

ABILITY EXPLORER, 2nd Edition

Ability Explorer, 2nd Edition ranks a student's strengths in the 14 abilities relevant to today's workplace and suggests related careers to consider, activities to explore, and courses to take. Nationally standardized and linked to the *Occupational Outlook Handbook* and other career development tools, this 140-question battery provides the foundation for informed career and educational planning. You can even compare a student's self-rating for ability with past performance in courses and activities related to the ability.

Areas Assessed: Abilities

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Middle school to adult / Grade 8

Norms: Normed on over 8,000 people and has been tested and used in many states and settings

Average Time to Administer/Format: 30 - 45 minutes / Paper and pencil; Individual or group

Scoring Options: Hand-scorable, machine scorable assessment booklets

Languages: English, Spanish

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *Guide for Occupational Exploration* (GOE)

Price: Booklets (25) \$42.95 JA3006
Other options available

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CAREER ABILITY PLACEMENT SURVEY (CAPS)

The *Career Ability Placement Survey* is a comprehensive, multi-dimensional battery designed to measure vocationally relevant abilities. Each of the eight ability dimensions is keyed to entry requirements for the majority of occupations in each of the 14 COPSsystem Career Clusters. CAPS scores are interpreted in terms of examinees' abilities relative to others at the same educational level. Scores are also interpreted in terms of each of the 14 COPSsystem Career Clusters. Examinees learn which occupational areas are most suited to their present abilities and which areas might require a bit more training if examinees are interested in pursuing related occupations.

Areas Assessed: Abilities, aptitudes

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Middle school, senior high, college and adults / Grade 7

Norms: Eighth through twelfth grades, college

Average Time to Administer/Format: 5 minutes for each of the eight tests; 50 minutes to complete the entire battery with the *CAPS Administration Tape*/ Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scoring in 15 – 20 minutes; Machine-scoring by ERAS; Local machine-scoring with the IRIS on-site scoring software

Languages: English, Spanish

Compatible Assessments: COPS Interest Inventory, COPES work values survey

Recommended Support Material: *CAPS Examiner's Manual, Technical Manual, Visuals, Administration Tape, COPSsystem Career Briefs Kit, Career Cluster Booklets Kit, and Occupational Briefs* on CD-ROM

Price: CAPS Self-Scoring Booklets – contains all 8 tests (25)	\$93.50	CAP-AHS-025
CAPS Self-Interpretation Profile & Guides (25)	\$15.75	CAP-PRG-025
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THE CAREER & LIFE EXPLORER, 2nd Edition

The *Career & Life Explorer, 2nd Edition* is designed to help young people think about their futures in positive ways. It is designed to fully engage youths in planning their futures by asking them to explore aspects of their lives in a structured way, such as what their values are, what they do well, and what sort of work environment they prefer. It requires them to make decisions about one interest over another. It teaches them to think about their career and life options from multiple perspectives, and always with an eye to building a positive and successful future. It teaches them to define what they want and can do well and then discover possibilities that would be a good match.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Grades 6 through 10

Norms: The *CLE* is not a formal psychological instrument and is not intended to be used as a formal personality or interest inventory; nor should results from the *CLE* be interpreted as such. It was designed and intended as a career exploration and learning tool. Its framework, however, is based on a variety of well-established career counseling and information concepts and sources.

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 30 - 40 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored and interpreted

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material:

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THE CAREER EXPLORATION INVENTORY (CEI), 3rd Edition

Using *The Career Exploration Inventory, 3rd Edition*, students and adults can explore and plan three major areas of their life—work, leisure activities, and learning. Individuals reflect on 128 activities and consider their past, present, and future interest in them. Scores connect to 16 career interest areas with related jobs, education and training options, and leisure activities listed for each interest area. Additional information helps students, job seekers, and others focus on their top interest areas as they ponder their future plans.

