

# Capturing Your Interests~

Finding your fit for your classes, career,  
college, or just being YOU!

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Follow your strengths and do what you love! Remember,  
whatever career you may have will not define you as a person,  
but it can sure help to get paid and be successful in something  
you enjoy!

# Let's Continue to EXPLORE!

Start with celebrating yourself, and focusing on what makes you

## Begin with the end in mind:

- What are your goals, values and wants?
- What are your interests, abilities, classes you like, your learning style?

## Identify your interests, then:

- **Explore** Careers that fit your results
- **Discover** what requirements those jobs have
- Fit similar classes into your current MyCAP
- **Plan** ahead and find the schools that offer those programs
- Remember what G.P.A and test scores those schools want



Today's Task

# YOUR PERSONALITY IS THE KEY!

DO PERSONALITY INVENTORIES FIT INTO CAREER SEARCHES? YES! YOU ARE AN INDIVIDUAL & CAN CREATE YOUR OWN PATH. CAREER CONCENTRATIONS ARE GUIDES THAT CAN HELP YOU SEE WHERE TO FOCUS AND TO KNOW WHAT YOUR OFFERINGS ARE. FIND A FIELD YOU ARE INTERESTED IN AND SEE HOW IT FITS IN WITH A PERSONALITY QUIZ AND THE TYPES OF INTELLIGENCE THAT MAKES YOU SHINE!



Above is a basic example of the "Emergenetics" personality test results. What does your "Emergenetics" say about your strengths? How does it fit in with your other Career Interests? How can you use that in your searches? Have fun finding out more about you!

**ANALYSTS**

- INTJ**: Imaginative and strategic thinkers with a plan for everything.
- INTP**: Innovative problem solvers with an insatiable thirst for knowledge.
- ENTJ**: Bold, imaginative, pioneering, and logical leaders, always finding a way to change the world.
- ENTP**: Open and curious thinkers who concentrate on intellectual challenge.

**DIPLOMATS**

- INFJ**: Quiet and reserved, yet very inspiring and positive idealists.
- INFP**: Peaceful and idealistic people whose major goal is to help a good cause.
- ENFJ**: Charismatic and inspiring leaders, able to encourage their followers.
- ENFP**: Idealistic, creative and flexible people who can project their passion to others.

**SENTINELS**

- ISTJ**: Practical and fact-oriented individuals whose reliability cannot be doubted.
- ISFJ**: Very dedicated and warm protectors, always ready to defend their loved ones.
- ESTJ**: Societal administrators, unswerving in carrying things to a plan.
- ESFJ**: Openly friendly, social and popular people, always eager to help.

**EXPLORERS**

- ISTP**: Reserved, practical, independent, masters of all kinds of tools.
- ISFP**: Flexible and charming, always ready to explore and experience something new.
- ESTP**: Smart, fun guys and gals who project the people who they enjoy being on the stage.
- ESFP**: Spontaneous, energetic and enthusiastic entertainers. Life is a never-ending performance.



There are so many great personality tests out there to explore. To the left is an example of the Myers-Briggs (16 Personalities) and above demonstrates the variety in which we are all intelligent.

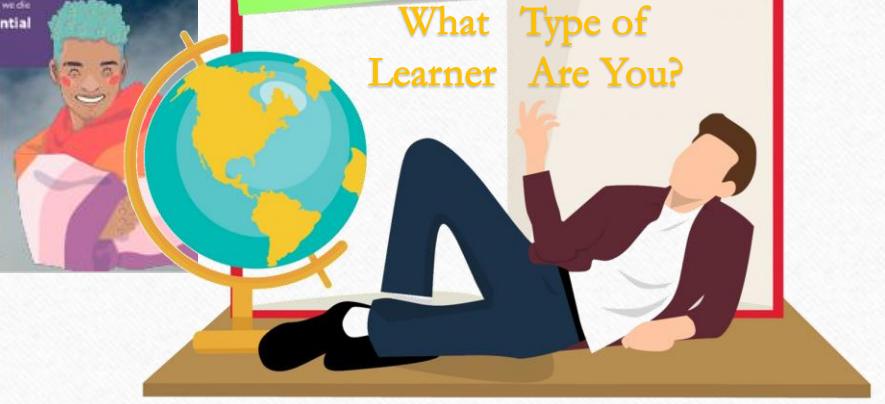


*How can you match your strengths & interests to career fields?*

Interest Inventories are a great way to explore and discover!



