

OCCUPATIONAL SCAVENGER HUNT: PART A

PART A: Complete the three steps below, following the directions provided to look up information on the **Carpenter** occupation.

Step 1: Navigate to the **Career Development Guide** on the [Research Help Home](#) page and search for occupational information on Carpenters through the sites listed below. Path: [Library Home Page](#)> [Research Help Home](#) > [Career Development](#)

| Site to Search | Question #1 | Question #2 | Question #3 |
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| National Occupational Classification (NOC) Search for Carpenter. <i>Hint: Enter "Carpenter" in the search field on the top left side of the screen.</i> | What is the NOC code for Carpenter? | What formal education is required for this occupation? <i>Hint: Click the Carpenter link to access further occupation details.</i> | List three duties of a Carpenter: 1. 2. 3. |
| Career Cruising Search for Carpenter. <i>Hint: Click Learn About Careers and search on Carpenter.</i> | What are sample entry, mid- and top-level positions within the career path for this occupation? Level 1: Level 2: Level 3: <i>Hint: Click Sample Career Path on the sidebar.</i> | What is the salary range for this occupation? <i>Hint: Click the Earnings Range section and read the Earnings page.</i> | List three related careers: 1. 2. 3. <i>Hint: Click Related Careers on the sidebar.</i> |

Step 2: Navigate to the **Library Home Page** to search using the Discover Service. Narrow your search focus and review a resource. [Path: Conestoga Home Page > Student Services> Library \(LRC\)](#)

| Activities | Questions: |
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| 1. Search “Carpenter Trade” using the Discover Service. <i>Hint: Enter “Carpenter Trade” in the Discover search field and click Search.</i> | How many search results did you get by using “Carpenter Trade” as your keywords? |
| 2. Refine your search to include Magazines only. <i>Hint: Select Magazines in the Source Types section on the left sidebar.</i> | How many search results did you get by limiting the search results to magazines? |
| 3. Locate an article of interest and review it. | What is the main subject of this article? On which date was this article originally published? What is the original source of this article (e.g., name of the Periodical it was originally published in)? |

Step 3: Navigate to the [Ontario Skills Passport](#) page to learn which essential skills are associated with this occupation.

| Activities | Questions: |
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| 1. Click the By Occupation link below the Search for Tasks section. 2. Locate the NOC code for Carpenter. 3. Click Carpenter to access the OSP Occupational Profile. | Which essential skills are most important to this occupation (based on skill level)? Click Writing to see examples of writing skills needed for this profession. Write one writing skill here: |

OCCUPATIONAL SCAVENGER HUNT: PART B

PART B: Complete the same exercise as previous, except this time do a search on **an occupation of interest to you** (that aligns with your career goals). Write your occupation here: _____. **Add this chart to your Personal Strategy Employment Portfolio.**

Step 1: Navigate to the **Career Development Guide** on the [Research Help Home](#) page and search for occupational information on your chosen occupation through the sites listed. Path: [Library Home Page](#)>[Research Help Home](#)>[Career Development](#)

| Site to Search | Question #1 | Question #2 | Question #3 |
|--|---|---|--|
| National Occupational Classification (NOC) Search for your occupation. <i>Hint: Enter “your occupation” in the search field on the top left side of the screen.</i> | What is the NOC code for your chosen occupation? | What formal education is required for this occupation? <i>Hint: Click the name of the occupation to access further details.</i> | List three duties: 1. 2. 3. |
| Career Cruising Search for your occupation. <i>Hint: Click Learn About Careers and search on your occupation.</i> | What are sample entry, mid- and top-level positions within the career path for this occupation? Level 1: Level 2: Level 3: <i>Hint: Click Sample Career Path on the sidebar.</i> | What is the salary range for this occupation? <i>Hint: Click the Earnings Range section and read the Earnings page.</i> | List three related careers: 1. 2. 3. <i>Hint: Click Related Careers on the sidebar.</i> |

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| Activities | Questions: |
|---|---|
| 1. Search for your occupation using the Discover Service. <i>Hint: Enter keywords for your occupation in the Discover search field and click Search.</i> | How many search results did you get by using as your keywords? |
| 2. Refine your search to include Magazines only. <i>Hint: Select Magazines in the Source Types section on the left sidebar.</i> | How many search results did you get by limiting the search results to magazines? |
| 3. Locate an article of interest and review it. | What is the main subject of this article? What date was this article originally published? What is the original source of this article (e.g., name of the Periodical it was originally published in)? |

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| 1. Click the <i>By Occupation</i> link below the <i>Search for Tasks</i> section. 2. Locate the NOC code for your occupation. 3. Click your occupation to access the OSP Occupational Profile. | Which essential skills are most important to this occupation (based on skill level)? Click Writing to see examples of writing skills needed for this profession. Write one skill here: |