Career Education, Grade 11 – Job Preparation

**Overview/Rationale:**

Understanding the local labour market is an important part of both job search and career planning. This activity will encourage students to familiarize themselves with resources that will support their career planning and job search.

**Duration:**

Completed independently in myBlueprint outside of scheduled class time

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| **Big Ideas** |  |
| **Curricular Competencies** |  |
| **Content** |  |

**Materials/Links:**

* Computer access for students
* My Blueprint access
* BCLMR Review Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/BCLMR/?ref=hl>
* WorkBC Labour Market report <https://www.workbc.ca/Labour-Market-Industry/B-C-s-Economy/Reports.aspx>

**Activity:**

Assign students the task of writing a review of the BC Labour Market Review’s Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/BCLMR/?ref=hl> . Also have them select one post/article of interest form the page and briefly summarize it.

Lastly, have them name one trend in the current BC labour market that affects them and their future job/career search by visiting the WorkBC website <https://www.workbc.ca/Labour-Market-Industry/B-C-s-Economy/Reports.aspx>

 Have them submit assignment as a journal entry.

**Additional Resources for teachers:**

myBlueprint lesson plans

<https://www.myblueprint.ca/support/lessonplans>

‘When I Grow Up’ Career planning Guide

<http://www.wrksolutions.com/Documents/WhenIGrowUp/WIGU_PDFS/High-School/WFS-WIGU-HighSchool-Lessons.pdf>

BCLMR Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/BCLMR/?ref=hl>

Industry Reports

<https://www.workbc.ca/getmedia/12e9c92b-172a-47ee-bdfa-261b06efc37c/BC_Labour_Market_Outlook_2017_English.PDF.aspx>