Which Career Pathway is right for you?

THE RIASEC TEST

Follow these easy steps to see where your interests are.

❶ Read each statement. If you agree with the statement, fill in the circle. There are no wrong answers!

1. I like to work on cars
2. I like to do puzzles
3. I am good at working independently
4. I like to work in teams
5. I am an ambitious person, I set goals for myself
6. I like to organize things, (files, desks/offices)
7. I like to build things
8. I like to read about art and music
9. I like to have clear instructions to follow
10. I like to try to influence or persuade people
11. I like to do experiments
12. I like to teach or train people
13. I like trying to help people solve their problems
14. I like to take care of animals
15. I wouldn't mind working 8 hours per day in an office
16. I like selling things
17. I enjoy creative writing
18. I enjoy science
19. I am quick to take on new responsibilities
20. I am interested in healing people
21. I enjoy trying to figure out how things work

22. I like putting things together or assembling things
23. I am a creative person
24. I pay attention to details
25. I like to do filing or typing
26. I like to analyze things (problems/situations)
27. I like to play instruments or sing
28. I enjoy learning about other cultures
29. I would like to start my own business
30. I like to cook
31. I like acting in plays
32. I am a practical person
33. I like working with numbers or charts
34. I like to get into discussions about issues
35. I am good at keeping records of my work
36. I like to lead
37. I like working outdoors
38. I would like to work in an office
39. I'm good at math
40. I like helping people
41. I like to draw
42. I like to give speeches

Total ——————————————— Total

Grand Total

R	I	A	S	E	C

❷ Add up the number of filled in circles in each column and then add the two columns together for a grand total.

❸ Using your grand total scores from above, transfer the scores for each letter into the appropriate column below.

R = Realistic Total: _____
I = Investigative Total: _____
A = Artistic Total: _____
S = Social Total: _____
E = Enterprising Total: _____
C = Conventional Total: _____

❹ Take the three letters with the highest scores and record them under "My Interest Code".

MY INTEREST CODE

_____ _____ _____

❺ Turn the page to see what this means!

RESULTS OF THE RIASEC TEST

R = Realistic

These people are often good at mechanical or athletic jobs. Good college majors for Realistic people are…

- Agriculture
- Health Assistant
- Computers
- Construction
- Mechanic/Machinist
- Engineering
- Food and Hospitality

Related Pathways

Natural Resources

Health Services

Industrial and Engineering Technology

Arts and Communication

I = Investigative

These people like to watch, learn, analyze and solve problems. Good college majors for Investigative people are…

- Marine Biology
- Engineering
- Chemistry
- Zoology
- Medicine/Surgery
- Consumer Economics
- Psychology

Related Pathways

Health Services

Business

Public and Human Services

Industrial and Engineering Technology

A = Artistic

These people like to work in unstructured situations where they can use their creativity. Good majors for Artistic people are…

- Communications
- Cosmetology
- Fine and Performing Arts
- Photography
- Radio and TV
- Interior Design
- Architecture

Related Pathways

Public and Human Services

Arts and Communication

S = Social

These people like to work with other people, rather than things. Good college majors for Social people are…

- Counseling
- Nursing
- Physical Therapy
- Travel
- Advertising
- Public Relations
- Education

Related Pathways

Health Services

Public and Human Services

E = Enterprising

These people like to work with others and enjoy persuading and and performing. Good college majors for Enterprising people are:

- Fashion Merchandising
- Real Estate
- Marketing/Sales
- Law
- Political Science
- International Trade
- Banking/Finance

Related Pathways

Business

Public and Human Services

Arts and Communication

C = Conventional

These people are very detail oriented,organized and like to work with data. Good college majors for Conventional people are…

- Accounting
- Court Reporting
- Insurance
- Administration
- Medical Records
- Banking
- Data Processing

Related Pathways

Health Services

Business

Industrial and Engineering Technology