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## **Final Journal Entry**

## My 1<sup>st</sup> Shop Choice is I.T.

After many months of this exploratory program, I think I really did appreciate this experience. I didn't like most of my shops but it helped me get a clearer picture of what I want to do for the rest of my years in high school. I did rearrange the amount I wanted a couple shops but other than that, my choices have been clear since day one of exploratory. I did have my mind open to other shops but I didn't like many. There was one shop I was and still am set to have as my permanent shop.

My first shop choice is Computer Information Technology. Ever since I was little, I knew I had some sort of connection with technology. Even though I didn't get to explore it, I went to Open House to find out this shop was everything I wanted and more. I even do some of the things the shop does on my free time like programming and working on websites.

How the shop will prepare my future goals is that it will give me the knowledge of what I want to do when I get out of college and into the workforce. The career I want and the skills taught are completely the same, so I know that Info. Tech will give me information I will eventually use. The knowledge I learn will also help through college so I don't have to pay as much or study too hard. Lastly, it will definitely get me recognized by employers if I do well at what I love. This is how this will help my future goals.