

Pennsylvania Career Education and Work Academic Standards

Getting Started!

3rd Grade Benchmarks

Getting started helping students achieve the Career Education and Work Academic Standards is often overwhelming. There are an overabundance of materials and resources available. How do you ever sort through them all?

Below is a suggested set of resources to help you sort through the plethora of materials so that your school can form a strong core for a program for students. Since implementing the Career Education and Work Academic Standards is everyone’s job, the resources below can be used in a wide variety of classroom and real-world settings for all students. Implementing these standards will assist in increasing the relevance of school for all students and help students see the value of school as it relates to their personal future.

CEW Standard	Career-related Materials & Resources	Literature Resources	Software Products	Internet-based Resources
13.1 Career Awareness and Preparation <i>A. Abilities and Aptitudes</i> <i>B. Personal Interests</i> <i>C. Non-Traditional Workplace Roles</i> <i>D. Local Career Preparation Opportunities</i> <i>E. Career Selection Influences</i> <i>F. Preparation for Careers</i> <i>G. Career Plan Components</i> <i>H. Relationship between Education and Career</i>	Career Role Playing Games (e.g. Play Real Game, Career Capers) Classroom Events: (e.g. Career Day, Community Day, Careers on Wheels) Children’s Occupational Outlook Handbook Activities PHEAA Materials – Going Places Developmental Guidance Classroom Activities (K-3) “How To…” Career Development Activities for Every Classroom (K-3) Career Video Series (e.g. “I Want to Be”) “Did You Ever Wonder?”) EconomicsPennsylvania Resources Job Shadowing Career Expo Career Speakers Summer Career Camps	“Elementary Career Awareness Through Children’s Literature: 3-5” “Cool Careers for Girls” Series “Arthur’s Pet Business” “Dinosaur Hunters” “Oh The Places You Will Go!” “Come And See What I Can Be”	PA Career Education and Work Online Learning Program Paws In Jobland (Bridges.com) COIN Climbing Career Trek	www.bls.gov/k12/ www.knowitall.org/kidswork/ www.kids.gov/k_careers.htm www.jobshadow.org www.careervoyages.gov/students-elementary.cfm www.usatoday.com/educate/careers/careers.htm www.pathway-pals.com

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<p>13.2 Career Acquisition (Getting a Job)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. <i>Interviewing Skills</i> B. <i>Resources</i> C. <i>Career Acquisition Documents</i> D. <i>Career Planning Portfolios</i> E. <i>Career Acquisition Process</i> 	<p>Career Role Playing Games (e.g. Play Real Game, Career Capers)</p> <p>Classroom Events: (e.g. Career Day, Community Day, Careers on Wheels)</p> <p>Children’s Occupational Outlook Handbook Activities</p> <p>PHEAA Materials – Career Portfolio, Going Places</p> <p>Developmental Guidance Classroom Activities (K-3)</p> <p>“How To…” Career Development Activities for Every Classroom (K-3)</p> <p>Character Education Resources: (e.g. Integrity Matters, Groark’s Getting Along Series’)</p> <p>Job Shadowing</p>	<p>“Elementary Career Awareness Through Children’s Literature: 3-5”</p> <p>“Cool Careers for Girls” Series</p> <p>“Arthur’s Pet Business”</p> <p>“Dinosaur Hunters”</p> <p>“Oh The Places You Will Go!”</p>	<p>PA Career Education and Work Online Learning Program</p> <p>Paws In Jobland (Bridges.com)</p> <p>COIN Climbing</p> <p>Career Trek</p>	<p>www.bls.gov/k12/</p> <p>www.knowitall.org/kidswork/</p> <p>www.kids.gov/k_careers.htm</p> <p>www.jobshadow.org</p> <p>www.careervoyages.gov/students-elementary.cfm</p> <p>www.usatoday.com/educate/careers/careers.htm</p> <p>www.pathway-pals.com</p>
<p>13.3 Career Retention and Advancement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. <i>Work Habits</i> B. <i>Cooperation and Teamwork</i> C. <i>Group Interaction</i> D. <i>Budgeting</i> E. <i>Time Management</i> F. <i>Workplace Changes</i> G. <i>Lifelong Learning</i> 	<p>Career Role Playing Games: (e.g. Play Real Game)</p> <p>Children’s Occupational Outlook Handbook Activities</p> <p>PHEAA Materials – Career Portfolio, Student Agenda</p> <p>Developmental Guidance Classroom Activities (K-3)</p> <p>“How To…” Career Development Activities for Every Classroom (K-3)</p> <p>Career Video Series (e.g. “I Want to Be”, “Did You Ever Wonder?”)</p> <p>Character Education Resources: (e.g. Integrity Matters, Groark’s Getting Along Series’)</p> <p>Job Shadowing</p> <p>Career Expo</p>	<p>“Elementary Career Awareness Through Children’s Literature: 3-5”</p> <p>“Cool Careers for Girls” Series</p> <p>“Arthur’s Pet Business”</p> <p>“Dinosaur Hunters”</p> <p>“The Three Questions”</p> <p>“Oh The Places You Will Go!”</p> <p>“My Many Colored Days”</p>	<p>PA Career Education and Work Online Learning Program</p> <p>Paws In Job Land (Bridges.com)</p> <p>COIN Climbing</p> <p>Career Trek</p>	<p>www.bls.gov/k12/</p> <p>www.knowitall.org/kidswork/</p> <p>www.kids.gov/k_careers.htm</p> <p>www.jobshadow.org</p> <p>www.careervoyages.gov/students-elementary.cfm</p> <p>www.usatoday.com/educate/careers/careers.htm</p> <p>www.pathway-pals.com</p>

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<p>13.4 Entrepreneurship <i>A. Risks and Rewards</i> <i>B. Character Traits</i> <i>C. Business Plan</i></p>	<p>Junior Achievement Resources Economics Pennsylvania Resources Career Role Playing Games: (e.g. Play Real Game) Children’s Occupational Outlook Handbook Activities Developmental Guidance Classroom Activities (K-3) “How To…” Career Development Activities (K-3) Job Shadowing Career Expo</p>	<p>“Elementary Career Awareness Through Children's Literature: 3-5” “Cool Careers for Girls” Series “Arthur’s Pet Business” “The Three Questions” “Oh The Places You Will Go!” “A Chair for My Mother”</p>	<p>PA Career Education and Work Online Learning Program Paws In Job Land (Bridges.com) COIN</p>	<p>www.bls.gov/k12/ www.knowitall.org/kidswork/ www.kids.gov/k_careers.htm www.jobshadow.org www.careervoyages.gov/students-elementary.cfm www.usatoday.com/educate/careers/careers.htm</p>