

SABES Program Support PD Center - Advising & Digital Literacy

Online Career Planning and Job Search Tools: Supporting Students from a Distance

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Welcome!

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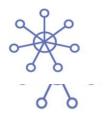
Welcome!



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Objectives

 Identify a tech tool and apply it to advising and helping students navigate a career planning or job search site from a distance



Draft an objective and plan for an advising activity using this tool



Agenda

- Updates from the State
- Advising Now
- Leveraging Tech Tools + Advising Sites
- What's Next
- Evaluation

Updates from the State

A Word from ACLS on Assessment and Tracking Student Hours

Wyvonne Stevens-Carter, ACLS Director:

- Tracking hours: If it works to track hours, that's fine.
 Example: same lesson as in class = same # hours. There won't be an inquiry regarding process for counting hours. ACLS will be flexible. Doesn't want to add stress. Most important is teaching and learning.
- Assessments: There is a hold on NRS assessments (TABE, MAPT, BEST) until further notice. They cannot be administered online. (Click for <u>ACLS memo</u>.)

More guidance is forthcoming from ACLS and may be a topic for Director's Meeting.

MA to Make Pandemic EBT Available in May

- For any child in K-12 school eligible for free/reduced lunch:
 - If already receiving EBT, will get increase of \$5.70/child/day.
 - If not receiving EBT, families will get cards in the mail.
- The Public Charge rule does NOT apply to P-EBT and getting this benefit will NOT affect a child's immigration status.

State information page:

https://www.mass.gov/info-details/pandemic-ebt-p-ebt

Leveraging Tech Tools + Advising Sites

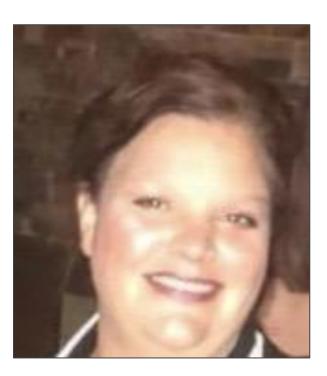
Advising Now: Your Challenges

Poll: Advising from a distance is different in many ways from advising in person at your program. What have been your top two challenges?

- 1. Helping learners with job search and applications
- 2. Helping learners continue Education and Career Planning
- 3. Planning for an uncertain future related to Education and Career Planning
- 4. Knowing how and when to contact students: what is the right amount?
- 5. Engaging learners with beginning English levels remotely
- 6. Engaging learners with beginning digital literacy levels remotely
- 7. Onboarding students to new platforms remotely
- 8. Other college and career advising challenges (please describe in chat)

Jenn Grehan

Challenge: Unknown Future for Programs



Bigger Picture Challenges

- Lack of access to technology for a disadvantaged population
- Lack of student engagement
- Psych and socio elements that are interfering with students learning



Advising from a Distance

Your favorite way to use a tech tool for career planning and job searching from a distance?



Tips to Keep in Mind

- 1. Take advantage of skills and tools students are already familiar with, such as cellphones.
- 2. When possible, choose tech tools that require digital literacy skills that relate to student goals.
- 3. Plan for building in the digital literacy needed.
- 4. Include student motivation and retention as your goals.

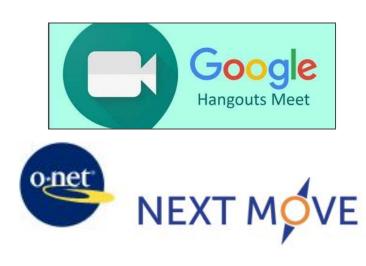
The Tools and Sites

- The communication tools:
 - Google Meet
 - Remind
 - Screencast-O-Matic
- The advising tools:
 - O*Net MyNextMove
 - MassHire CIS
 - MassHire JobQuest

Questions to Keep in Mind

- Ways to address the goal you plan to address?
- Resource / approach you are considering looking into?

Google Meet O*NET My Next Move NEXT MOVE



Google Meet

https://meet.google.com/

Video meeting and chat app/website. Can use for phone calls without video. Send text, links, photos, files. All members can share screens.

Free for G Suite. Free for all "in the coming weeks!"

- Google account required to host and *to join
- No download required to use or join on computer; app required for phones
- App integrations Google Classroom and more
- Record meetings with G Suite version

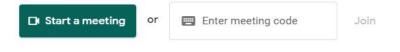
TIP: Sending invites via your email program may be more reliable than sending from within Meet.

