

Content Area Lesson 3: Dairy Industry
Activity 3: Interview Experience

Iowa Core Curriculum:

21st Century Skills

- Employability Skills
 - Essential Concept and/or Skill: Demonstrate initiative, creativity, self-direction, and entrepreneurial thinking to produce successful outcomes.
 - Essential Concept and/or Skill: Demonstrate productivity and accountability by producing quality work.
 - Essential Concept and/or Skill: Adjust to various roles and responsibilities and understand the need to be flexible to change.

Supplies Needed:

Use Job application previous created in activity 1, lesson 3

Activity Length: 30 minutes

Activity Direction:

1. Ask students to pick a career they would like to apply for.
2. Then put them with a partner that is applying for a similar career. Give them 4 to 5 careers to pick from.
3. Students will ask each other questions much like an interview.
4. Remind the students they will be pretending and to use the information they learned from students about the different careers in Activity 2 of lesson 3.
5. Have students make a list of 5 questions they could ask each other about the job they are going to apply for.
6. Example questions
 - a. What job are you applying for?
 - b. Why are you interested in this job?
 - c. What do you like about this job?
 - d. What would a typical day look like if you got this job?
 - e. Do you like working with people?

Discussion:

1. How could this interview prepare you for getting a job when you grow up?
2. Why is it important to learn about the job you are applying for before you go to the interview?