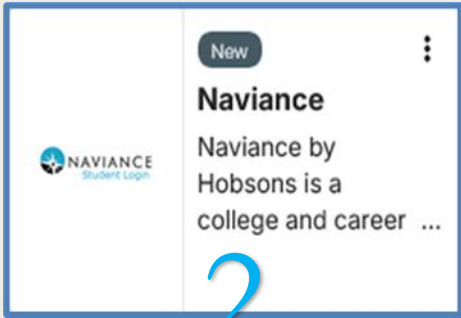
What Type of Learner Are You?



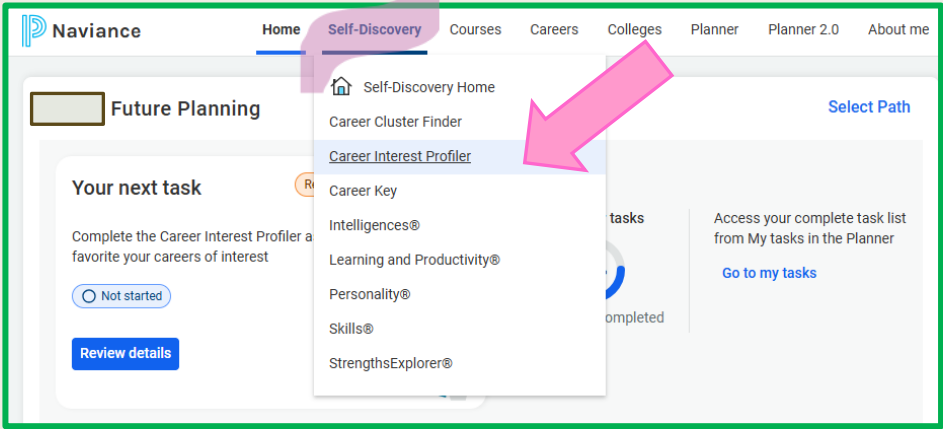
# Complete the **Career Interest Profiler** in your MyCAP!



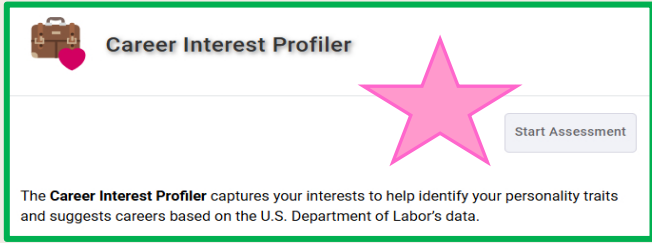
1<sup>st</sup>- Log on to your MyCherryCreek



2<sup>nd</sup>- Find & select the Naviance tile



3<sup>rd</sup>- from the Self Discovery tab → “Career Interest Profiler” → Hit “Start Assessment” & begin



At the top is the Summary. The profiler combined your answers regarding your interests & strengths into grouped traits. Click on your top 3 traits. Do they sound like you? You can search for Careers by trait also

### Summary

The Career Interest Profiler helps you find careers by mapping your interests to six basic types of personalities, together called the Holland Code. The higher you score, the more you are like that type.

#### What's Next

- Take a look at the traits where you received your **highest scores** and then view the related careers for those types.
- Consider your education and training aspirations.** You have to level up your skills to break into any occupation. Different careers require different certification, licenses, and degrees. These can take anywhere from a few months to over 5 years. Filter related careers by education to find careers that match your needs.
- You are unique.** Not every career that matches a personality type will be a match to your interests, skills, aspirations, or desired lifestyle. The trick is to discover the ones that do.
- Be sure to **favorite careers** that interest you to save them for later.

