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Following these instructions to complete an INTEREST INVENTORY and to explore different POST-SECONDARY OPTIONS:

- Go to www.myblueprint.ca/ucdsb
- Choose **Vankleek Hill Collegiate Institute** as your school
- Click on Create Account
- Choose Grade 11
- Click next step
- When it asks for your pupil number and date of birth, click on SKIP
- Create your own account using your email address, name, and create your own password (you'll be able to log in again later with your email address and password – so write it down. Once you have an account, you can go to www.myblueprint.ca – without the ucdsb at the end.)
- Click on create my account
- It will bring you back to the pupil number and date of birth page again, click on SKIP (again)
- It will bring you to the home page

- You can explore the whole site, but from here you should focus on the **Interest Surveys** (particularly EXPLORATIONS). Go through the whole thing and answer the questions as honestly as possible. It's a bit long, but it will help you to figure out some of the career options that best match your interests and personality.
- The other thing that you should check out is under **POST-SECONDARY PLANNER**, this is where you'll find information about post-secondary options. You can go in and look at tons of different post-secondary options. The amount of information that they've put together is incredible, instead of going to each school's website and trying to find a description of the career, cost to attend the program, and admission requirements, it's all in one place. The most complicated part here is using the right terminology in the search box, for example, you might need to look for carpentry instead of carpenter – just try a few options.

Assignment:

- Complete Interest Survey (Explorations)
- Research a career (post secondary planner), which post-secondary institution offers the program. Print out the details
- Research a job (occupation planner), print out details about a job that interests you