

Work Experience

W20008

Preparatory Study 2

National & International Employers

Part 1 (National Employers):

- List ten national employers, providing name and location (full address not required).
(Try to keep each employer in a separate category from the others. However this may be difficult, since larger employers may have many departments.)
- Indicate whether they are indigenous or foreign multinationals.
- 5 of the businesses should be high-technology global operations.

Part 2 (Nature of Employment):

- For two of the chosen five employers above:
 - List one job in the business and briefly state what qualifications you think are required.
 - Whether you think you are qualified for that job, and whether you think you would enjoy that job.
 - What duties are performed by someone doing that job?
 - What are the opportunities for travel with the company?

Part 3 (Hi-technology Global):

- List five global “high-tech” employers who have operations in Ireland, listed in **Part 1**. (Try to include two operating systems 'manufacturers').
- For each organisation – who should not have been covered by any prior assignment – list the main business(es) of the corporation, their global geographical spread, their relative position in the global market (*e.g.* Leader, former leader).

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Part 4:

- For one of the five corporations above:
 - Does the organisation have a work experience or intern programme?
 - Outline some details of that programme (*e.g.* Duration *etc.*)
 - Identify one job in the company
 - State the likely qualifications required for the job
 - Indicate the course(s) that would lead to one of those qualification(s)
 - Identify how to get onto one of those courses from your current course, using the HELS
 - Identify the points and qualifications available from your course to qualify for the HELS
 - What that job typically entails and might pay
 - Prospects for travel in the selected job.

Guidelines

- The completed assignment should not exceed 3 A4 pages, including cover.
- The assignment should use the standard cover sheet.
- The assignment should be standard formatted
- Submission should be made, after stamping/dating, in paper form using the box in Room 15, and on-line, at:

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- The deadline for this assignment is: **11:35, Monday, 25-11-2013**