The *CEI* is a career interest inventory with career information and career planning guidance in one foldout format. It cross-references major print and online career resources for further research. It is easy to read, self-scoring, self-interpreting, and backed by strong validity. This new edition includes explanations and steps that have been streamlined and modified for even easier use, based on the author's experience with job seekers and students in both classroom and counseling settings. Activity statements have been updated, reorganized, and added to match new interest areas. These new career interest areas also match the *New Guide for Occupational Exploration*.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: High school to adult / Grade 8

Norms: Reviewers comment that the inventory has an attractive format and that it is easy to follow. They caution that it lacks technical data and is best used in an exploratory context rather than for making high stakes career decisions.

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 30 –45 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored and interpreted

Languages: English and Spanish

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *Professional Manual for the Career Exploration Inventory*, Second Edition

Price: Booklets (25) \$39.95 JA2964

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THE CAREER EXPLORATION INVENTORY EZ (CEI-EZ)

The Career Exploration Inventory EZ is a quick way for individuals to explore three major areas of life – work, leisure activities, and learning. Examining these major areas can lead to a more successful career and a more fulfilling life. Based on the *Career Exploration Inventory, Third Edition*, the *Career Exploration Inventory EZ* is an assessment for teachers and counselors who need to spend less administration time and for individuals who appreciate an easier-to-read format. Individuals reflect on 96 activities and consider their past, present, and future interest in them. Scores connect to 16 career interest areas based on the U.S. Department of Education career clusters. Related jobs, education and training options, and leisure activities are listed for each interest area. Additional information helps students and job seekers focus on their top interest areas as they ponder their future plans.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: High school to adult

Norms: The assessment items were normed on employed and unemployed adults aged 18 to 73

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 20 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored and interpreted

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material:

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COPS INTEREST INVENTORY (COPS)

The *COPS Interest Inventory* consists of 168 items, providing job activity interest scores related to the 14 COPS System Career Clusters. Each Cluster is keyed to high school and college curriculum, as well as current sources of occupational information. The COPS interpretive material emphasizes a “hands-on” approach to career exploration, featuring career educational planning worksheets, along with a listing of suggested activities to gain experience.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Seventh grade through high school; college; adult

Norms: High school and college

Average Time to Administer/Format: 20 - 30 minutes/ Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scoring in 15 – 20 minutes; machine scoring by ERAS

Languages: English and Spanish

Compatible Assessments: CAPS ability battery; COPES work values survey

Recommended Support Material: *COPS Examiner’s Manual; Technical Manual; Visuals; Career Briefs Kit; Career Cluster Booklets Kit; Leader’s Guide and Guidebook; Occupational Briefs on CD-ROM*

Price: COPS Self-Scoring Booklets (25)	\$16.25	COP-AHS-025
Self-Interpretation Profile and Guides (25)	\$15.75	COP-PRG-025-H or C
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COPS INTEREST INVENTORY FORM R (COPS-R)

The *COPS Form R* provides complete interest assessment and interpretation in a single, easy-to-use booklet. Scores reference the 14 COPSsystem Career Clusters, which are keyed to high school and college curriculum as well as up-to-date sources of occupational information.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Middle school, senior high, college and adults / Grade 6

Norms: Single norm sample; Grades sixth through twelfth

Average Time to Administer/Format: 20 minutes/ Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scoring in 15 – 20 minutes; Machine-scoring by ERAS

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments: CAPS ability battery; COPES work values survey

Recommended Support Material: COPS-R *Examiner's Manual*, *Technical Manual*, *Visuals*, *COPSsystem Career Briefs Kit*, *Career Cluster Booklets Kit*, and *Occupational Briefs* on CD-ROM

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COPS INTERMEDIATE INVENTORY (COPS II)

The *COPS Intermediate Inventory* provides a measure of interests based on knowledge of school subjects and activities common to students in the fourth grade and up. Along with the inventory, each COPS II booklet contains scoring instructions and interpretive information. This interpretive information includes Cluster descriptions and sample occupations for each Cluster, in addition to relevant classes and practical suggestions for gaining experience.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Fourth grade through high school

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/Format: 20 - 30 minutes/ Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scoring in 15 – 20 minutes

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments: CAPS ability battery; COPES work values survey

Recommended Support Material: *COPS II Manual; Visuals; COPSsystem Pocket Charts; Wall Charts; Career Briefs Kit; Career Cluster Booklets Kit*

