



# EXPLORE: YOUR NEXT MOVE



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**O\*NET Interest Profiler**

Welcome to the O\*NET Interest Profiler!

The **O\*NET Interest Profiler** can help you find out what your interests are and how they relate to the world of work. You can find out what you like to do.

The **O\*NET Interest Profiler** helps you decide what kinds of careers you might want to explore.

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Taken the Interest Profiler before?

**Start** Interests Results Job Zones Careers **Next**

Find a career direction using the **Interest Profiler** tool from the U.S. Dept. of Labor at [mynextmove.org/explore/ip](http://mynextmove.org/explore/ip)

## START INTEREST PROFILER

- 1. INTERESTS** — Answer 60 easy questions.
- 2. RESULTS** — Print out your Interest Profiler results.
- 3. JOB ZONES** — Select the level of education/training you prefer.
- 4. CAREERS** — Review the list of careers that fit your interests and preparation level. Click on ones that interest you to get a detailed Career Profile.

## SAMPLE CAREER PROFILE

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**O\*NET** in-IT

**Elementary School Teachers**

Also called: Teacher, Elementary Teacher, Classroom Teacher, Kindergarten Teacher

**What they do:**  
Teach students basic academic, social, and other formative skills in public or private schools at the elementary level.

**On the job, you would:**

- Instruct students individually and in groups, using various teaching methods such as lectures, discussions, and demonstrations.
- Adapt teaching methods and instructional materials to meet students' varying needs and interests.
- Establish clear objectives for all lessons, units, and projects and communicate those objectives to students.

**KNOWLEDGE**

- Arts and Humanities**
  - English language
  - philosophy and religion
- Education and Training**
  - teaching and course design
- Math and Science**
  - psychology
  - arithmetic, algebra, geometry, calculus, or statistics
- Engineering and Technology**
  - computers and electronics

**PERSONALITY**

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

They do well at jobs that need:

- Cooperation
- Self Control
- Concern for Others
- Dependability
- Stress Tolerance
- Adaptability/Flexibility

**TECHNOLOGY**

You might use software like this on the job:

- Electronic mail software**
  - Email software
  - Microsoft Outlook
- Spreadsheet software**
  - Microsoft Excel
- Graphics or photo imaging software**
  - Graphics software

**EDUCATION**

bachelor's degree or master's degree usually needed

Get started on your career:

**JOB OUTLOOK**

**Bright** New job opportunities are very likely in the future.

**SALARY: \$53,400** per year, on average

**EXPLORE MORE**

- Healthcare Social Workers
- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Social Workers
- Special Education Teachers, Middle School
- Special Education Teachers, Secondary School
- Training & Development Specialists

You might like a career in one of these industries:

- Education

[See more details at O\\*NET Online](#) about elementary school teachers.

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**REVIEW** the Career Profile that most interests you. Then fill in this information:

**JOB TITLE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATION NEEDED:**

Certificate  Apprenticeship  2-year Degree  4-year Degree

**EDUCATION/TRAINING** is available at (input a location): \_\_\_\_\_

**PROGRAM OF STUDY IS** \_\_\_\_\_

**JOB OUTLOOK** for this career is:

Bright  Average  Below average

**AVERAGE SALARY** you might expect to earn: \_\_\_\_\_

After reviewing the Career Profile, list 3 reasons why this career would be right for you:

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

If you found several careers that interest you, review and fill out this information sheet for each one. Then compare your results. Use the **Thinking Caps** tool in the Decision lesson to help you make a choice.