

GAINESVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL
SCHOOL COUNSELING DEPARTMENT
CAREER INVENTORY VIRTUAL LESSON, GRADES 6-8

1) Take the Career Inventory <https://www.vaview.org/912/check-it/who-r-u/>



Note: You do not need to enter name grade or state, just click “Get Started”

Results: Areas of strongest interest will be highlighted in green.

2) Click on the title for a list of jobs in that area.



3) Once you click on a list of area of interest, a list of jobs will appear. Scroll through and you will see Education, Salary, and Projections. Make note of any interests.

Title	Education	Salary	Projections
Aerospace Engineers	Bachelor's Degree	\$117,100.00	Slower than average
Anthropologists	Master's Degree	\$65,310.00	Slower than average
Anthropologists and Archeologists	No Data	\$65,310.00	Slower than average
Archeologists	Doctoral Degree	\$65,310.00	Slower than average
Architectural and Engineering Managers	Bachelor's Degree	\$146,670.00	Slower than average
Astronomers	Post-Doctoral Training	\$111,090.00	Average
Atmospheric and Space Scientists	Bachelor's Degree	\$95,560.00	Average
Automotive Engineers	Bachelor's Degree	\$92,600.00	Average
Biochemical Engineers	Bachelor's Degree	\$99,410.00	Slower than average
Biochemists and Biophysicists	Doctoral Degree	\$105,940.00	Average
Biofuels/Biodiesel Technology and Product Development Managers	Bachelor's Degree	\$146,670.00	Slower than average
Bioinformatics Scientists	Bachelor's Degree	\$83,600.00	Average
Biological Scientists, All Other	No Data	\$83,600.00	Average
Biostatisticians	Master's Degree	\$92,600.00	Much faster than average
Cartographers and Photogrammetrists	Post-Secondary Certificate	\$68,340.00	Faster than average
Chemical Engineers	Bachelor's Degree	\$114,470.00	Average
Chemists	Bachelor's Degree	\$83,850.00	Slower than average
City and Regional Planning Aides	Master's Degree	\$50,420.00	Slower than average
Climate Change Analysts	Master's Degree	\$77,580.00	Average

4) Click on a specific career and you will get a more in dept view of what the career entails. Consider this as a career for you. Think about pros and cons.

Clinical Data Managers

Apply knowledge of health care and database management to analyze clinical data, and to identify and report trends.

Tasks Include:

- Read technical literature and participate in continuing education or professional associations to maintain awareness of current database technology and best practices.
- Provide support and information to functional areas such as marketing, clinical monitoring, and medical affairs.
- Prepare appropriate formatting to data sets as requested.
- Evaluate processes and technologies, and suggest revisions to increase productivity and efficiency.
- Develop technical specifications for data management programming and communicate needs to information technology staff.
- Develop or select specific software programs for various research scenarios.
- Contribute to the compilation, organization, and production of protocols, clinical study reports, regulatory submissions, or other controlled documentation.
- Write work instruction manuals, data capture guidelines, or standard operating procedures.
- Track the flow of work forms, including in-house data flow or electronic forms transfer.

Projections Quick View:

Virginia: +43.4%
National: +33.9%

Education: Bachelor's Degree

Job Zone: Four: Considerable Preparation Needed

Income Range: Highest (\$50,000 and up)

Median Earnings:

National: \$87,780.00
State: \$79,630.00
Regional: [Select A Region]

Career Search:

- Overview
- Description
- Education
- Tasks
- Tools
- Special Requirements
- Internships
- Additional Resources
- Knowledge
- Skills
- Abilities
- Work Activities
- Work Styles
- Work Values
- Work Context
- Job Zone
- Earnings
- Projections
- Related Occupations
- Video
- Military
- Proficiency Ratings
- Titles
- Print All
- Related Schools
- Return To Results

The data sources for the information displayed here include: O*NET™, US Department of Labor (BLS), Virginia Workforce Connection.

5) Explore as many different careers as you would like.

6) Complete the worksheet below: "Where will you be in 8 years".

NOTE: Put it in a safe place so you can look at it 8 years from now!

Where will you be in years?

<p>Your Age Now: _____</p> <p>Your Age in 8 Years: _____</p>	<p>List 5 goals for your future:</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p> <p>3. _____</p> <p>4. _____</p> <p>5. _____</p>
<p>Your Career in 8 Years: _____</p>	
<p>Education Level/Degrees: _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	
<p>Annual Salary: \$ _____</p>	

Where will you be living?

City: _____

State: _____

Country: _____

House:

Apartment:

Parent's:

College:



Describe a typical day in your life: _____

List 5 careers you are interested in:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Will you.....	Yes	No
Have a family?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Be married?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Be single?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Own a car?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Own a pet?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Be in school?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have a job?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have a diploma?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

List five schools/programs you are interested in attending:

1. _____ Focus? _____

2. _____ Focus? _____

3. _____ Focus? _____

4. _____ Focus? _____

5. _____ Focus? _____

What can you do now to prepare for your future plans?

STANDARDS ADDRESSED IN THIS ACTIVITY: **Academic Development 6-8: MA3; Career Development 6-8: MC3, MC5**