Career quiz: class guide

Our career quiz has 17 questions and takes about 3 minutes. There's no sign-up, and students' answers stay on their own device. It suggests industries that might suit them, plus real Australian employers to explore.

Before the lesson

- Try it yourself at **explorecareers.com.au/career-quiz**. Choose "I'm a teacher" at the start and the quiz gives you a class link to share.
- Students need a phone, tablet or laptop.
- Print a copy of the reflection worksheet (page 2) for each student.

Running it (about 30 minutes)

5 min	Introduce it. It won't tell anyone which job to do. It suggests a few industries that could suit them, so they have somewhere to start looking.
5 min	Students take the quiz on their own. They choose their year level first.
10 min	Students fill in the reflection worksheet on their own.
10 min	Talk about it in pairs or as a class. Most students turn out to be a mix of two sides, so it's worth asking what surprised them and which industry they'd like to know more about.

What students get

- Their two strongest sides, with a character name like "The Trailblazer".
- The industries that suit them best, each linking to its industry page.
- Real employers they could work for, and next steps to try.
- A picture of their results to save or share, and the option to email them.

Taking it further

- Ask each student to look up one employer from their results and find one way in, such as work experience, an apprenticeship or a graduate program.
- The industry pages cover the jobs, the pay and how to get started, with figures from official sources.

Private by design. No sign-up, and results are never locked behind an email. If a student chooses to email their results to themselves, we don't keep the address unless they also tick the newsletter box, which needs them to be 15 or over or to have a parent's OK.

My career quiz results

Name _____ Class _____

1 My two strongest sides

2 My character name

3 The industries that suit me best

4 One thing that surprised me

5 One industry I'd like to know more about, and why

6 One employer from my results I could look up

7 A question I'd ask someone who works there

8 My next step

- [ ] Read the industry page for one of my industries
- [ ] Follow an employer on Explore Careers to hear about their roles and events
- [ ] Talk to my careers adviser
- [ ] Ask about work experience
- [ ] Something else: _____

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