

Student Name: _____

Class: _____

Due Date: _____

Introduction

Welcome to this homework sheet on Career and Enterprise! This activity is designed to help you understand the importance of career planning, identify your personal strengths and interests, and explore entrepreneurial opportunities. Please complete the following activities within the given timeframe.

Activity 1: Career Reflection

Personal SWOT Analysis

Create a SWOT analysis related to your career aspirations. Consider your skills, interests, and values.

- What are your strengths?
- What are your weaknesses?
- What opportunities are available to you?
- What threats might you face?

Career Research

Research and list 3 potential career paths that align with your strengths and interests. Include a brief description of each career and why you are interested in it.

1. Career Path 1: _____
2. Career Path 2: _____
3. Career Path 3: _____

Activity 2: Entrepreneurial Mindset

Entrepreneurial Traits

Identify and describe 5 key traits of successful entrepreneurs. Explain why these traits are important for starting and running a business.

1. Trait 1: _____
2. Trait 2: _____
3. Trait 3: _____
4. Trait 4: _____
5. Trait 5: _____

Business Idea Generation

Brainstorm and list 3 business ideas that you think could be viable. Consider problems you could solve or needs you could meet in the market.

1. Business Idea 1: _____
2. Business Idea 2: _____
3. Business Idea 3: _____

Activity 3: Career and Enterprise Connection

Career Aspiration and Business Idea Connection

Choose one of your career aspirations from Activity 1 and one business idea from Activity 2. Write a short paragraph explaining how your career aspiration could be connected to or influenced by your business idea.

Case Study Analysis

Read the following case study:

"A young entrepreneur noticed a lack of sustainable products in their local community and decided to start a business selling eco-friendly alternatives. The business quickly gained popularity, not only for its products but also for its commitment to community engagement and environmental sustainability."

Analyze the case study, focusing on how the entrepreneur's career aspirations and personal values drove the business idea and its success.

1. What motivated the entrepreneur to start the business?
2. How did the entrepreneur's personal values influence the business idea?
3. What can you learn from this case study about the connection between career aspirations and entrepreneurial ventures?

Choose any combination:

1. Develop a basic business plan for one of your business ideas.
2. Arrange an interview with a local entrepreneur or business owner and prepare questions to explore their career path, challenges faced, and advice for aspiring entrepreneurs.
3. Write a scientific paper analyzing a recent chemical discovery.

Success Criteria

To successfully complete this assignment, ensure you:

- Complete all main activities to a satisfactory level.
- Demonstrate understanding of career development concepts and entrepreneurial principles.
- Show evidence of research and reflection in your work.
- Meet the time allocation for each activity.

Additional Resources

For further learning and support:

- Utilize government and educational websites that provide career advice and resources.
- Look into local or online communities that support young entrepreneurs, offering workshops, webinars, and networking opportunities.
- Refer to textbooks and academic articles on business and enterprise for in-depth information on entrepreneurial principles and practices.

Parent/Guardian Notes

Encourage your child to use online resources and books for research.

Assist them in understanding the concepts if needed, but allow them to complete the work independently.

Help your child manage their time effectively to complete the assignment within the given timeframe.

Encourage your child to reflect on their learning and provide feedback on the assignment's effectiveness in enhancing their understanding of career and enterprise concepts.