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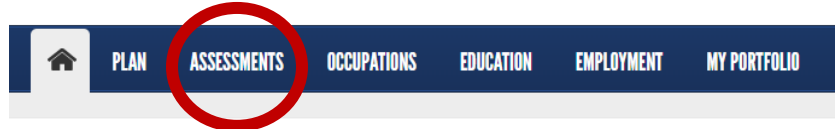
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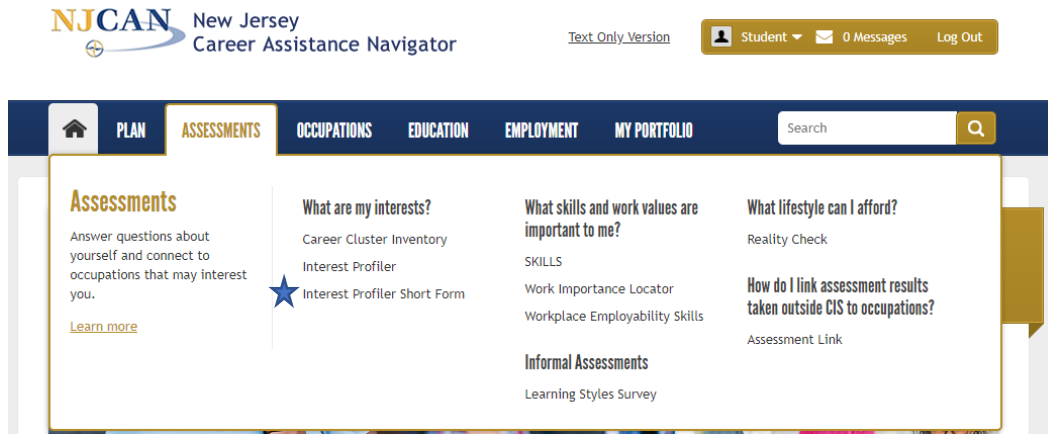
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- Hover over the menu bar at the word "Assessment":



- Choose "Interest Profiler Short Form"



*The Short Form is similar to the Interest Profiler but takes less time to complete and offers more detailed answer options, which is why we recommend using that one over the longer option.*

- You will be presented with 60 activities and asked to rate each one with either "Strongly Like" "Like" "Unsure" "Dislike" or "Strongly Dislike". Go with your gut! Don't overanalyze each activity, but you should utilize the "Strongly Like" and "Strongly Dislike" where appropriate to ensure you get the most accurate results.
- Once you've rated all the activities, click "Results"

## INTEREST PROFILER SHORT FORM

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### Using Your Interests to Explore Occupations

You can use your interests to explore careers. Interests are good to use because you probably will find that occupations that meet your interests will be more satisfying and rewarding for you than occupations that don't meet your interests.

Remember, though, that interests are just some of the information that you can use to explore careers. Other useful information about yourself: your abilities, work values, experience, education, and motivation are also important in exploring careers. The more aspects of yourself that you use to explore careers, the better chance you have of finding satisfying work.

You can think of the occupational interests as your liking or preference for certain work activities. The Interest Profiler measures interests in each of six Interest Areas described below. Read over the definitions to get a better understanding of your occupational interests.

The links for each Interest Area will display a list of occupations that match that interest. You can then use the occupation links to learn more about the occupation.

#### Social

Your Score : 31

People with social interests like work activities that assist others and promote learning and personal development. They prefer to communicate more than to work with objects, machines, or data. They like to teach, to give advice, to help, or otherwise be of service to people.

#### Artistic

Your Score : 24

People with artistic interests like work activities that deal with the artistic side of things, such as forms, designs, and patterns. They like self-expression in their work. They prefer settings where work can be done without following a clear set of rules.

Your Results screen shows you your Personality Type (Social, Artistic, etc.), with a score, ranked in order from highest to lowest. Typically, you should focus on the area in which you have the highest score, but if your top two are close in score, you should review both categories.

- Click on the Personality Type (Social, Artistic, etc.) to see the job titles, organized by Career Cluster, that are a strong match for your Personality Type.