Price: COPS II Booklet and Interpretation Guide Self-Scoring (25) \$32.25 CP2-AHS-025
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EXPLORER: THE CAREER GAME

Explorer Career Game combines *The Career Game* and *Red Hot Jobs* into a single easy to read workbook. *The Career Game* is a color-coded interest inventory and more! It is written in a contemporary style. *The Red Hot Jobs* follows *The Career Game* workbook by color-matching interest scores to the *Occupational Outlook Handbook*. Simple self-scoring technique can be efficiently presented to large groups within extreme time limitations.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Grades 5 - 9

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/Format: Paper and pencil; individual and group

Scoring Options:

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material:

Price: 1-99	\$1.59 each	RT4670
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THE GUIDE FOR OCCUPATIONAL EXPLORATION INTEREST INVENTORY (GOE), 2nd Edition

The *Guide for Occupational Exploration Interest Inventory, 2nd Edition* helps workers and students clarify interests that lead to occupations most likely to include the interests. The revised inventory is organized around the 14 career interest areas found in the recently revised *Guide for Occupational Exploration*. It uses an intuitive, direct approach to identify career interests.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Middle school to adult / Grade 8

Norms: The *GOE Interest Inventory* is based on research by the US Department of Labor that was first presented in a book titled the *Guide for Occupational Exploration (GOE)*. An enormous amount of research and field experience went into making the GOE an easy-to-use and valid method for exploring career options.

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 5 - 10 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored and self-interpreting fold out booklet

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material:

Price: Booklets (25) \$32.95 JA8574

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JOB-0 ELEMENTARY (JOB-O E)

JOB-O Elementary, 3rd Edition is a self-assessed career planning program providing students with the opportunity to become aware of the various job interest groups. Students will explore their level of interest in different activities, and begin their introduction to a few of the careers in those interest groups. Follow up activities in the answer folder encourage the student to look closely at their interests and abilities, and give some guidance on researching careers of interest.

Areas Assessed: Interest

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Fourth to sixth grade

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/Format: 45 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scoring assessment booklets

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *JOB-O Dictionary, 2nd Edition*

Price: JOB-O E 3 rd Edition Assessment Booklets (10-99 ea)	\$3.36	JOELEMKITW
JOB-O E 3 rd Edition Answer Folder (10-99 ea)	\$.50	JOELEMAFW

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JOB-O 2000+

JOB-O 2000+ is a self-scored career interest assessment program. The answer folder contains information on 120 of the fastest growing occupations, with a listing of approximately 1,000 related jobs. The information provided is vital for accurate career decision-making. Those completing this program will be able to: match their interests with education and training levels, examine career preparation options, identify tentative career choices and develop educational plans to meet their career goals. The occupational titles are listed in alphabetical order, along with current job growth projections and statistics regarding earnings and number of persons employed in that occupation.

Areas Assessed: Interest

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Seventh grade to adult

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/Format: 45 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scoring assessment booklets

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments: *JOB-O Enhanced; JOB-O Advanced*

Recommended Support Material:

Price: JOB-O 2000+ Assessment Booklets (10-99 ea)	\$3.36	184W
JOB-O 2000+ Answer Folder (10-99 ea)	\$.50	185W 2000+

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O*NET CAREER INTEREST INVENTORY

The *O*Net Career Interest Inventory, 2nd Edition* is a self-directed career exploration assessment that helps workers and students identify their work-related interests, what they consider important on the job, and their abilities in order to explore occupations related most closely. Test-takers indicate whether they like or dislike 180 various activities and then score their responses. Their scores identify career areas that match their interests and pinpoint specific jobs to explore. The *Second Edition* of the *O*NET Interest Inventory* features streamlined instructions, an updated list of resources, an improved job information worksheet, and job titles drawn directly from the latest version of the O*NET.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: High school to adult / Grade 9

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 30 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored and interpreted

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material:

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SELF-DIRECTED SEARCH CAREER EXPLORER (SDS)