Home Page

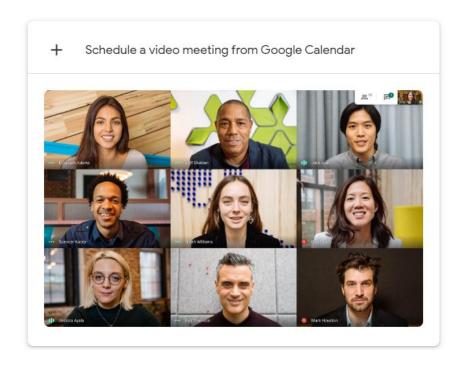


Premium video meetings. Now free for everyone.

We re-engineered the service we built for secure business meetings, Google Meet, to make it free and available for all.



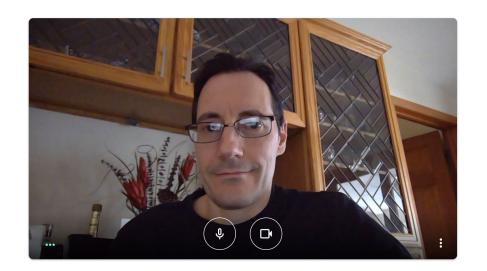
Learn more about Google Meet



In a Meeting

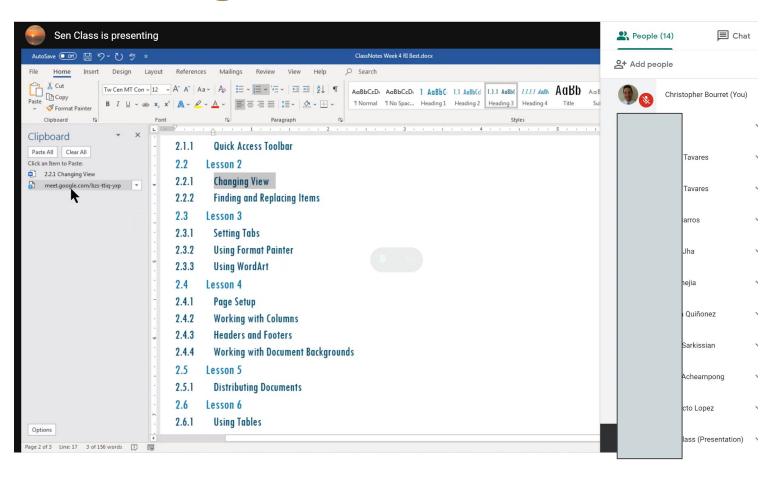




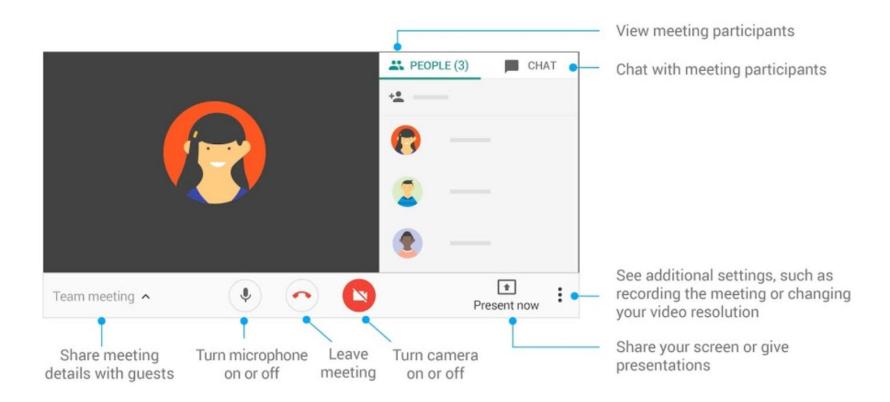


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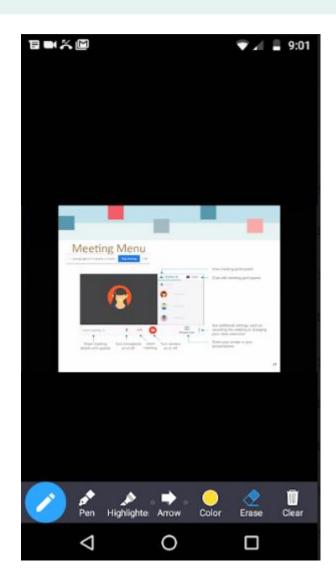
In a Meeting