#### Your Overall Scores by Holland Trait



Holland Trait	Score
Social	26
Artistic	22
Realistic	14
Conventional	6
Investigative	7
Enterprising	7

#### Your Top Holland Traits

 <b>Social</b> SCORE: 26 <b>HOLLAND TRAIT</b> Likes to do things to help people – like, teaching, nursing, or giving first aid, providing information. Generally avoids using machines, tools, or animals to achieve a goal. <a href="#">View Careers</a>	 <b>Artistic</b> SCORE: 22 <b>HOLLAND TRAIT</b> Likes to do creative activities like art, drama, crafts, dance, music, or creative writing. Generally avoids highly ordered or repetitive activities. <a href="#">View Careers</a>
 <b>Realistic</b> SCORE: 14 <b>HOLLAND TRAIT</b> Likes to work with animals, tools, or machines. Generally avoids social activities like teaching, healing, and informing others. <a href="#">View Careers</a>	 <b>Conventional</b> SCORE: 6 <b>HOLLAND TRAIT</b> Likes to work with numbers, records, or machines in a set, orderly way. Generally avoids ambiguous, unstructured activities. <a href="#">View Careers</a>

# Explore your results

As you find some you like, save them as “Favorites”









Not finding what you need?  
Click to explore more



### Career Recommendations

Great news - there are a lot of careers that could be a good fit for you based on your results. Take a look and explore what makes you curious.

 <b>Architecture Teachers, Postsecondary</b> Teach courses in architecture and architectural design, such as architectural environmental design, interior architecture/design, and lands... Education Graduate/ Professional Median Salary \$87,900 <a href="#">Favorite</a>	 <b>Art, Drama, and Music Teachers, Postsecondary</b> Teach courses in drama, music, and the arts including fine and applied art, such as painting and sculpture, or design and crafts. Includes ... Education Graduate/ Professional Median Salary \$69,530 <a href="#">Favorite</a>
 <b>Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education</b> Instruct preschool-aged students, following curricula or lesson plans, in activities designed to promote social, physical, and intellectual growth... Education 2 Year College Median Salary \$32,600 <a href="#">Favorite</a>	 <b>Childcare Workers</b> Attend to children at schools, businesses, private households, and childcare institutions. Perform a variety of tasks, such as dressing, feeding, and comforting children. Education High School Diploma Median Salary \$24,230 <a href="#">Favorite</a>
 <b>Art Therapists</b> Plan or conduct art therapy sessions or programs to improve clients' physical, cognitive, or emotional well-being. Education Graduate/ Professional Median Salary \$52,650 <a href="#">Favorite</a>	 <b>Music Therapists</b> Plan, organize, direct, or assess clinical and evidenced-based music therapy interventions to positively influence individuals' physical, psychological, and emotional well-being. Education 4 Year College Median Salary \$52,650 <a href="#">Favorite</a>

These are just a handful of careers that map back to your results.

[SEE ALL CAREER RECOMMENDATIONS](#)

Scroll down. Next, you will see Career's that people with similar traits as you have entered and found success in. The snapshot shows what education/training is required and what the average pay is

Click on some, are you finding anything that resonates with you?

# Investigate a Career Pathway

Each Career Pathway will give you information on salary, what the job is like, what education you need, what majors lead to those Careers

This screenshot shows the top section of a career pathway page. It includes a title 'Art, Drama, and Music Teachers, Postsecondary' and a 'Smart summary' box. The summary states that college art, drama, and music teachers help students learn creative skills and prepare them for careers in the arts. It also lists 'Smart summary' points: 'College art, drama, and music teachers help students learn creative skills. They teach classes, give feedback, and organize performances. These teachers also help students prepare for careers in the arts. They may also help students find internships or jobs in the field. They may also help students find internships or jobs in the field. They may also help students find internships or jobs in the field.' Below the summary, there are sections for 'General information' and 'Additional information'.