The *Self-Directed Search Career Explorer* was designed in response to the need for a career assessment instrument appropriate for individuals in a junior-high and middle school setting. The *Career Explorer* provides a self-administered assessment of a student's career interests. Students answer questions about their occupational aspirations or daydreams, then assess their preferences for activities, skills, and careers and estimate their abilities in each of 6 areas based on John Holland's RIASEC theory. The resulting 2-letter Summary Code can be compared to a listing of over 400 jobs in the *Careers Booklet* that provides information about required education levels as well as additional resources for further career exploration.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Middle school

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 30 – 45 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored and interpreted; Computer software available

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *SDS Professional User's Guide*; *SDS Technical Manual*; *SDS Career Explorer Exploring your Future with the SDS Booklets*; *SDS Career Explorer Interpretive Report (V.1) – 3.5" disk*; *Educational Opportunities Finder*; *Dictionary of Holland Occupational Codes (DHOC)*, 3rd Edition; *Making Vocational Choices*, 3rd Edition

Price: Assessment Booklets (35)	\$56.00	SDS21
SDS Career Explorer Careers Booklet (35)	\$56.00	SDS22
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SELF-DIRECTED SEARCH FORM E (SDS), 4th Edition

The *Self-Directed Search Form E* includes uncomplicated questions about individuals' likes and dislikes, their competencies, the jobs they find interesting, and their personal abilities. After answering the question, individuals derive a 2-letter summary code using a simplified scoring system. With this code, they search *Jobs Finder* for jobs with matching or similar codes.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Middle school to adult with limited reading skills / Grade 4

Norms: Initial data collection in the 1970s and updated information in 1985 and 1996. Recent sample included 521 females and 297 males from the USA. Reviewers indicate that the SDS is a popular, well-established, excellent interest instrument.

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 35 – 45 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored and interpreted; Computer software available

Languages: English and Spanish

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *SDS Professional User's Guide*; *SDS Technical Manual*; *SDS Form E You and Your Job Booklets*; *Educational Opportunities Finder*; *Making Vocational Choices*, 3rd Edition; *SDS Form E Audiotape*

Price: Assessment Booklets (25)	\$36.00	SDS9
SDS Form E Job Finders (25)	\$36.00	SDS8
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TRANSITION-TO-WORK INVENTORY (TWI)

The *Transition-to-Work Inventory* is designed to meet the need for a brief assessment instrument to measure a person's leisure interests in order to help him or her turn these interests into possible employment opportunities in a full- or part-time job, small business enterprise, or home based business. An assumption underlying the development of the *TWI* is that many individuals discover new talents and skills from their participation in leisure activities and that these skills often lead to new jobs and self-employment opportunities. The *TWI* has been designed for easy use. It is simple to take and can be easily scored and interpreted. Each *TWI* inventory booklet contains 84 leisure-related items, scoring directions, interpretation guide, exploration guide, and career-planning guide. Each of the items has been correlated with the 14 interest areas identified in the Guide for Occupational Exploration (GOE).

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: High school to adult/Grade 7

Norms: Tested on more than 100 individuals

Average Time to Administer/Format: 25 minutes / Paper and pencil; Individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-administered; Self-scored

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material:

Price: Booklets (25) \$37.95 JA0759

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COPS PICTURE INVENTORY OF CAREERS (COPS-PIC)

The *COPS Picture Inventory of Careers* illustrates a variety of occupational activities, using realistic pictures of people in non-stereotyped roles. This form of the COPS was designed to help assess younger students, students with reading or language difficulties, and individuals with low academic or career motivation. Scores are keyed to the 14 COPSsystem Career Clusters and provide access to information about thousands of occupations.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Elementary through high school and adult

Norms: Seventh through twelfth grades

Average Time to Administer/Format: 30 minutes/ Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Hand-scoring with *Hand-Scoring Keys* in 15 – 20 minutes; machine scoring by ERAS

Languages: English and Spanish

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *COPS-PIC Manual*; *COPSsystem Wall Charts*; *Pocket Charts*; *Career Briefs Kit*; *Career Cluster Booklets Kit*

Price: COPS-PIC Booklet, Answer Sheet and Interpretation Profile and Guide (25)

	\$36.50	CPC-AMS-025
COPS-PIC Hand-Scoring Keys	\$28.25	CPC-KEY
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PICTURE INTEREST CAREER SURVEY (PICS)

The *Picture Interest Career Survey* is a quick way for people to identify occupational interests by using pictures of people at work rather than text-based items. Test takers are presented with 36 sets of 3 pictures and choose which of the three portrayed occupations seems most interesting. Based on the number and kind of pictures selected, PICS creates a profile of the individual which then can lead directly to career information and potential job matches.

