**Module 4 Lesson 1 Assignment: Businesses in the Community**

In today's assignment, you will research seven of the larger employers in your community. By just searching "Largest (or major) employers in (your community)", you should be able to find a list of the businesses that employ large numbers of people where you live.

Using the attached table, you will research each employer and their role in the community. You will find out what they do, how many employees they have, and how they contribute or give back to the community. Lastly, you will think of changes that could happen in our local and global economies that could impact that business. For example, if a local or global trend would be for families to have less children, that would impact the number of employees needed at the school district. If the city increased business taxes greatly in a community, that may mean that Walmart may have to decrease their number of employees as they couldn't afford to hire as many. Think about what could change to change the number of people attending that college or university, shopping in that particular store, or ordering supplies from that factory.

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