

# Educational and Career Websites

**ACT** – Information for parents, students, and educators on taking the ACT. [www.act.org](http://www.act.org)

**Bureau of Labor Statistics** – Use the AZ index to find information on hundreds of careers. [www.bls.gov](http://www.bls.gov)

**Career and College Choice** – [www.educationplanner.org](http://www.educationplanner.org)

**Career Info** – Searchable collection of hundreds of career reports written by professionals who are actually doing the job. [www.insidecareerinfo.com](http://www.insidecareerinfo.com)

**Career Key** – Career choices, career changes, and career planning, job search, and choosing a college major or training program. [www.careerkey.org](http://www.careerkey.org)

**Career Zone** – Information on over 800 occupations from the O\*NET database with the latest labor market information from the Department of Labor. [www.careerzone.ny.gov](http://www.careerzone.ny.gov)

**Factmonster.com** – Free reference site for students, teachers, and parents. Get homework help and find facts on thousands of subjects. [www.factmonster.com](http://www.factmonster.com)

**Math Careers** – Look at over 90 math careers. [www.ams.org/careers](http://www.ams.org/careers)

**Math in Daily Life** – A site that will show just how much we do need math for day-to-day life. [www.learner.org/exhibits/dailymath/](http://www.learner.org/exhibits/dailymath/)

**MyNextMove.com** – Interactive US Department of Labor site designed to help students explore knowledge, skills, and abilities required by various types of occupations. [www.mynextmove.org](http://www.mynextmove.org)

**Personality Page** – Helps to assess your personality types – great for parents or students. [www.personalitypage.com](http://www.personalitypage.com)

**RUReady.ND.gov** – An online education and career information delivery system designed to help individuals achieve academic and career success. [www.RUReady.ND.gov](http://www.RUReady.ND.gov)

**Temperament** – Different Drums, Different People – helps youth and adults to assess their temperaments. [www.keirsev.com](http://www.keirsev.com)

**TheArtCareerProject.com** – Explore careers in art. Includes education and employment information for nearly every type of art and career you can imagine. [www.theartcareerproject.com](http://www.theartcareerproject.com)

## Education and Training

**Job Corps** – Job Corps provides youth ages 16 to 24 with integrated academic, vocational and social skills training they need to get long-term quality employment. [www.jobcorps.gov](http://www.jobcorps.gov)

**North Dakota University System** – [www.ndus.edu](http://www.ndus.edu)

**Moodle** – A free open-source web application designed to help educators create effective online learning sites. [www.moodle.org](http://www.moodle.org)

## Financial Aid

**Fast WEB** – The “Internet’s largest, free online scholarship search.” [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)

**Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)** – A federal form used to determine eligibility for federal loans and other federal financial aid. [www.fafsa.ed.gov/](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/)

**Mach 25 Scholarship Search** – Listings of more than 500,000 private sector awards. [www.collegenet.com/mach25/](http://www.collegenet.com/mach25/)

**Student Loans of ND** – SLND offers a variety of loan programs to help students and parents finance a college education. <https://slnd.nd.gov/>

## Job Market

**CareerOneStop** – Find jobs, explore career paths, learn which jobs are hot and get job search tips. [www.careeronestop.org](http://www.careeronestop.org)

**CareerOutlook.US** – Obtain and sort various career data/Labor Market Information. [www.careeroutlook.us](http://www.careeroutlook.us)

**Occupational Outlook Handbook** – Most complete source of information on occupations and employment outlook for the U.S. [www.bls.gov/oco](http://www.bls.gov/oco)

**O-Net** – Get occupational information on over 950 careers and match your skills to an occupation. [www.online.onetcenter.org](http://www.online.onetcenter.org)

## Job Seeking

**Career Builder** – Online job listings [www.careerbuilder.com](http://www.careerbuilder.com)

**Job Bank** – Provides employment and resume information. [www.jobbankusa.com](http://www.jobbankusa.com)

**Job Service North Dakota** – provides customer-focused services to meet the current and emerging workforce needs of the state. [www.jobsnd.com](http://www.jobsnd.com)

**Kaplan Career Centre** – Offers assistance in preparing for standardized tests, some great advice on how to find a job, write a resume or cover letter, and survive a job interview. [www.kaplan.com](http://www.kaplan.com)

## Military & Public Service

**ASVAB Program** – Explore civilian and military occupations. [www.asvabprogram.com](http://www.asvabprogram.com)

**Military Careers** – Information resource for the military world of work. [www.todaysmilitary.com](http://www.todaysmilitary.com)

## Other!

**Department of Career and Technical Education** – Provides all North Dakota citizens with the technical skills, knowledge, and attitudes necessary for successful performance in a globally competitive workplace. [www.nd.gov/cte](http://www.nd.gov/cte)

**Department of Public Instruction** – Ensures a uniform, statewide system for effective learning. [www.nd.gov/dpi](http://www.nd.gov/dpi)

**Department of Labor** – The US Department of Labor directs workers to training and employment services. [www.doleta.gov](http://www.doleta.gov)

**Marketplace for Kids** – A unique educational program offering encouragement for developing young entrepreneurs. [www.marketplaceforkids.org](http://www.marketplaceforkids.org)

**ND Adult Education and Literacy** – Educational opportunities for individuals over 16 who need services or instruction below the postsecondary level. [www.nd.gov/dpi/SchoolStaff/AdultEd/](http://www.nd.gov/dpi/SchoolStaff/AdultEd/)

**ND Workforce Development Council** – monitors local, regional and national workforce initiatives and the development and implementation of the State’s Talent and Intelligence coordination activities. [www.workforce.nd.gov](http://www.workforce.nd.gov)

**North Dakota Career Resource Network** – Develops and provides career planning resources and training. [www.nd.gov/cte/crn](http://www.nd.gov/cte/crn)

**North Dakota Department of Commerce** – Charged with coordinating and focusing the state’s economic development resources. <http://www.commerce.nd.gov/>

**North Dakota Department of Labor** – Enforces North Dakota labor and human rights laws and educates the public about those laws. [www.nd.gov/labor](http://www.nd.gov/labor)

**Bureau of Labor Statistics Career Outlook** – Articles provide data and information on a variety of topics—including occupations and industries, pay and benefits, and more. These articles are helpful for students, career counselors, jobseekers, and others planning careers. <http://www.bls.gov/careeroutlook>

**North Dakota Government** – Official portal for North Dakota state government. [www.nd.gov](http://www.nd.gov)

**Toastmasters International** – The place to go to improve your communication skills. [www.toastmasters.org](http://www.toastmasters.org)

**Vocational Information Center** – Comprehensive listing of Career and Technical web resources. <http://khake.com>