

OVERVIEW

Topic	Careers
Age range	13 to 18
Subject	Languages & Cultures
Duration	8 weeks

LEVEL 3 TRAILBLAZER

Recommended for students who have completed 3 years or more of high school/secondary study or equivalent in the target language & culture.

DESCRIPTION

Our professional world is constantly evolving, and many careers are changing. Many professions in our communities reflect on some of the current professional trends in our community. In this course, students share their knowledge about professions that are popular in their culture and their future career plans. Additionally, they will explain how the current educational system in their communities prepare them for the workforce once they finish their plan of studies. Through video exchanges, students will interact at a competent level with their peers to explain cultural practices and perspectives within their own and other cultures.

Weeks	Task Topics	A	B	Learning Objectives
Weeks 1-2	Introduce yourself to your partners	Eng	Spa	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> explain a variety of activities about their current everyday life, influences from their past, and plans for the future.
	Respond to your partners' introduction videos	Spa	Eng	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> interact appropriately with their peers to discuss their everyday lives, their past, and their plans for the future.
Weeks 3-4	Common or Popular Careers	Spa	—	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> describe and explain common career choices in their community.
	Educational Preparation	—	Eng	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> explain how secondary education prepares students for university and future careers.
Weeks 5-6	Respond to your partners' videos on Educational Preparation	Eng	—	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> compare the effectiveness of the educational systems in their own and another culture.
	Respond to your partners' videos on Common or Popular Careers	—	Spa	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> converse comfortably with their peers while sharing their knowledge on careers in their community. demonstrate awareness of subtle cultural differences among career choices.
Weeks 7-8	Reflection	Spa or Eng		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> explain cultural differences related to professions and future plans between their own and another culture. explain which cultural factors determine future plans and professional choices. discuss why certain cultures have different approaches to post-secondary education.

A: Students learning Spanish will create video in...

B: Students learning English will create video in...