Click on one of your favorited careers.

The first snapshot is a summary of the career information for your local area

This screenshot shows the 'Employment' section of the career pathway page. It features a 'Smart summary' box with a 'Smart summary' point: 'College art, drama, and music teachers help students learn creative skills. They teach classes, give feedback, and organize performances. These teachers also help students prepare for careers in the arts. They may also help students find internships or jobs in the field. They may also help students find internships or jobs in the field. They may also help students find internships or jobs in the field.' Below the summary, there is a 'Wage trends by state' section with a map of the United States showing wage trends by state. The map is color-coded by state, with darker shades of purple indicating higher wages. Below the map, there is a 'Job opportunities' section with a list of job postings from various employers, including the University of Colorado and the Colorado State University.

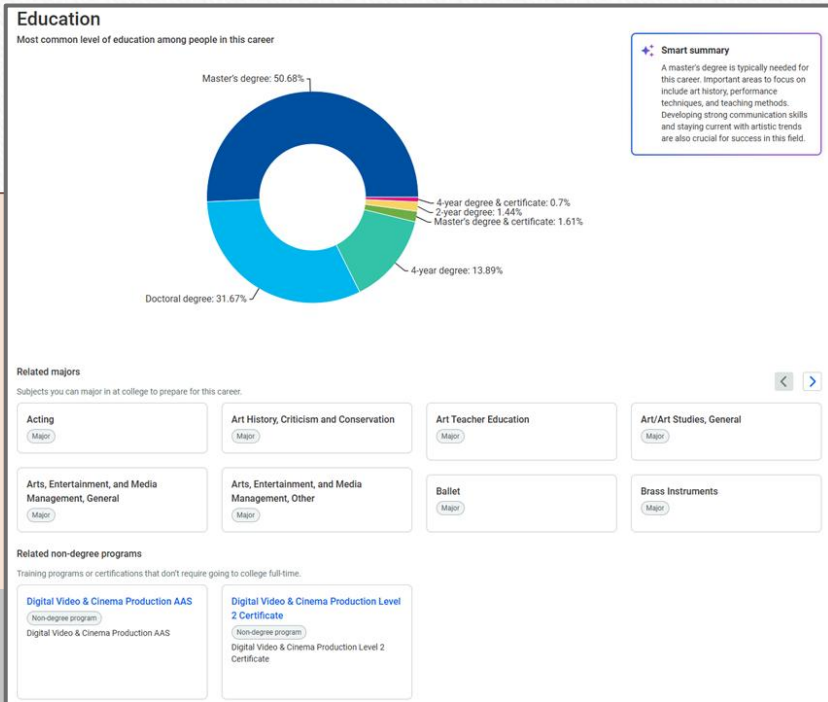
Scroll down to see employment outlooks all over the country & real time job postings

This screenshot shows the 'Similar careers' section of the career pathway page. It features a grid of four career cards, each with a title, a 'Career' button, and a brief description. The cards are: 'Self-Enrichment Teachers', 'English Language and Literature Teachers, Postsecondary', 'Area, Ethnic, and Cultural Studies Teachers, Postsecondary', and 'Teaching Assistants, Postsecondary'. Each card has a 'Favorite' button and a 'Details' button.

Not quite finding the right vibe?  
That's okay, it's a big world!

Scroll ALL the way to the bottom and see how "Similar Careers" seem

# Discover what Education/Training a Career requires



Scroll down, to see what type of Education you will need & the related majors you would need to study. Scroll more to see what courses are recommended

### Art, Drama, and Music Teachers, Postsecondary

General Information | Employment | Education | Roadtrip Nation | **Plan of study** | Military careers | Similar careers

Knowledge of the theory and techniques required to compose, produce, and perform works of music, dance, visual arts, drama, and sculpture.

