

Unit 4: Careers of the 21st Century

Syllabus

OVERVIEW & PURPOSE

In this unit, students will learn about several careers in the logistics industry. Students will learn about the different opportunities available in various disciplines within the industry while also exploring the requirements and skills needed to succeed in these careers. Finally, students should explore and identify possible careers



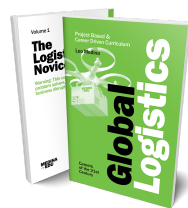
that fit their goals and interests. By the end of this lesson, students should have a sense that they can each find a career path in the logistics industry.

COURSE LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Explore career opportunities in the logistics industry
2. Learn about the necessary skills, educational requirements, and salary benefits of different careers in logistics
3. Identify careers that fulfill the students' interests and expectations

MATERIALS NEEDED

- Computer
- Internet Access
- Text Book



DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITIES

For each module please expect the following activities:

- Read through the lesson/session contents (including articles) and watch videos
- Stimulating Discussion
- Take a short quiz on the material presented
- Complete a written assignment with open-ended responses
- Inventory Manager Project
- Job Opening Project
- Group Project Presentation

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FOUR WEEK LESSON OUTLINE

Week 1: Theory & Stimulating Discussion

- 4.1 Supply Chain Manager
- 4.2 Inventory Manager
- 4.3 Logistics Analyst
- 4.4 Logistics Engineer
- 4.5 Logistics Consultant
- 4.6 Commercial Truck Driver
- 4.7 Amazon Flex Driver

Week 2: Case Study Research, Data Mining & Research Essay

- Research and investigate questions 1 & 2
- Write Research essay
- Case Study 1: Explore the Careers in the Logistics Industry
- Case Study 2: Strategies Inventory Managers use to find the best suppliers

Week 3: Collaborative Project Idea, Creation & Development and Problem Solving

- Project 1: Inventory Manager
- Project 2: Job Opening

Week 4: Project Presentations

- Group presentations before classmates