Meeting Menu - Computer



Meeting Menu - Phone

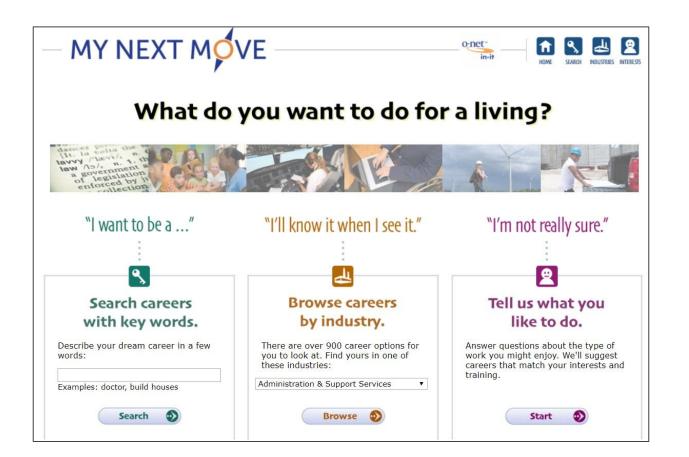


Zoom: A Note

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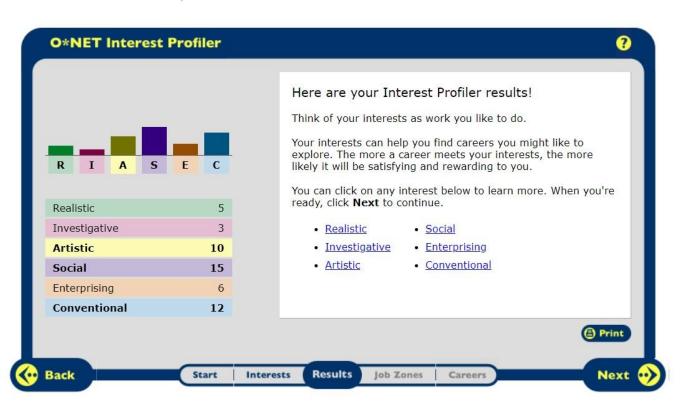
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O*NET My Next Move Home Page



Interest Profiler





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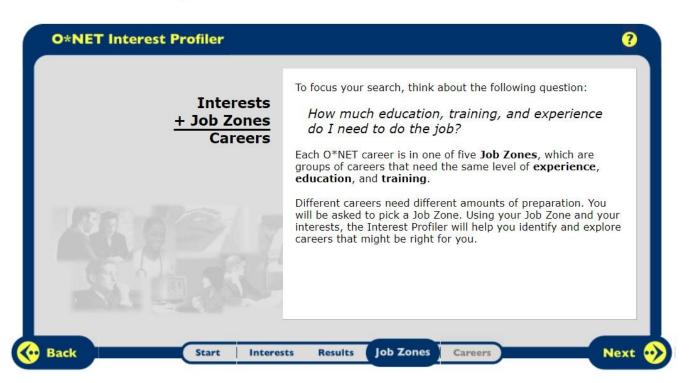








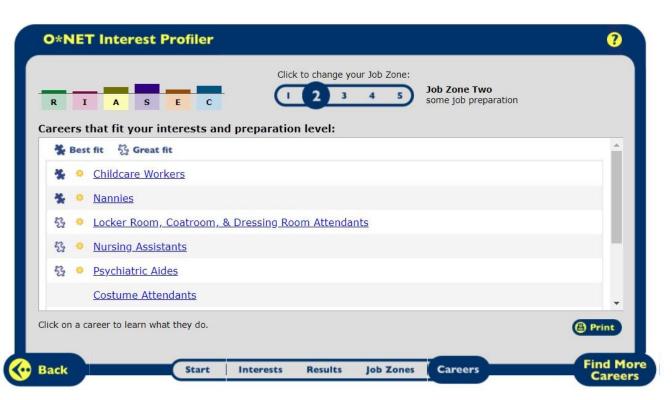






Interest Profiler







Childcare Workers

Also called: Assistant Teacher, Child Care Worker, Childcare Provider, Toddler Teacher

Watch Career Video

What they do:

Attend to children at schools, businesses, private households, and childcare institutions. Perform a variety of tasks, such as dressing, feeding, bathing, and overseeing play,

On the job, you would:

- · Maintain a safe play environment.
- · Observe and monitor children's play activities.
- · Communicate with children's parents or guardians about daily activities, behaviors, and related issues.