**English Language**  
Knowledge of the structure and content of the English language including the meaning and spelling of words, rules of composition, and grammar.

**Philosophy and Theology**  
Knowledge of different philosophical systems and religions. This includes their basic principles, values, ethics, ways of thinking, customs, practices, and their impact on human culture.

**Communications and Media**  
Knowledge of media production, communication, and dissemination techniques and methods. This includes alternative ways to inform and entertain via written, oral, and visual media.

**Plan of study sheet**  
Here is a sample plan of study for this career cluster or pathway. Use it as a guide and work with your school to create your own plan that aligns with the clusters or pathways you're interested in.

[Plan of study](#)

EDUCATION GRADE	English/ Language Arts	Math	Science	Social Studies/ Sciences	Other Required Courses Other Electives Recommended Learner Activities	*Career and Technical Courses and/or Degree Major Courses for Teaching/Training Pathway
<i>Interest Inventory Administered and Plan of Study Initiated for all Learners</i>						
9	English/ Language Arts I	Algebra I	Earth or Life or Physical Science	State History Civics	All plans of study should meet local and state high school graduation requirements and college entrance requirements. Certain local student organization activities are also important including public speaking, record keeping and work-based experiences.	• Career Exploration in Education and Training • Information Technology Applications • Human Growth and Development
10	English/ Language Arts II	Geometry	Biology	U.S. History		• Fundamentals of Education Professions • Parenting and/or Child Development
11	English/ Language Arts III	Algebra II	Chemistry	World History Economics		• Applications of Education Professions
12	English/ Language Arts IV	Statistics or other math course	Physics	Psychology or Sociology American Government		
<i>College Placement Assessments/Academic/Career Advisement Provided</i>						
<i>Articulation/Dual Credit/Transcripted Postsecondary courses may be taken/moved to the secondary level for articulation/dual credit purposes.</i>						
Year 13	English Composition English Literature	Algebra	Chemistry	Psychology American History	All plans of study need to meet learners' career goals with regard to required degrees, licenses, certifications or journey worker status. Certain local student organization activities may also be important to include.	• Introduction to Education • Introduction to the Exceptional Learner
Year 14	Speech/ Oral Communication	Computer Applications	Biological Science Physical Science	Educational Psychology Geography		• Diversity in Education and Training • Instructional/Educational Technology
Year 15	Technical Communication	Tests and Measurements		Political Science Sociology		• Managing the Learning Environment • Methods of Teaching and Learning • Continue Courses in the Area of Specialization
Year 16				Economics Philosophy of Education		• Complete Teaching/Training Major (Full student teaching requirement as needed)

Click on "Plan of Study" to see what your 4 Year plan is recommended to include

# So where are you now?

Somewhere between #2 & #3. This is not a race, or a final destination

#1-Interest Inventory

## WHERE ARE YOU IN YOUR JOURNEY?

**I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT I LIKE!**  
Let's start with some personality quizzes! These can help narrow down fields you may shine in!

\*16 Personalities:



- \*Emergenetics: Ask your counselor!
- \*Naviance tab: Go to the "Self Discovery" tab & start the "Career" Surveys, you can do all of the surveys if you'd like!



#2- Explore Careers

## FOUND SOME INTERESTING THINGS?

Now that you've found some "Career Concentrations" (fields), let's explore

\*US Labor Stats:



\*OHS Career Concentrations:

- Ask your counselor about classes~ look at the Career Concentrations poster
- \*Naviance tab: Go to the "Careers" tab & check out what your results say about what the job entails & related occupations/majors (in the career clusters)



## WHAT TYPE OF EDUCATION DO I NEED?

Found some interesting careers? Now see what degree's you need

\*US Labor Stats:



Career Outlook

\*Naviance tab: In the "Careers" tab see the average pay & type of education needed

#3- Discover Needs

## WHAT DO I WANT OUT OF MY EXPERIENCE?



#4- Plan Ahead

## HOW DO I FIND SCHOOLS?

So where are the schools that offer what I want?

