

11TH GRADE CAREER ZONE ACTIVITY (Spring)



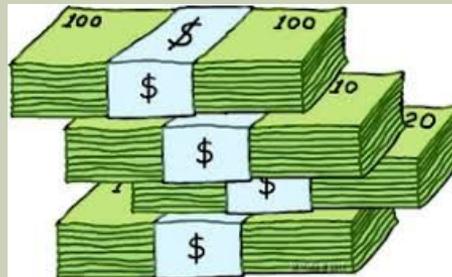
Making
Money
Choices:
Choose your
Lifestyle

OBJECTIVE

- In this lesson, students will learn the importance of understanding how much money you will have available to spend on different aspects of your life
- Students will:
 - Learn the basics of managing a budget
 - Identify what is important to them in terms of “Lifestyle”
 - Explore Careers that can financially support that lifestyle

Managing your Money Choices

- **Class Discussion: Is it important to consider how much money you will make in your future career? Why or why not?**
- **Is it important to consider your lifestyle and how that can affect your future career choice?**
- **Compare the following careers:**
 - Nurse
 - X-Ray Technician
 - Cashier
- **How much money do you think each make in comparison to the other? How will their salary impact their “Money Lifestyle”?**



LOGGING ON TO CAREER ZONE

- Students need to go to the following link to gain access to Career Zone:
<https://rowland.cacareerzone.org/signin>
- They will then click on the **BLUE** button that says: “**Sign In with Clever**”
- It will prompt students to “**Log In with Google**”. Have them sign in using their Google student accounts.
- Students will be prompted to “merge accounts” if they previously had a Career Zone account. You can have them click “Skip this step”



Google Accounts Login Info

- ▶ If students have never logged into Google:
Student Name: John Rowland
- ▶ **Username:** s+ 10 digit ID number@ stu.rowlandschools.org
(ex: s100000000@stu.rowlandschools.org)
- ▶ **Default Password:** Capitalize first letter of first name, lower case first letter of last name and 5 digit ID number
(ex: Jr12345)
- ▶ Forgotten passwords/Tech problems please call ext 3142 (Tech support)

Making Money Choices

- Once logged in please click on the tab at the top of the page called “**Grow**”
- In the dropdown options find the category titled: **Budget- Make Money Choices**
- Next, scroll down to get started. Select the Choose your lifestyle option by clicking on “**Budget how much you’ll need**”.



Making Money Choices Cont...

- You will be asked a series of questions to help you determine the lifestyle you want to lead and how much it will cost you
- When you are finished you can look at occupations that might support that lifestyle by clicking on the **Green “View Occupations”** Button at the bottom.
- Explore careers and save at least 3 careers to your profile by clicking on
- If students finish early they can go to Fastweb.com to create a scholarship profile page to help them with scholarships and managing their money choices for the future.



LOGGING OFF

- Once students complete their Make Money Choices Budget and save 3 careers they are done with this activity.
- Please make sure all students log out of their Career Zone accounts and their chromebooks.

