

Which Career Pathway is right for you?

THE RIASEC TEST

Follow these easy steps to see where your interests are.

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

Total

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

Total

Grand Total

Total

R	I	A	S	E	C
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R	I	A	S	E	C

- 2 Add up the number of filled in circles in each column and then add the two columns together for a grand total.
- 3 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: _____

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

- 5 Turn the page to see what this means!

MY INTEREST CODE

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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 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