

Name _____ Date _____

Earning Income Portfolio Worksheet

Directions: Use the worksheet below as a guide in completing all three parts of the Earning Income Portfolio.

Part 1: Non-Income Factors in Career Choice

I selected _____ as my possible future career choice based on these two factors:

Paragraph 1 (5-7 sentences)

I selected...as my career because of (first non-income factor).

Paragraph 2 (5-7 sentences)

I selected...as my career because of (second non-income factor).

Part 2: Potential Income and Employee Benefits

Question 1

How many years of schooling will it take before you can begin your career?
(Remember to include any years of high school you have left on top of college or trade school.)

- How many years of high school do you have left?

- How many years of college, post high school training, will you need for this career?

- How many years left after this training will you gain experience if this is 10 years in the future?

Question 2

Using a reliable source, what is your potential earned income (today's dollars) for your chosen career? (per year salary or what you would earn working 40 hours a week for 50 weeks' worth of work)

Question 3

Cite the source(s) used to collect data for question 2.

- Name the source and hyperlink it to this document.

Question 4

Research a potential employer for your chosen career. Select one employer and describe at least three employee benefits offered for your career. List the employer. Be specific, such as stating the number of paid vacation days and the percentage of health care coverage your employer will offer.

- (Name of the employer) offers these employee benefits...
 - (Name of the benefit) is an added non income factor because...
(Answer for all 3 benefits)

Part 3: Other Sources of Income

What is your alternative source of revenue to supplement your income?

- I selected this form of alternative income because ... (Reminder to use 3 complete sentences explaining why you selected this alternative source of revenue to supplement your income)