Information

KNOWLEDGE

Business

customer service

Arts and Humanities

· English language

Education and Training

· teaching and course design

Safety and Government

· public safety and security

SKILLS

Basic Skills

- · keeping track of how well people and/or groups are doing in order to make improvements
- · listening to others, not interrupting, and asking good questions

Social

- looking for ways to help people
- · understanding people's reactions

Problem Solving

 noticing a problem and figuring out the best way to solve it

ABILITIES

Verbal

· listen and understand what people

A Print | Share ▼

· communicate by speaking

Ideas and Logic

- · notice when problems happen
- use rules to solve problems

Attention

- · do two or more things at the same
- · pay attention to something without being distracted

PERSONALITY

People interested in this work like activities that include helping people, teaching, and talking.

They do well at jobs that need:

- · Self Control
- · Concern for Others
- Integrity

- Stress Tolerance
- Cooperation
- · Attention to Detail

You might use software like this on the job:

Computer based training software

· Educational software

Word processing software

Microsoft Word *

Internet browser software

· Web browser software

FDUCATION



associate's degree

usually needed Get started on your career:





JOB OUTLOOK





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Find Jobs

- Service
- Education

EXPLORE MORE

- Concierges
- Preschool Teachers
- Residential Advisors
- Social & Human Service Assistants
- Tour Guides & Escorts

You might like a career in one of these industries:

- Health & Counseling



Sarah Fizer

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YMCA of Greater Boston
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Implementation: Web Meetings
with MassHIRE Career Navigators

Remind & WassHire CIS

(Formerly MassCIS)







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Program Advisor,
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Challenge: Abrupt Switch for Students New to Learning at a Distance

Remind

remind

https://www.remind.com/

Messaging app/website for any phone and computer to send text, links, photos, files. Using phone app: In addition, take photos and record voice on phone

Free version:

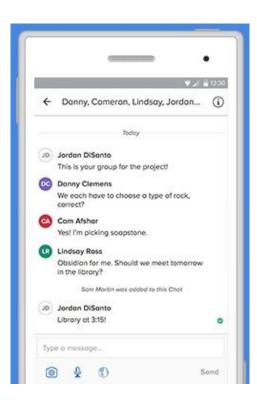
- 140-character messages
- Up to 10 classes with 150 students per class
- Translation into 90+ languages
- App integrations Google Classroom and more

Why It's Cool

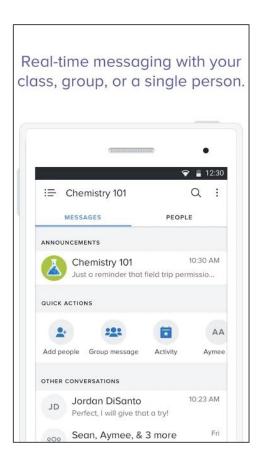


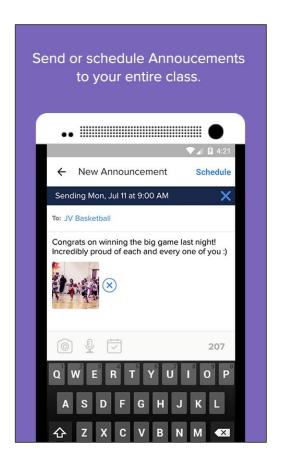
- Familiar format of communication
- Protection of contact information
- Options: one- or two-way communication between class owner and members, students message each other or not
- Multimedia posts

Send to an Individual or Create a Class to Send to a Group



Announcements





Absence

Good morning Sarah, i made an appoitment for today with my doctor. Because i still dont feel good. So am not going in today

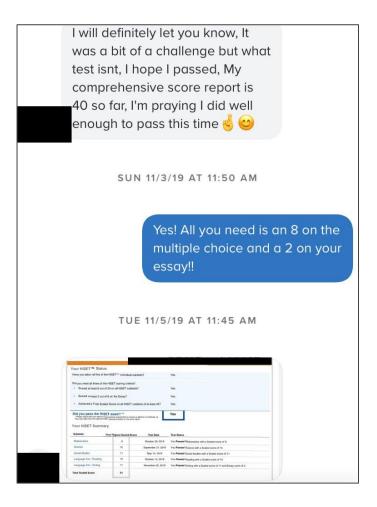
Good! I am actually glad to hear you're going to get yourself checked out. I hope you start to feel better... see you tomorrow!

