

Career Life Connections 11 Connecting You to Your Future Assignment #1

All students are required to explore personal and career goals during their secondary school years and create a plan for life after graduation. Transition planning began in grade 10 and is an ongoing process throughout grades 11 and 12.

Task One: Getting Familiar with myBlueprint

Instructions:

- 1. Go to <u>www.myBlueprint.ca/sd41</u>
 - a. Create an account and sign up.
 - b. Add yourself to the class "Grad 2020 Career Life Connections 11"
 - c. Link your profile to Ms. Larisch.
 - d. **Create** a Portfolio this is where you will store some of this year's assignments.

Name it as follows:

- i. FirstName & LastName's Connections Portfolio i.e.: George Daley's Connections Portfolio
- e. Post an appropriate photo of yourself in the Avatar box.
- f. Create a box titled "Life Motto" and include one of your favourite mottos.
- g. **Complete** the **Learning Style** and **Personality Surveys** in the Who Am I? section of myBlueprint.
- h. Add both survey reports to your Connections Portfolio.

	How Do You Do This? ଏହ ଏହ ଏହ
Step One:	Go to the website noted above. i) select "Sign Up" ii) select school – Cariboo Hill Secondary iii) click "Create Account"
Step Two:	 How to get set up: i) On the Welcome Page, select Student ii) Select Grade 11 iii) Enter your personal information (do NOT fill in date of birth or student number) iv) Enter account information including an email address that you use regularly. v) Log into the email account that you entered and verify.
Step Three:	How to link to Ms. Larisch: i) Click your name in the upper right hand corner. ii) Click My Links <i>continued</i>

	iii) Scroll down to add a teacher or click Add Linkiv) Click on Ms. Larischv) Click Send Request
Step Four:	How to create a portfolio i) On the Home page, clock Portfolios. ii) Click +Add Portfolio iii) Title it as instructed in Task One. iv) Enter the description as CLC 11 work and click Save.
Step Five:	How to post a photo of yourself i) Inside the portfolio, click on the Avatar icon (top left) ii) Upload a current picture of yourself.
Step Six:	How to create the Life Motto box i) Inside the portfolio, click +Add Box and click Add Journal ii) Add the title requested iii) Add the motto to the description box and click Post.
Step Seven:	 How to complete the surveys in "Who Am I?" i) Go to the home screen. ii) From the pop-out menu on the left side of the Home Screen, click "Who Am I?" iii) Click on the Learning Styles survey. iv) Complete the survey and click View Report. v) Click Add to Portfolio (to the right of the View Report box) vi) Complete the same steps for the Personality survey.

Task Two: Creation of a "Who I Am" artifact Essential Question: How Do YOU Connect to Your Career Path?

Requirements:

- 1. This artifact (a.k.a. self-representation piece) should showcase **all** the things that are **important** to you.
- 2. The aspects you include should be showcased in a manner so that it is easy to decipher which of them are **most** important to you when taken into consideration while making choices about your pathway / career / future.
 - For example, George Daley's artifact may include a passion for rugby, but that is not as prominently displayed as his computer coding skills or his love for the outdoors, which he considers to be the most valuable part of who he is.

Format of the Artifact

The format is completely flexible, as long as it meets the criteria. For example, you could choose to create an art piece, a picture collage, a diagram, a comic strip, (something mostly visual) – almost anything is acceptable as long as the things you consider important about you are all included, and that the most important things to you are clearly emphasized. **Highly recommended**: use 11x17 paper (note, your artifacts will be folded when they are put in your file) – you may pick up some paper from the Career Centre if needed.

Note: The artifact should contain at least 15 items (or more). You should have **at least one item** (or descriptor) from **each** of the following categories:

- personality / personal qualities
- interests / passions
- hobbies

• favourite school courses

- strengths
- values

• personal skills

family / culture
anything else important to you

Note: Ask your friends, teachers and family for help brainstorming

Your artifact will be assessed on a 5-point scale based on the following criteria:

- ✓ The artifact includes 15 or more items, each different.
- It is clear that much time and effort went into the planning and design of the artifact; you took great pride in your work.
- The design and construction appear carefully planned: the artifact is attractive in terms of design, layout (no gaps or blank spaces) and neatness.
- ✓ The artifact shows creativity and many details.
- ✓ It is clear which items are most important to you.

Once you have completed your artifact, **complete** the following:

- a. **Add** a box to your myBlueprint Connections portfolio and upload a photo of your completed artifact. (+ Add Box, + Add Media)
- b. **Choose** two of the **Core Competencies** that you developed the most in your creation of your Self-Representation Artifact, and **write** and **add** a reflection to your portfolio discussing **how** your chosen competencies were developed throughout this task.
 - (+ Add Box, + Add Journal, **Title:** Session #1 Core Competencies Reflection, type your reflection in the Description Box)
 - ** To review the Core Competencies in detail, go to

https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/sites/curriculum.gov.bc.ca/files/pdf/Core_Competencies_Posters.pdf

Task Three: Submission and Assessment of your "Who I Am" Artifact

Requirements:

- 1. Type a reflection that explains your artifact in 300-500 words. Answer the following three questions:
 - a. For what **reasons** did you determine certain aspects about yourself were **more** or **less important**?
 - b. **How** did you depict the difference between what was really important to you and what was not that important?
 - c. What career examples can you think of that relate to items you consider "most important"? (You can use myBlueprint to help find possible career paths – do some research in the Explore Occupations Box – go to your Dashboard and scroll down.)
- 2. **Complete** the **Artifact Submission Sheet** (last page of this document), and hand in your artifact to the Career Centre for assessment by **Thursday, November 15**th

Assignment #1 Checklist:

The following checklist is to help YOU ensure that you have completed all the requirements of this assignment.

Once you have made sure you have completed all the requirements, hand in your Artifact Submission sheet (with attached Reflection and Artifact) to the Career Centre on or before the due date.

Assignment #1 Checklist:		
	You are signed up in myBlueprint	
	You linked your profile to Ms. Larisch	
	You added yourself to the class "Grad 2020 – Career Life Connections 11"	
	You created and named your portfolio as requested on page 3 of the assignment	
	You posted an appropriate photo of yourself in the Avatar box	
	You created a Life Motto box	
	You completed the Learning Style Survey in "Who Am I?" in myBlueprint	
	You completed the Personality Survey in "Who Am I?" on myBlueprint	
	You added both survey reports to your portfolio	
	You completed a Self-Representation Artifact.	
	You uploaded a picture of your completed Artifact.	
	You completed and added a reflection to your portfolio box discussing the development of two of the Core Competencies	
	You completed (typed) an Artifact Reflection answering the three questions.	
	You stapled your Artifact Reflection and your Artifact to the Artifact Submission Sheet.	
	You handed your artifact in to the Career Centre by November 15th, 2018.	



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Artifact Submission Sheet

Assignment #1 Due Date: Thursday, November 15th, 2018

Check that you have attached all requirements

My Artifact Reflection is attached.

My "Who I Am" artifact is attached.

Student's First and Last Names: _____

Student Signature

Date