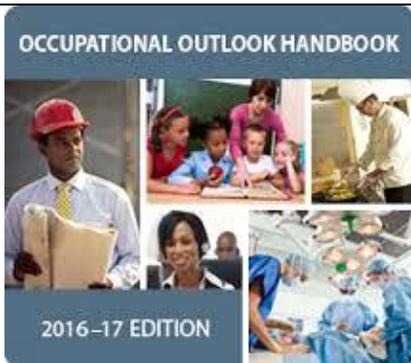


Occupational Outlook Handbook Activity



Occupational Outlook Handbook (OOH)

<https://www.bls.gov/ooh/>

INTRODUCTION:

You will be researching a career on the Occupational Outlook Handbook (OOH) website. This activity is designed to help you find career information and locate the MLA citation for this website, all of which is vital when writing your career paper.

DIRECTIONS:

Follow the step-by-step instructions and answer the questions listed below.

Part 1 – Opening:

Hello, my name is _____ and the career I have chosen is _____.

Part 2 - Your Motivational Story:

Tell a short story about why you first became interested in this area of work. Begin with a phrase like, "I first became interested in this career when...." (5-7 sentences)

Part 3 - Using Occupation Outlook Handbook, answer the following questions:

1. My career choice is: _____
2. Two major responsibilities of my career are: (4-5 sentences)
3. My typical work environment is: (4-5 sentences)
4. The job outlook for the future is: (hint – is your career stable, increasing, declining?)
5. I would be earning:
6. Find the MLA citation and add it here: (scroll to the bottom of the article to find the citation, you will need to know MLA Citation for your career paper)

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Summary

Quick Facts: Librarians	
2012 Median Pay	\$55,370 per year \$26.62 per hour
Entry-Level Education	Master's degree
Work Experience in a Related Occupation	None
On-the-job Training	None
Number of Jobs, 2012	148,400
Job Outlook, 2012-22	7% (Slower than average)
Employment Change, 2012-22	11,000



Librarians help people find information and conduct research for personal and professional use.

What Librarians Do

Librarians help people find information and conduct research for personal and professional use. Their job duties may change based on the type of library they work in, such as public, school, and medical

Question	Navigate to:
1. What is your career choice?	Use the Search Handbook box (upper right-hand side). If you cannot find your career, try using different keywords.
2. What are two responsibilities of your career choice?	Click on the What They Do tab.
3. What will your work environment look like? What will your workspace be like?	Click on the Work Environment tab
4. Is your career stable, in creasing, declining?	Click on the Job Outlook tab * Read carefully. The red bar graph indicates the average for all occupations. Compare your grey bar graph to the red bar graph.
5. What is the typical annual salary for your occupation?	Click on the Pay tab
6. What is the MLA Citation	Scroll to the bottom of the article