Thank you

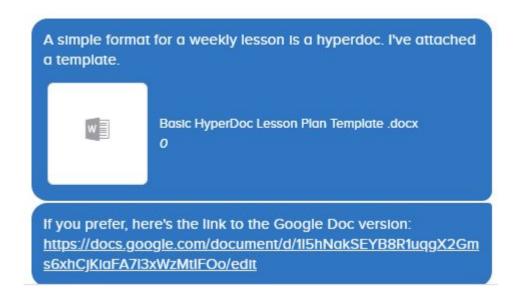
THU 10/10/19 AT 11:30 AM

Hi Sarah i went to the doctor and i have bronquitis, they gave me antibiotics. Thats why i didnt go today

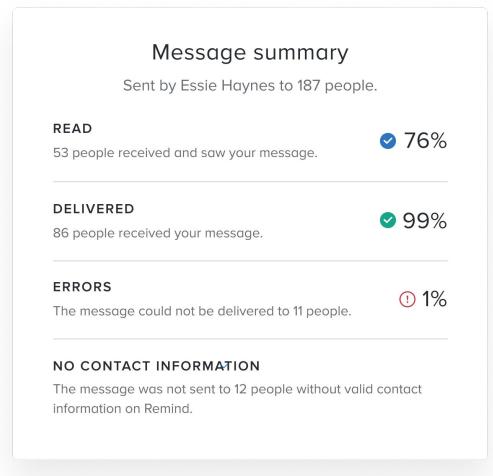
Screen Captures or Photos of Work



Documents and Links such as Websites and Google Files



Delivery Receipt



MassHire CIS Home Page



Portfolio



Reality Check

REALITY CHECK

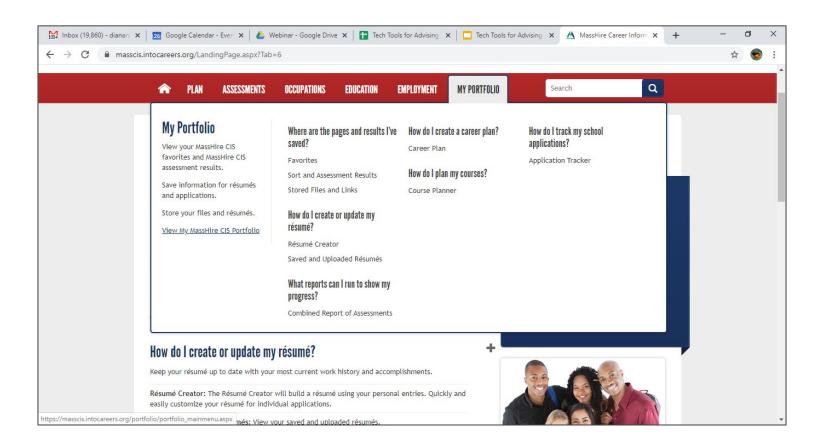


Adding it All Up

Below are the amounts for the items you have selected. Now that you know how much your expenses are, the next step is to find out which occupations pay you the salary you need to afford your lifestyle.

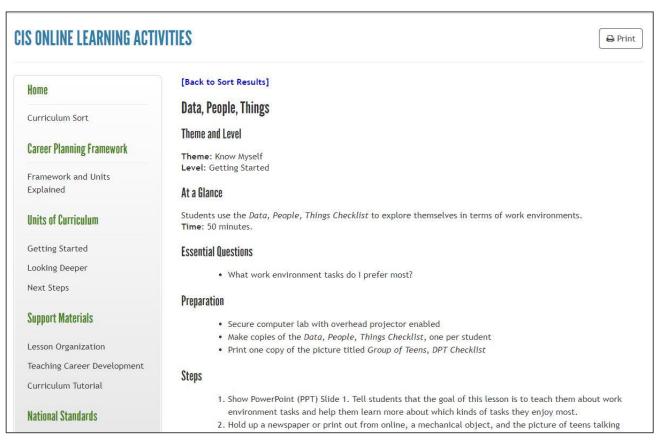
Your Monthly Expenses	Totals for New Bedford	
♠ Housing	\$775	
♥ Utilities	\$215	
Communications	\$125	
Food	\$470	

