

# Naviance: Sophomore Year

## **Career Cluster Finder**

The Career Cluster Finder is an online questionnaire that helps students discover career clusters that are most interesting to them. Once a student completes the Career Cluster Finder, top matching career clusters are made available for review. Students can re-take the cluster finder at any time.

Students can access the Career Cluster Finder by going to the CCHS website and logging into Naviance Student and going to Careers > Explore Careers and Interests > Career Cluster Finder.

To re-take the Career Cluster Finder, students can click the Start-Over from the Beginning button.

## **Career Interest Profiler**

The Career Interest Profiler is an online career interest assessment for students based on Holland's interest codes. When students complete the Career Interest Profiler, their results will display their top Holland Code matches.

*You can only take this assessment once, so be sure you wait until your class is given direction to complete it together.*

Facts about the Career Interest Profiler:

- There are 30 questions for each Holland code (Realistic, Investigative, Artistic, Social, Enterprising, and Conventional) for a total of 180 questions.
- The highest score possible in each area that you can receive is 30.
- The score received is based on the number of activities in each specific area that the student selected as an interest.

## **Game Plan Survey**

The Game Plan Survey includes a series of questions designed to help your counselor work with you to develop a game plan for achieving your goals after graduation. The survey consists of about 30 questions and you can update your answers to these questions at any time, even after you indicate you are finished. You will be asked about your career interests, college interests, specific college preferences, and potential references.

Students can access the Game Plan Survey by going to the CCHS website and logging into Naviance Student and going to About Me > Post-secondary Plans > Game Plan.

## **MI Advantage**

MI Advantage will reveal the ways you deal with information, solve problems, and create things. The questions should take around 20 minutes to complete. In your full report you will gain

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access to where you fall in each of the intelligences (i.e., existential, intrapersonal, interpersonal, naturalist, musical, linguistic, bodily-kinesthetic, spatial, and logical-mathematical). For each of your top intelligences specific traits will be given. You will be linked to famous people who are associated with each of the intelligences. What set MI Advantage apart from other assessments you have taken in Naviance is that you will receive a percentage match to various careers. This is very helpful if you are unsure of your career path, or you are curious if your results match your career interests.

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Based on accurate answers, your results will help:

- You use your strengths in school, work, and other activities
- Teachers and counselors understand you better
- You find out which educational and career paths are a good fit

## **Adding SMART Goals**

Students can add SMART Goals in Naviance by going to the CCHS website and logging into Naviance Student and going to My Planner > Goals.

You can add and edit your SMART Goals in each of the following areas: academic, college/career, and personal.

## **Starting your Resume**

Students can load information and build their Resume in Naviance by going to the CCHS website and logging into Naviance Student and going to About Me > My Stuff > Resume.

There are several sections such as objective; summary; work experience; education; volunteer service; extracurricular activities; awards/certificates; skills/academic achievement; athletic achievement; references; additional information; leadership.

## **Prepare for the SAT**

Students can benefit from Test Prep in Naviance by going to the CCHS website and logging into Naviance Student. Stay on the main home page and scroll to the bottom. On the left-hand side you will find a button titled *Naviance Test Prep*. Check it out, there are practice tests and even games to help students prepare for the SAT!

## **Also in Naviance...**

Beginning sophomore year, students are allowed to sign up to meet with college representatives that are visiting CCHS as well as attend college/career specific trips. Information will be shared via Naviance and interested students must sign up through their Naviance account.