

Activity 2 Career Interest

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Inform students that the interest assessment will help them find a “Holland Code,” which will help connect them to different careers that may “fit” their interests and personalities. Explain to students that there are six interest areas in the Holland code. These are often referred to as “RIASEC” which is an acronym for Holland's original six types: **Realistic-Doer, Investigative-Thinker, Artistic-Creator, Social-Helper, Enterprising-Persuader, and Conventional-Organizer**
2. Students will answer several questions to determine their career interests based on their Holland Code:

<https://www.truity.com/test/photo-career-quiz> (shorter picture version)

<https://www.truity.com/test/holland-code-career-test> (longer text version)

3. Review the Holland Code Video:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fyR6yJifLHI> (RIASEC - Personality Type)
4. Then, have students read the descriptions of their code. Have students fill in their Holland Code on the “Career Interest” handout.
5. Have student identify their top two Holland Code interest areas by completing the interest and career worksheet.

CAREER KEY CLUSTERS MAP¹

of Holland RIASEC Types/Work Groups² and U.S. Department of Education's
16 Career Clusters (in blue)



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Name: _____

Date: _____

Directions: List your top two Holland Code interest areas (Realistic-Doer, Investigative-Thinker, Artistic-Creator, Social-Helper, Enterprising-Persuader, and Conventional-Organizer), and identify careers in each area.

One Holland Code interest of mine is _____

because I am _____.

Several careers included in this interest area are:

1.)

2.)

3.)

Another Holland Code interest of mine is _____

because I am _____.

Several careers included in this interest area are:

1.)

2.)

3.)

Out of my two Holland Code areas of strength, I would prefer to have a career in the area of (circle one):

Realistic (Doer)

Investigative (Thinker)

Artistic (Creator)

Social (Helper)

Enterprising (Persuader)

Conventional (Organizer)