

Post-Launch Lesson Plan

GRADE 3, PLANET E | EXAMINING A RANGE OF JOBS

Objectives

- Students develop a deeper understanding of enterprising work environments and careers.
- Students identify a range of jobs available in the community and the larger working world.

Preparation & Materials Needed

- Copies of the six different “Guess the Job Titles” worksheet, enough copies of each of the six job locations for every student in each team.
- Chalkboard/whiteboard and markers.

Lesson Plan

Total Time: 18-25 minutes



INTRODUCTION

5-7 Minutes

Begin by engaging the class in reviewing what they learned from their visit to Planet E using the following reflection prompts:

- *What did you think about your visit to Planet E? What did you learn?*
- *Can you recall some of the common aspects of individuals who enjoy enterprising work environments? What are they?*
 - *Like to lead and supervise.*
 - *Good at selling things and persuading others.*
 - *Enjoy managing and directing people and projects.*
 - *Good at listening and also providing direction.*
 - *Like to start new projects.*
 - *Energetic and enjoy working in a busy environment.*
- *What were some of the work settings and conditions of individuals in enterprising occupations?*
 - *Often work inside but can also direct projects that are outside o May travel quite a bit.*
 - *May work in stores, offices, hotels, airplanes, etc.*
 - *Usually work with people one-on-one in sales or leadership but also work with groups of individuals.*



INTRODUCTION**(continued)****5-7 Minutes**

Ask students if they can recall some of the career titles of individuals who work in enterprising careers. Use the chalkboard/whiteboard or chart paper to list occupations that align with enterprising careers, such as:

- Manger, supervisor, director
- Salesperson
- Hotel manager
- Television director
- Politician
- Public relations/marketing

Ask if any students in the class believe they might enjoy one or more of these careers or whether they know someone who works in an enterprising career.

ACTIVITY**12-15 Minutes**

Using a method you prefer, divide the class into six teams. Provide copies of the “Guess the Job Titles” worksheets to team members, one set of team handouts corresponding to each of the six different occupational settings:

- Post Office
- Grocery Store
- Local Factory or Company
- Restaurant
- School Superintendent Office
- Police Department

Read through the instructions and ensure students understand how to complete the worksheet. Give students 8-10 minutes to complete one worksheet for the entire team. If time allows, ask each team to report out on the job titles that they developed.

Use the following prompts to help guide a classroom discussion of the information provided by the teams:

- *Were you surprised by the number of job titles you came up with?*
- *When you think back on all of the career types and work environments you have learned so far (e.g. Realistic, Investigative, Artistic, Social, Enterprising), is there only one type of person who would enjoy these jobs or multiple types?*
- *Who in your team showed leadership during this exercise? Is it possible that person might enjoy enterprising occupations?*

CONCLUSION**1-2 Minutes**

Answer any questions students may have, then wrap-up the lesson by telling students they have one more planet to visit, Planet C, during the next class period.

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Your task as a team is to guess different job titles of individuals who work in a post office. Use the prompts on the left-hand side to put a checkmark in the Yes, No, or Maybe columns, then use the right column to list possible job titles of persons who might work there. Use the blank spaces at the bottom to add more ideas.

Post Office				
Does this business/organization need individuals who:	Yes	No	Maybe	If yes or Maybe, what might be their Job Title?
Help with communication and marketing the business?				
Interact with customers/clients/ visitors?				
Keep the place clean?				
Provide and manage internet services/webpages/ cybersecurity?				
Do the accounting, manage the money, pay the taxes?				
Decorate and paint the workspace so it looks attractive?				
Lead, supervise or manage the business or organization?				
Do research or lookup information for the business or organization?				
Order supplies and manage resources?				

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Your task as a team is to guess different job titles of individuals who work in a grocery store. Use the prompts on the left-hand side to put a checkmark in the Yes, No, or Maybe columns, then use the right column to list possible job titles of persons who might work there. Use the blank spaces at the bottom to add more ideas.

Local Grocery Store				
Does this business/organization need individuals who:	Yes	No	Maybe	If yes or Maybe, what might be their Job Title?
Help with communication and marketing the business?				
Interact with customers/clients/ visitors?				
Keep the place clean?				
Provide and manage internet services/webpages/ cybersecurity?				
Do the accounting, manage the money, pay the taxes?				
Decorate and paint the workspace so it looks attractive?				
Lead, supervise or manage the business or organization?				
Do research or lookup information for the business or organization?				
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Your task as a team is to guess different job titles of individuals who work in a local factory or company. Use the prompts on the left-hand side to put a checkmark in the Yes, No, or Maybe columns, then use the right column to list possible job titles of persons who might work there. Use the blank spaces at the bottom to add more ideas.

A Local Factory or Company				
Does this business/organization need individuals who:	Yes	No	Maybe	If yes or Maybe, what might be their Job Title?
Help with communication and marketing the business?				
Interact with customers/clients/ visitors?				
Keep the place clean?				
Provide and manage internet services/webpages/ cybersecurity?				
Do the accounting, manage the money, pay the taxes?				
Decorate and paint the workspace so it looks attractive?				
Lead, supervise or manage the business or organization?				
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Your task as a team is to guess different job titles of individuals who work in a restaurant. Use the prompts on the left-hand side to put a checkmark in the Yes, No, or Maybe columns, then use the right column to list possible job titles of persons who might work there. Use the blank spaces at the bottom to add more ideas.

Restaurant				
Does this business/organization need individuals who:	Yes	No	Maybe	If yes or Maybe, what might be their Job Title?
Help with communication and marketing the business?				
Interact with customers/clients/ visitors?				
Keep the place clean?				
Provide and manage internet services/webpages/ cybersecurity?				
Do the accounting, manage the money, pay the taxes?				
Decorate and paint the workspace so it looks attractive?				
Lead, supervise or manage the business or organization?				
Do research or lookup information for the business or organization?				
Order supplies and manage resources?				

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Your task as a team is to guess different job titles of individuals who work in the school's superintendent office. Use the prompts on the left-hand side to put a checkmark in the Yes, No, or Maybe columns, then use the right column to list possible job titles of persons who might work there. Use the blank spaces at the bottom to add more ideas.

School Superintendent Office				
Does this business/organization need individuals who:	Yes	No	Maybe	If yes or Maybe, what might be their Job Title?
Help with communication and marketing the business?				
Interact with customers/clients/ visitors?				
Keep the place clean?				
Provide and manage internet services/webpages/ cybersecurity?				
Do the accounting, manage the money, pay the taxes?				
Decorate and paint the workspace so it looks attractive?				
Lead, supervise or manage the business or organization?				
Do research or lookup information for the business or organization?				
Order supplies and manage resources?				

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Your task as a team is to guess different job titles of individuals who work in the local police department. Use the prompts on the left-hand side to put a checkmark in the Yes, No, or Maybe columns, then use the right column to list possible job titles of persons who might work there. Use the blank spaces at the bottom to add more ideas.

Police Department				
Does this business/organization need individuals who:	Yes	No	Maybe	If yes or Maybe, what might be their Job Title?
Help with communication and marketing the business?				
Interact with customers/clients/ visitors?				
Keep the place clean?				
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