Areas Assessed: Interests

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Middle school to high school/Ages 10 - 65

Norms: Tested on a wide variety of populations with solid reliability and validity

Average Time to Administer/Format: 15 minutes / Paper and pencil; Individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored

Languages: N/A

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material:

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READING-FREE VOCATIONAL INTEREST INVENTORY (R-FVII: 2), 2nd Edition

Reading-Free Vocational Interest Inventory, 2nd Edition is designed as a non-reading vocational preference test to aid curriculum planning, vocational counseling and job placement of persons with cognitive and learning disabilities. The inventory provides systematic information on the range of interest patterns of the student. The test booklet contains revised illustrations assessing 11 interest clusters, scoring and individual profile sheets for graphic representation of the individual's vocational interests.

Areas Assessed: Interest

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Individuals with cognitive and learning disabilities from age 13 to adult

Norms: Manual contains norms and correlations updated for the year 2000, along with descriptive profile patterns of actual examinees on the 16 scales

Average Time to Administer/Format: 20 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scoring assessment booklets

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *Occupational Titles Lists*

Price: Test Booklets (20)	\$38.00	WW-4418-TB
Manual	\$49.00	WW-4417-TM
Occupational Title Lists	\$33.00	WW-4419-BK
Kit (incl. 2 man, 20 booklets, occup title list)	\$120.00	WW-4416-KT

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VOCATIONAL DECISION-MAKING INTERVIEW (VDMI), Revised Edition

The *Vocational Decision-Making Interview, Revised Edition* was designed specifically to improve the vocational decision making of people with learning and other disabilities. The format is a structured interview for the counselor or teacher to use that explores the readiness to make vocational decisions based on occupational knowledge and decision-making skills; desire to obtain work and motivation to make a vocational decision; and knowledge and self perception including interests, abilities, and needs.

Areas Assessed: Interest

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Seventh grade to adult / Non readers

Norms: Tool users report becoming more aware of their skills, aware of occupations not previously considered, learning of previously overlooked educational options and finding LOCS helpful in their career decision making.

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 20 – 40 minutes to administer and score / Counselor or teacher administers; individual

Scoring Options: Test administer records and scores

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *Vocational Decision-Making Interview Administration Manual*, Revised Edition

Price: Interview Booklets (10) (OUT OF PRINT)

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CAREER DECISION-MAKING SYSTEM LEVEL 1 (CDM), Revised

The *Career Decision-Making System Level 1, Revised* self-assesses students and adults abilities, work values, school subject preferences, and interests. Users are able to match abilities, interests, and values to possible career options, identify occupational interests, and acquire specifics about education and training requirements. CDM then suggests career clusters that feature action steps and career exploration resources.

Areas Assessed: Work values, interests, and abilities

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Middle school / Grade 4

Norms: English Canadian norms were developed in 1983-4 using 2,113 male and female students in 24 schools and 2 colleges in 6 provinces. French Canadian norms were developed on 559 students in 6 schools in New Brunswick. Reviewers describe this test as well developed and researched.

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 30 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored; self-interpreted

Languages: English and Spanish

Compatible Assessments: CDM Software for Windows or Macintosh

Recommended Support Material: *Tour of Your Tomorrow* Career Videos; *CDM 2000 Manual*

Price: Booklets/Directions (25) \$64.00 AC12570
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CAREER DECISION-MAKING SYSTEM LEVEL 2 (CDM), Revised

The *Career Decision-Making System Level 2, Revised* self-assesses students and adults abilities, work values, school subject preferences, and interests. Users are able to match abilities, interests, and values to possible career options, identify occupational interests, and acquire specifics about education and training requirements. CDM then suggests career clusters that feature action steps and career exploration resources.

