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What's Your Idea of a Great Job?

Toolkit



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About Career Girls

Career Girls provides girls with access to diverse and accomplished women role models to learn from their experiences and discover their own path to empowerment. They also offer quizzes to help you explore careers and college majors.

The "Imagination Gap" — the difference between career choices that girls imagine for themselves and the range of careers actually available for them to pursue based on their interests — is still too common. Girls, particularly BIPOC girls, may not see themselves in higher paying jobs of the future, such as STEM. They may not know that particular careers even exist.





What's the difference between a role model and a mentor?

Role Model

A person looked to by others as an example to be imitated

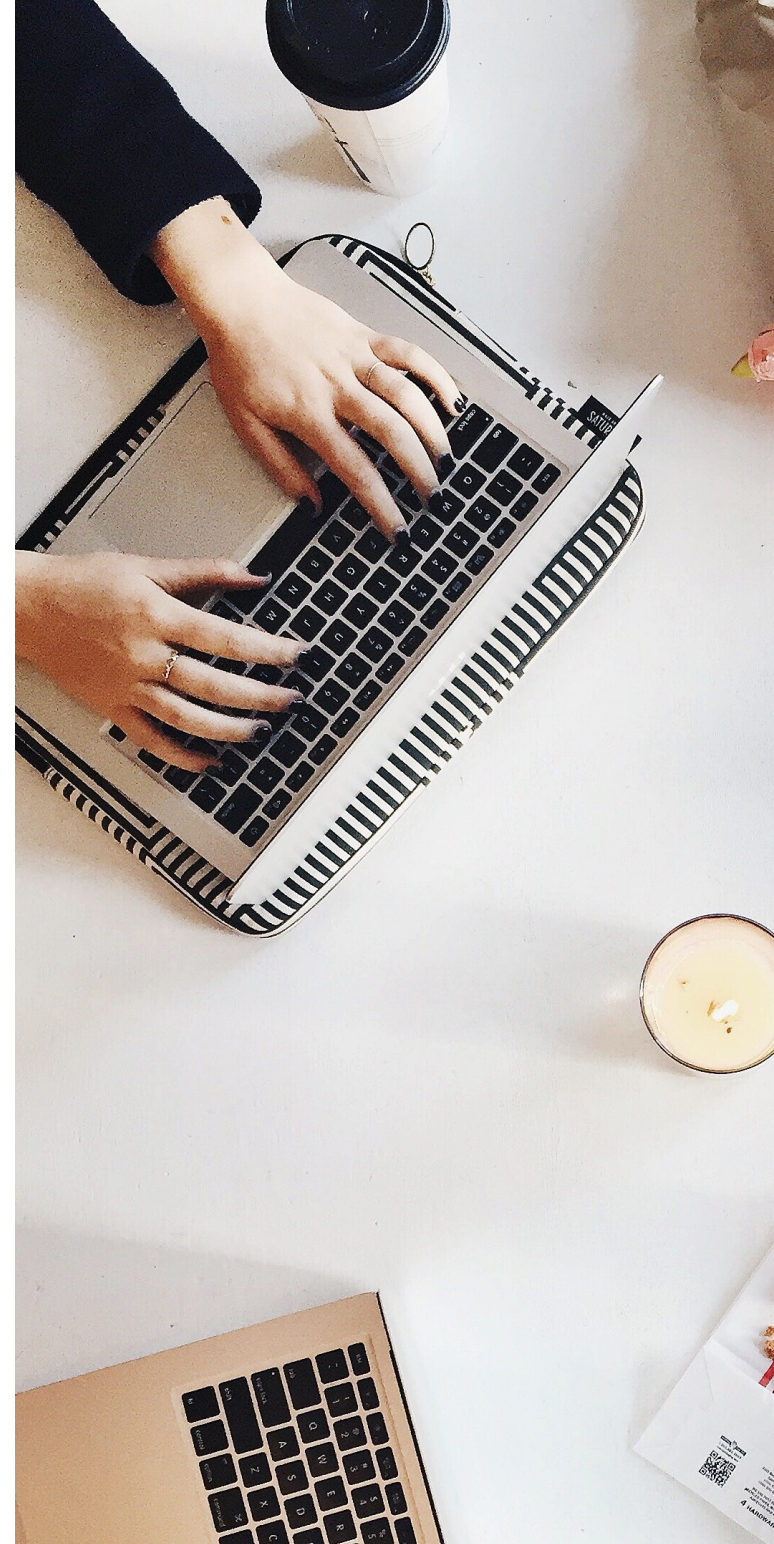
Mentor

An experienced or trusted advisor; someone who trains a mentee

When choosing a job, consider...

- Compensation: pay and benefits
- Location: remote, hybrid, co-located
- Growth: new skills or networks
- Flexibility in hours
- People: who will you be working with?

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Recommended Resources

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Explore Careers

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Guides and Resources for
Families, Counselors,
Teachers, and Mentors

Roadtrip Nation

Educational Resources for
Teachers and Parents

Indeed.com

Finding a Career for High
School Students

U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Career Planning for High
School Students

World of Work

Resources for Teachers