

SCIENCE CONNECTIONS INTERVIEW GUIDE

Step 1: Look through the list of questions. Add any other questions that you want to ask the worker.

Step 2: Make an appointment to interview the worker. Explain that you are going to be putting together a booklet about jobs relating to science and technology.

Step 3: Ask the questions on your list. Write the number of your question as you take notes about the worker's answers. Do not write down everything the worker says. Write down the things that are important.

Step 4: Review your notes. Think about the answers. Then make an outline to write about this worker.

Step 5: Write about the worker. You can draw pictures or use photographs to help tell about this job.

Worker Interview Questions:

1. How did you get your job?
2. What do you do in this job?
3. Why did you choose this kind of work?
4. What things that you learned in school do you use in your work?
5. How has your job changed since you started doing it?
6. What are problems you have solved in your work?
7. What are your plans for the future?

Add other questions you want to ask about this worker's job.

After you interview a professional in this kind of work, interview a college student who is preparing to do this kind of work.

Here is a list of questions to ask a college student who has chosen to study the same field as the worker you interviewed.

College Student Interview Questions:

1. Why did you decide to prepare for this kind of career?
2. What do you like about this kind of science and technology?
3. What problems have you faced as you have been learning, and how have you solved them?
4. What changes in your plans have you made since you started college?
5. What things that you learned in elementary school have helped you to do well in college?
6. Where do you plan to be ten years from today, and what do you plan to be doing then?

Add other questions you want to ask about this student's choices.