Areas Assessed: Work values, interests, and abilities

Target Client Range/Reading Level: High school to adult / Grade 7

Norms: English Canadian norms were developed in 1983-4 using 2,113 male and female students in 24 schools and 2 colleges in 6 provinces. French Canadian norms were developed on 559 students in 6 schools in New Brunswick. Reviewers describe this test as well developed and researched.

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 45 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored; self-interpreted

Languages: English and Spanish

Compatible Assessments: CDM Software for Windows or Macintosh

Recommended Support Material: *Tour of Your Tomorrow* Career Videos; *CDM 2000 Manual*

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CAREER ORIENTATION PLACEMENT AND EVALUATION SURVEY (COPES)

Personal values play an important part in occupational selection and job satisfaction. *The Career Orientation Placement and Evaluation Survey* provides a measure of values to supplement programs in educational and industrial career counseling. COPES scores are keyed to the 14 COPSsystem Career Clusters and examinees will discover which occupational areas match their personal values.

Areas Assessed: Work values

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Middle school, high school, college and adult / Grade 7

Norms: High school/college combined

Average Time to Administer/Format: 30 – 40 minutes / Pencil and paper; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scoring in 15 – 20 minutes; Machine-scoring by ERAS; Local machine-scoring with the IRIS on-site scoring software

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments: COPS Interest Inventory, CAPS ability battery

Recommended Support Material: COPES *Examiner's Manual*, *Visuals*, COPSsystem *Career Briefs Kit*, *Career Cluster Booklets Kit*

Price: COPES Self-Scoring Booklets (25)	\$16.25	CPE-AHS-025
COPES Profile and Guide (25)	\$ 6.25	CPE-PRG-025
Other options available		

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O*NET CAREER VALUES INVENTORY, 2nd Edition

The *O*Net Values Inventory, 2nd Edition* helps individuals explore over 900 O*NET job titles based on their work values and motivators. Unlike the first edition of the Values Inventory which used a card sort to explore work values, the new edition uses an easier forced-choice method. Consisting of only 36 items and taking less than 20 minutes to complete, this method provides accurate results in less time, as well as simplifies administration and scoring. Once individuals have identified their most important work values, the inventory guides them to match their results to potential careers organized by both values and the preparation required (using the DOL's five "job zones"). In depth suggestions for further research help individuals explore those careers, and a reproducible Job Information/Action Plan worksheet helps them pursue their goals. The inventory is self-scoring and self-interpreting, takes less than thirty minutes to complete, and is based on decades of research. Valid and reliable, this assessment is an ideal starting point for anyone engaging in career exploration. Its incorporation of O*NET job titles also makes it highly compatible with a wide variety of occupational resources.

Areas Assessed: Values

Target Client Range/Reading Level: High school to adult / Grade 9

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 20 – 30 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored and interpreted

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material:

Price: Booklets (25) \$39.95 JA4307

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WORK ORIENTATION AND VALUES SURVEY (WOVS)

The *Work Orientation and Values Survey* is a brief, user-friendly, and statistically sound survey of work values and an individual's orientation to work. The WOVS consists of 32 statements related to working and the job situation. Survey takers are asked to read each statement, and then indicate how important the statement is to them and their work by recording their responses on the survey form. A Likert-type scale is used. They then score their responses into eight work values categories: Earnings & Benefits, Working Conditions, Time Orientation, Task Orientation, Mission Orientation, Coworker Relations, Supervisor Relations, and Managing Others. The *WOVS* includes brief advice on including values with high scores in career plans and balancing values conflicts.

Areas Assessed: Career values

Target Client Range/Reading Level: High school to adult

Norms: Good validity and reliability

Average Time to Administer/Format: 15 minutes / Paper and pencil; Individual or group

Scoring Options: Self scoring and interpreted

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *Guide for Occupational Exploration* (GOE)

Price: Booklets (25) \$27.95 JA8892
Other options available

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BARRIERS TO EMPLOYMENT SUCCESS INVENTORY (BESI), 3rd Edition

Barriers to Employment Success Inventory, 3rd Edition is designed to help students identify things that may keep him/her from getting a good job or from getting ahead in his/her career. Test takers rate 50 simple statements covering five categories: Personal and Financial, Emotional and Physical, Career Decision-Making and Planning, Job-Seeking Knowledge, and Training and Education. The inventory is self-scoring and self-interpreting. Once users have identified their barriers, the **BESI** suggest ways to overcome them and helps individuals develop an action plan, which can be used in either group or individual career counseling. The **BESI** is ideal for any career counselor needing to quickly identify those individuals requiring immediate intervention and to help tailor their assistance to meet the specific needs of each client.

