


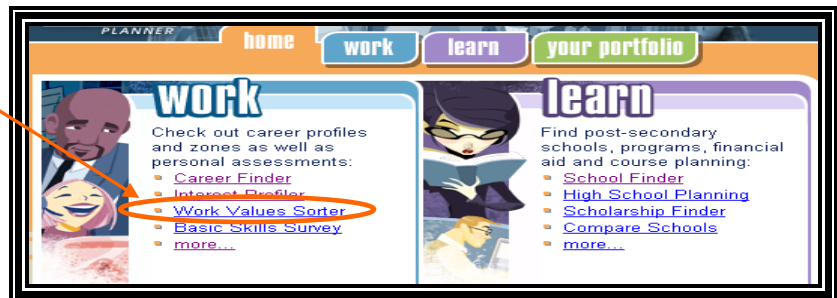
# Work Values Sorter

**Learn about yourself!** The more you know about what kind of work you like, the better chance you have of finding the perfect career. Look at the list of work values below, read the description for each. Think about which are more important to you. Which do you think would be most important to an employer?

- **Abilities** - you have the opportunity to use your talents and abilities in your work.
- **Advancement** - you get raises and promotions.
- **Direct others** - you are in a position of authority and will tell other workers what to do.
- **Co-workers** - the people that you work with are pleasant and easy to get along with.
- **Creativity** - you get the chance to try out your own ideas.
- **Work alone** - you won't be interrupted by others as you complete your tasks.
- **Make decisions** - you are responsible for identifying solutions and making the choices.
- **Help people** - your work involves giving direction and instruction to others.
- **Job security** - you are assured that your job will be there as long as you want it.
- **Variety** - you do many different kinds of tasks.

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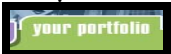
Click on: [Work Values Sorter](#). The goal of this assessment is to find your work values and help you match them to career options.



Click on [Start Ranking Your Values](#).

When you have finished **ranking** your values, click on [Continue to Work Values Profile](#) and you will be provided with a report about **Your Top Work Values**.

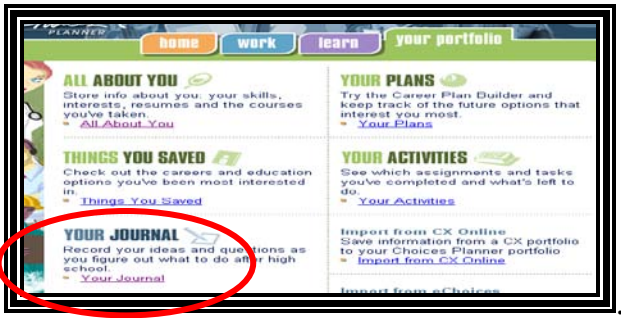
- Read this report (it may also be printed.)
- When you have finished, click on [View Careers Matching Your Work Values](#).
- Read about the careers on your list.

When you are finished, answer the questions on the next page in the  section of .



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Answer the following questions in  or on this page. (Return to All About You to find the answers.)

List and define your top two work values. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Write 3-4 sentences about why you think these work values are true about your personality. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Choose 2 careers from your list.

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Briefly describe what a person does in each career. \_\_\_\_\_  
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For each career write about why the careers you chose are good matches for your top work values. Use examples from your top work values list to support your decisions. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Think about if you were hiring someone to work at your business, what would be most important to you? Explain why. \_\_\_\_\_  
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