

# WOIS/THE CAREER INFORMATION SYSTEM

## What People Say...

*WOIS is a model in customer responsiveness."*

*—community college counselor*

*"Overall, I found the program very helpful and easy to use. It has helped me to realize what I want to study, what college I would like to attend and what to expect when I start my career. I am happy to have found the job of my dreams and to have the resources of WOIS at my fingertips."*

*—student*

*Although we have access to other programs, WOIS remains the most widely used at our facility. It simply contains too much valuable information to use any other."*

*—career center specialist.*

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## Components and Features

The WOIS Career Information System offers a comprehensive and seamless exploration of occupations, training opportunities and postsecondary schools

### Occupations—520 occupation profiles

- *In-depth, comprehensive profiles of occupations*
- *Detailed wage and outlook information*
- *Save descriptions to Portfolio*
- *Informational Interviews*
- *Career Videos*
- *Links to related Educational Programs*

### Educational Programs

- *Descriptions of more than 350 Educational Programs*
- *Links to related occupations*
- *Links to the schools that offer the programs*
- *Save descriptions to Portfolio*

### Schools

- *All the 2 and 4 year schools in Washington*
- *More than 200 Vocational/career schools in Washington*
- *Link to National College Search*
- *Link to National Scholarship Search*

### Assessment Tools

- *Career Interest Areas Activity*
- *Interest Profiler*
- *Work Importance Locator*
- *Skills*
- *Save assessments to Portfolio*

### Electronic Portfolio

- *Educational Planner*
- *Work and Community Experience*
- *Assessment Results*
- *Career and School Research*
- *Resume and Cover Letter Management*
- *Best Works*
- *School Involvement*
- *Essays*
- *External Links*
- *File Upload Capabilities (100 megabytes per student)*
- *Administrative tools for teachers and counselors*

### Practical Learning Activities (PLAN)

- *Over 500 printable classroom activities, lessons, and worksheets*



### Interesting WOIS Facts

- ? More than 70% of the public high schools in Washington choose WOIS as their career exploration tool
- ? Training and Technical Support are FREE. Phone and e-mail assistance always available. FREE on-site staff training upon request.
- ? WOIS is celebrating its 33rd year of providing career information to Washington State schools, colleges, libraries, agencies and career professionals.