Areas Assessed: Barriers to job search or success

Target Client Range/Reading Level: High school to adult / Grade 8

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 20 – 30 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options:

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material:

Price: Assessment booklets and administrator's guide (25) \$45.95 JA8590

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JOB SEARCH ATTITUDE INVENTORY (JSAI), 3rd Edition

The *Job Search Attitude Inventory, 3rd Edition* provides a quick assessment of how motivated a person is likely to find a job. The *JSAI* helps individuals identify their key attitudes about looking for a job and consider suggestions for becoming more active and self-directed in the job search. The *JSAI* asks job seekers whether they agree or disagree with 32 statements about the job search process. Job seekers then place their scores on a graphic profile of four attitude categories: luck vs. planning, uninvolved vs. involved, help from others vs. self-help, and passive vs. active. The *JSAI* is especially helpful for determining and improving an individual's motivation to find a job.

Areas Assessed: Job search attitudes

Target Client Range/Reading Level: High school to adult / Grade 7+

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/ Format: 30 minutes / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored; self-interpreted

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material:

Price: Booklets (25) \$45.95 JA3340

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THE ARC'S SELF-DETERMINATION SCALE

The Arc's Self-Determination Scale, Adolescent Version device is an easy-to-administer student self-report measure of self-determination. Its purpose is to help students identify their strengths and limitations in self-determination skills. The accompanying manual, *The Arc's Self-Determination Scale Procedural Guidelines* (2000), contains a comprehensive discussion of self-determination as an educational outcome as well as scoring procedures and explanation of the proper uses of the self-report measures.

Areas Assessed: Self-determination

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Adolescents with mild cognitive or learning disabilities/9th grade

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/ Format: Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options: Self-scored; self-interpreted

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *The Arc's Self-Determination Scale Procedural Guidelines*

Price: N/A

Order Information:

Available only at the Beach Center website: <http://www.beachcenter.org/books/>

The Arc's Self-Determination Scale

<http://www.beachcenter.org/Books/FullPublications/PDF/TheArcsSelfDeterminationScale.pdf>

The Arc's Self-Determination Scale Procedural Guidelines

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PATHFINDER, 3rd Edition

The *Pathfinder, 3rd Edition* is a high interest workbook written specifically to allow young people to explore their interests and skills at a junior and senior high level so they can make informed education and career choices.. It allows students to take an active role in assessing their career interests and planning their career and educational paths. The extensive assessment section is based on the 12 GOE interest areas.

Areas Assessed: Career awareness and exploration

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Seventh grade to tenth / Grade 8

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/ Format: N/A / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options:

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *Pathfinder Teacher's Guide; My Individual Career Plan Portfolio*

Price: Consumable Workbook	\$10.95	JO821
Teacher's Guide	\$21.95	JO83X

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DREAM CATCHERS, 3rd Edition

Dream Catchers, 3rd Edition is a high-interest program designed to help young people consider what is important in planning their careers, their education, and their lives. It teaches students to identify their skills, introduces basic career concepts, develops awareness of the world of work, relates school to the world of work, and helps in planning to improve academic achievement.

Areas Assessed: Career awareness and exploration

Target Client Range/Reading Level: Elementary to middle school / Grade 4

Norms:

Average Time to Administer/ Format: N/A / Paper and pencil; individual or group

Scoring Options:

Languages: English

Compatible Assessments:

Recommended Support Material: *Dream Catchers Teacher's Guide; Dream Catchers Reproducible Activities*

Price: Consumable Workbook	\$ 7.95	JOO23
Teacher's Guide	\$21.95	JOO4X
Supplemental Activities	\$26.95	JOO31

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