\*Naviance tab: On the "Colleges" tab start a "Super College Match". Input your above list ( location, career focus) & start to compare your matches. Save them in the "My Colleges I'm Thinking About" list

# What comes next? Match Your Interests to Your Classes

Your Career Pathways and MyCAP work together! Make sure if you are interested in a subject to plan for it during registration and take relevant classes. You can even earn an extra recognition at Graduation!

## CAREER CONCENTRATION PATHWAYS

Pathway	What year can you START?	9	10	11	12	+ Supportive Studies
<b>ENGINEERING &amp; TECHNICAL SCIENCES</b>						
Aerospace Manufacturing*			Manufact. Fund, CNC Machining	Man. Fund 2, CNC Machine 2		Technology Projects
Infrastructure Engineering*			Construction 1	Construction 2		
Automotive Technology <sup>A</sup>	Consumer Auto		Auto 1 & 2	Auto 3, High Performance		
Aviation- Maintenance*			Gen. Air Maint. 1	Gen Air Maint 2, Airframe 1-3	Airframe 4	
Aviation- Flight *			Aviation Fundamentals, Drone Pilot			
Engineering	Computer Aided Design		Engineering Design	Architectural Design		Senior Project/Intern.
Robotics	Technology Projects		Robotics			Senior Project/Intern.
<b>HEALTH SCIENCES &amp; PUBLIC SAFETY</b>						
Criminal Justice <sup>A</sup>				Criminal Justice 1 & 2	2 Soc. Electives	APPsych., Forensics, Genetics, Journalism, Pol.Sci., SOAR
Biotechnology	Intro to Sci Research		AP Bio, Adv. Sci Research		Biotechnology	Anat/Phys., Epic Med., Forensics, Genetics, Microbio.
H. Sciences-Clinical Med. Assist*	Intro to Healthcare		Healthcare Foundations	Clinical Medical Assist	Adv. Clinical Med. Assist	Anatomy & Physiology, Health Care Foundations, Medical Terminology, Patient Care Tech, Child & Adolescent Behavior, Epic Medical Careers, Interpersonal Relationships, Genetics, Psych. of Sports, Sources of Strength, CPR for professionals
H. Sci- Nursing & Patient Care <sup>A</sup>	Intro to Healthcare		Intro to Health Sci A, Patient Care Tech	Intro to Health Sci B, CNA	CNA/Adv. Nursing	
H. Sciences- Behavioral Health*				Behav. Health Teach	2 Soc. Electives	
Health Sciences- PT/OT Therapy*				Intro to PT/OT	2 Soc. Electives	
H. Sciences- Pharmacy Tech.*					Pharm Tech, 2 Soc. Elect.	
Health Sciences- Surgery Tech*				Surgery Technician		
<b>ARTS DESIGN MANUFACTURING &amp; TECHNICAL COMMUNICATIONS</b>						
2D Arts- Drawing & Design	Drawing & Painting 1 & 2		Draw/Paint. 3, AP Studio Art 2D	AP Studio Art Drawing		AP Art History, CE Digital Photo 2
2D Arts- Photography	Photography 1 & 2		Photo 3 & 4, AP Studio Art 2D			
3D Arts- Sculptural Engineering	Beg 3D Art, Int. 3D Art		Adv. 3D Art	AP Studio Art 3D		AP Art History, AP Studio Art 2D, CE Digital Photo 2, Interior Design 1, Interior Design 2, Web Designs
3D Arts- Fashion/Comm. Design	Fashion 1, Fashion 2			AP Fashion/Studio Art 3D		
3D Arts- Graphic Design	Graphic Design 1 & 2		Graphic Design 3, Adv. Graphic (4)	AP Studio Art		
Broadcasting & Film	Video Prod. 1 & 2		DTV Broadcast Journalism	Advanced Video Production		Tech Projects, CE Digital Photo 2, Web Designs
Performing Fine Arts- Choral	Overland Singers, Plainsmen, Trebelaries		Concert Choir, Jewell Ave Jazz	Cecilians, Nine Mile Jazz		Piano, Music Theory, AP Music Theory