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#### List Currently Ordered by Cluster

Order by Cluster    Order by Title    Order by Selected: 1st  2nd

Cluster	Education Level	Wages	Green	STEM
<b>Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources</b>				
<a href="#">Animal Caretakers</a>	A few hours to 3 months	\$23,960	No	No
<b>Business Management and Administration</b>				
<a href="#">Employee Training Specialists</a>	4 years	\$73,280	Yes	No
<b>Education and Training</b>				
<a href="#">Adult and Vocational Education Teachers</a>	4 years	\$51,410 - \$92,380	No	Yes
<a href="#">Coaches and Scouts</a>	4 years	\$45,550	No	No
<a href="#">Education Administrators</a>	5 or more years	\$60,960 - \$126,440	No	No
<a href="#">Elementary School Teachers</a>	4 years	\$67,160	No	No
<a href="#">Farm and Home Management Advisors</a>	5 or more years	\$80,720	No	No
<a href="#">High School Teachers</a>	4 years	\$67,310 - \$74,700	No	No
<a href="#">Instructional Coordinators</a>	5 or more years	\$76,510	No	No
<a href="#">Middle School Teachers</a>	4 years	\$69,710	No	No
<a href="#">Preschool and Kindergarten Teachers</a>	2 to 3 years	\$33,430 - \$63,640	No	No
<a href="#">School Counselors</a>	5 or more years	\$69,090	No	No
<a href="#">Special Education Teachers</a>	4 years	\$64,080 - \$73,820	No	No
<a href="#">Teacher Aides</a>	A few hours to 3 months	\$27,190	No	No
<b>Finance</b>				
<a href="#">Financial Counselors</a>	4 years	\$107,250	Yes	No

## EMPLOYEE TRAINING SPECIALISTS

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### At a Glance

Employee training specialists plan and organize instructional activities.

Quick Facts: Employee Training Specialists	
Wages	Earn \$73,280 per year
Employment	Large occupation
10 Year Growth	Faster than average
Annual Openings	High

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#### Preparation

An employee training specialist typically needs to:

- have a high school diploma or equivalent
- have a bachelor's degree
- have one to five years of related work experience

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#### Working Conditions

In a typical work setting, employee training specialists:

- Have a medium to high level of social contact. They spend most of the time working with other employees.
- Work near other people, but have a few feet of space separating self from others.
- Must fully complete and be exact in their work so that employees are well-trained.
- Usually work 40 hours per week.

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#### Wages

In New Jersey, employee training specialists earn a median wage of \$73,280 per year.

	\$0	\$50	\$100	\$150	\$200
New Jersey					

5 amounts are in thousands of dollars.

Depending on your score, you may see a number of job titles that are listed as potential career options. It can be overwhelming but put your focus on the Career Clusters or industries where you have a number of job titles. In the example to the left, Education and Training has many more job titles listed than Business or Agriculture, so spend more time reviewing those opportunities.

You can also Compare two careers side-by-side to better help you make decisions on your career choice.

\*Helpful tip. Print out this page with the list of job titles and cross out the ones that you know you are not interested in pursuing. That way you narrow down your results and can focus on the careers that you are either interested in or wish to learn more about.

When you click on a job title that you are interested in, you can learn a wealth of information about that career. Go through the menu bar on the left to learn about job tasks, common work activities and skills, working conditions (including hours/travel/typical schedule), preparation (education and training) and more. Under the section "Related Information" you can view *Occupations*, which are similar but different, and the *Programs of Study*, which is the majors that you should pursue in order to best prepare yourself for that career. Once you find a career that you like, you can Save it and record notes as to what you like about that career. The salary information that is listed is the average salary in NJ for everyone with that job title – not entry level salary.

*It may take some time to go through your results and narrow down your career options. If you have any questions, need assistance, or if you would like to further discuss a few options in more detail to help you make your final decision, contact the Career Services [careerservices@ucc.edu](mailto:careerservices@ucc.edu)*