students further explore the companies, job opportunities, and educational opportunities near them — assign them to favorite at least three in each category.<ol style="list-style-type: none">a. As industry partners come into your class to present, have the students favorite the companies in CareerStarter. This way students will remember what companies sparked their interest and are hiring near them. <p><i>They can use this website whenever they'd like to look for jobs available in their area, educational opportunities they can take part in after graduating, or just to explore the various trade career pathways. The resume they download from their Job Match Profile, is a quick and easy way for them to create a resume. Keeping their profile up to date will also keep this resume up to date.</i></p>	