P.F. Arts- Instrumental Band	All bands- audition placed					
P.F. Arts- Inst. Orchestra	String Orchestra, Concert Orchestra		Overland Symphony			
Performing Fine Arts- Theatre	Theatre 1, Musical Theatre Tech Theatre		Theatre 2	Theatre 3, Advanced Acting		
<b>EDUCATION, HUMAN SERVICES &amp; HOSPITALITY</b>						
Cosmetology <sup>™</sup>				Cosmo 1	Cosmo 2, Esthetics	
Future Educator <sup>™</sup>				Future Educator 1 & 2		Peer Mentorship
Hospitality-Culinary Arts <sup>A</sup>	Culinary Essentials 1, Baking/Pastry 1		Baking/Pastry2, ProStart1&2	Prostart 1 & 2, CTE Internship	CTE Internship	
Hospitality- Tourism *	2 OHS Fine Arts Electives		Resort & Event Management		Hospitality Leadership Exp.	
<b>BUSINESS FINANCE &amp; COMPUTER SCIENCES</b>						
Business- Accounting	Personal Finance, Intro to Business		Legal Enviro of Business, Accounting 1	CE Accounting 2		AP Macro & Micro Economics, CE Intro to Business Salesforce
Business- Marketing	Personal Finance, Intro to Business		Legal Enviro of Business, Marketing 1	CE Marketing 2		
Business- Entrepreneurship*	Intro to Business		Project Management for Entrep. 1 & 2	Manag for Entrep. 3, CTE Cap		
Career Innovations <sup>™</sup>	CE course elective		Work Based Learning CTE	Apprenticeship/Internship	CE Core course	SEE YOUR COUNSELOR FOR OPTIONS
Artificial Intelligence*	Intro to Comp Prog or AP Computer Sci		Artificial Intelligence 1 & 2	Stats		Tech Projects, Amazon Web Services
Cyber Security*	Intro to Comp Prog or AP Computer Sci		Cybersecurity 1 & 2			Amazon Web Services
Data Science*	Intro to Comp Prog or AP Computer Sci		Data Science 1 & 2	CTE Capstone IT		
Product Design & Fabrication*			Product Design 1-3	Product Design 4		Computer Aided Design
Computer Science	AP Comp Science Principles		AP Computer Science A	Data Struct.		Web Development, Web Design Foundations
Applied Mathematics	AP Comp Science Principles		AP Computer Science A	AP Calc AB/BE, DFC	AP Stats, Liner Algebra	
<b>AGRICULTURE &amp; NATURAL RESOURCES</b>						
Natural Resources	Environmental Club Participation			AP Enviro Science	CE Geology	AP Biology, Microbiology, Zoology

\*= CCIC/CCP pathways    <sup>A</sup>=Can be OHS or CCIC/CCP pathways    <sup>™</sup>=CTE pathways

**INDUSTRY SCHOLARS:** Students at Overland High School are afforded unique opportunities to complete a variety of career concentrations stemming across a variety of STEAM pathways and leading Industry fields.

### REQUIREMENTS:

- Meet with counselor to discuss pathway and a students 4-year plan using the proposed field of study
- Complete the Career Candidate Application
- Successfully complete the top level of their Career Concentration and/or corresponding Internship during 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> grade
- Have a minimum 3.0 unweighted GPA in their Career Concentration



### HOW DO I GET THIS AWARD?

- YOU pick this by following your interests and sticking with your course fields.
- You ELECT in by applying for the Award Senior Year.
- **Come get the Application in COUNSELING**
- Counselors will let you know if you are on track 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade and if you completed at Senior Checkout