

College Gateway 2011 – 2012

Eighth Grade Students Experience College and Explore Careers



CCBC Catonsville Welcomes

Lansdowne | Old Court | Woodlawn Middle Schools



CCBC Dundalk Welcomes

Deep Creek | Dundalk | Holabird Middle Schools



CCBC Essex Welcomes

Golden Ring | Middle River Middle Schools

A partnership of Community College of Baltimore County and Baltimore County Public Schools

Today's Topics

1. Stay in school and continue with college.
2. Look at yourself and what you like to do.
3. Link your interests to a career.



Reasons to Stay in School

Over a lifetime

A bachelor's degree is worth twice the high school diploma in earnings.

Earn \$2.1 million with a bachelor's degree

Earn \$1.2 million with a high school diploma



Average Annual Salary Rises with More School

<u>Annual</u>	<u>Hourly</u>	<u>Educational Level</u>
\$22,256	\$10.70	Did not complete high school
31,408	15.10	Completed high school
38,480	18.50	Associate's degree
51,324	24.68	Bachelor's degree

Even celebrities finish high school

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[Candace Parker](#) 🎥



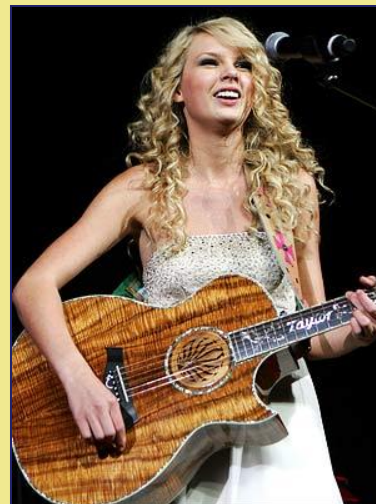
[Tony Hawk](#) 🎥



[Kristi Yamaguchi](#) 🎥



[Lin-Manuel Miranda](#) 🎥



[Taylor Swift](#) 🎥

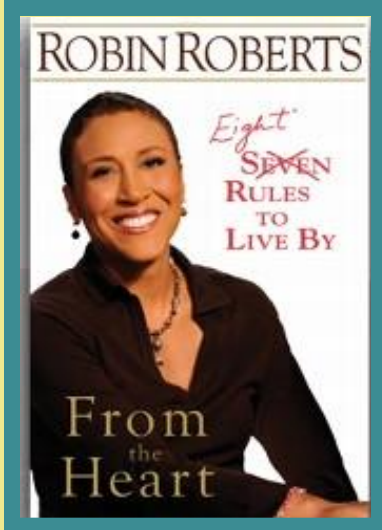


[Mark Zuckerberg](#) 🎥

Preparing for Success

Robin Roberts 📺

Broadcaster, Author
Southeastern Louisiana
University



Dr. Benjamin Carson 📺

Neurosurgeon
Yale University
U of Michigan Medical School
Johns Hopkins Medical School



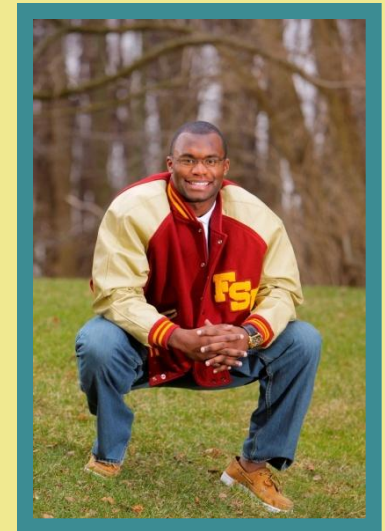
Byron Pitts 📺

Journalist, Author
Chief National
Correspondent, CBS
News
Ohio Wesleyan
University



Myron Rolle 📺

Athlete, Scholar
Florida State
University
Rhodes Scholar at
Oxford in Medical
Anthropology



Happiness is linked to those activities which you like to do. When you are doing them you feel very comfortable. Some activities just keep your interest. Click on links below photos to see career videos.



Videos of careers related to these interests

[Musicians \(instrumental\)](#)

[Bookkeeping, accounting/ auditing](#)

[Computer support specialists](#)

[Desktop publishers](#)

[Athletic trainers](#)

[Coaches and scouts](#)

[Umpires, referees, sports officials](#)

[Family and General Practitioners](#)

[Registered Nurses](#)

[Surgeons](#)

Interests are related to careers.



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A worksheet titled "College Gateway Partnership" with a logo for "ccac The Community College of Baltimore County". It includes a section for "Web sites for your research" with links to bls.gov, grcsearchclub.com, onlinecenter.org, and fupcareerline.org. Below this are fields for "Student Name" and "Date". The worksheet contains six numbered questions: 1. What career or job are you researching today? 2. What do people do in this job? 3. What education or training is required? Choose from the list below and circle. (List includes High School, Special training (license/certificate), Associate's degree (2 years of college), Bachelor's degree (4 years of college), and Master's degree or Professional degree (Law, Medical)). 4. Name 2 related occupations/jobs. 5. How much does this job pay? 6. From what you have learned today does this job still interest you, why or why not?

Your Assignment.
Click on the image to see it.

Complete your research by using any of the 4 resources listed on this page.

1. [What do you like? http://www.bls.gov/k12/](http://www.bls.gov/k12/)
2. [Occupational Outlook A-Z Index](#)
3. [O*Net](#)
4. [Career Videos](#)

The Value of Money

Lessons in Financial Literacy



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Keeping a Money Diary
Tracking Your Checking Account
Writing a Check
Living on a Budget
▶ **Determining Your Budget**

Determining Your Budget

Total Monthly Income	\$ 0.00
Fixed Expenses	\$ 0.00
Variable Expenses	\$ 0.00
Total Monthly Expenses	\$ 0.00
What's Left	\$ 0.00

Your Income - Salary

Enter an annual salary. If you don't have a good idea of what you may earn, look through [Starting Salaries](#) and find the salary of a job that interests you.

Annual salary: \$

However, you won't get to take home that entire salary. You will have to pay federal income taxes, perhaps state income tax, and Social Security taxes. Then there are other costs deducted from your check, like health insurance, dental insurance, and contributions to a retirement account.

Monthly salary after taxes: \$

To learn more, visit [Decoding Your Paycheck](#). Right now, however, let's keep it simple and just work with subtracting your federal income tax from your chosen salary.

Click for teacher's resource: The mint exercise, determining your budget.