Print Content

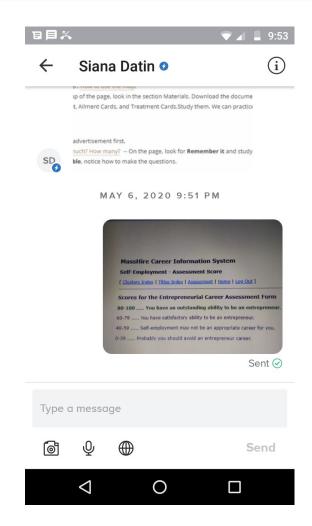


Curriculum

https://masscis.intocareers.org/Curriculum/



Assessment Score



Support

Tools for Users

Quick Starts

Tutorials

Support Materials

Tools for Counselors & Teachers

Quick Starts

Tutorials

Other Activities

Guides & Instructional Tools

More Resources

Screencast-O-Matic & MassHire JobQuest







Phoebe Chen

Education and Career

Advisor, Immigrant

Learning Center

Challenge: Advising Students with Limited Language Skills

Screencast-O-Matic

https://screencast-o-matic.com/



Record screen and/or camera

- Viewable on virtually any device
- Share via your account, embed on your website, or via social media

Free version:

- 15-minute limit
- Has ads
- More!

Why It's Cool



- More effective communication than written
- Great for giving group instructions that you can reuse
- Also great for giving individual feedback

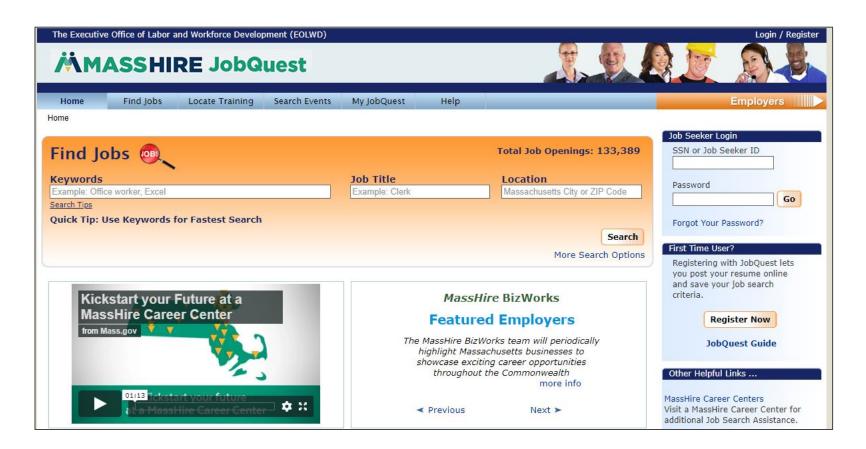
Examples



- Website <u>navigation instructions</u>
- Individual <u>feedback</u> on resume, job application

MassHire JobQuest Homepage

https://www.mass.gov/how-to/find-a-job-with-masshire-jobquest



MassHire JobQuest Homepage



Reflection

- Ways to address your goal you plan to consider?
- Resource / approach you are considering looking into?

Tech Tool Resources

Apps for iPhone and Android available for all.

- <u>Remind</u> <u>Help Center</u>; a teacher's <u>video guide</u>
 Join my group! via computer: dsati; via phone: @dsati
- Google Hangouts Meet Help Center; cheat sheet
- <u>Screencast-O-Matic</u> <u>Tutorials</u> (scroll down for basics)

Career Planning/Job Search Sites

- <u>MassHire CIS</u> <u>CIS Training Manual</u>; Version <u>descriptions</u>;
 <u>Portfolio Quick Guide</u>
- MassHire JobQuest
- O*NET/My Next Move Resource Center; materials in varous formats

Professional Development from the Program Support PD Center - Digital Literacy

Save the dates! Forthcoming on the SABES calendar:

Follow up to the Directors' Meeting: Optional one hour program support from Luanne Teller and Diana Satin May 27, 28, 29

Ready, Set, Go webinar 6/9 AM & 6/12 PM Optional one hour program support from Luanne and Diana

Expanding Access Through Distance Learning series - summer

Professional Development from SABES and the EdTech Center @ World Education

- Program Support PD Center Cultural Competence:
 Maintaining Commitment to Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in Times of Crisis (Webinar) (Webinar) 5/13
- Math and Numeracy PD Center
 - Teaching from a Distance with CK-12 (Webinar) 5/20
 - Digital Literacy with Desmos (<u>Webinar</u>) 5/27
- World Education: Distance Education Strategy Sessions (World Education) - <u>Friday webinars</u>

SABES Digital Literacy PD Center & World Education Support

- SABES Program Support Center
- SABES calendar for Math, ELA, ESOL,
 - Digital Literacy, and all PD centers
 - Sign up at the bottom of the page for notifications!
- <u>Tips for Distance Learning</u> (World Education)
- Remember <u>math</u>!

Evaluation/Thank You!

By May 21: Post to the discussion forum: https://padlet.com/dianarsatin/onlineadvising

Complete the <u>evaluation</u>.

Thank you!

