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CAREER WORKSHEET 4

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Work projects valued at \$71.5 billion are either underway or in the pipeline in South Australia and there will be big need for expert and skilled workers to keep up with the growth. **This could be great news for YOU as you consider your career future in South Australia.** Multiple offers of employment, great pay, interesting work and exciting work locations could be yours if you decide to enter an area of skills shortage. Mature-aged workers who plan on retiring will be paving the way for students finishing high school around the state. New projects and work will continue to develop.

Go to www.theresmoretoit.com.au and click on the tab “*Amazing Career Journeys*”.

What are the five key industries listed who make up the significant growth in SA?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Go through the “*Amazing Career Journeys*” and watch a video of (or read the story of):

1. Ben Kidd or Helen Uphill

Which industry do they work in?

2. Katrina McPhail or Scott Biggs

Which industry do they work in?

3. Ly Ing or Simon White

Which industry do they work in?

4. Gina Chuang or Peter O'Neill

Which industry do they work in?

5. Greg Swain or Kate Selway

Which industry do they work in?

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Out of all the videos you have viewed or stories that you have read thus far, which one do you think is the most interesting? Why?

Under “Amazing Careers”, read the description for ‘Defence Industry’. Quite a few people think when they hear the word ‘Defence’, soldiers running around with guns. This isn’t entirely true. There are also a large range of ‘background’ specialist jobs that serve to support Australian troops. Beginning with the Defence Industry, name 3 jobs that are listed. Then list 3 jobs listed under the other industry descriptors.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

‘Construction Industry’

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

‘ICT & Electro-technology Industry’

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

‘Resources Industry’

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

‘Advanced Manufacturing Industry’

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

If time permits, choose one or several of the above career pathways that you have written down and investigate them further. You will find more information at: <http://www.jobguide.deewr.gov.au/>.

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Out of the 5 industries you have investigated today, which one industry would be the one that appeals to you the most? Why?

If you worked in a satisfying job making really good money, name the top 3 things you would spend your money on:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.