

## Freshman Year: EXPLORE!

- Familiarize yourself with the resources and offices available to you on campus
- Create your [Brave Opportunities](#) account for on and off-campus employment, access to assessments, and information on upcoming career events and workshops
- Visit The Career Center to meet with a career professional and discuss career goals
- Use [Focus 2](#) to learn more about your interests, skills, values, and personality
- Research majors using our [What Can I Do with a Major In...?](#) webpage
- Take courses that interest you while fulfilling your academic goals
- Join a [student organization](#) and seek a summer job or [volunteering opportunity](#) to gain valuable experience



## Sophomore Year: RESEARCH!

- Meet with a career professional to discuss major and career exploration strategies
- Draft your resume and have it reviewed by a career professional during drop-ins or scheduled appointment
- Conduct informational interviews with professionals in your field of interest and set up job shadowing opportunities
- Research careers of interest using [O\\*NET OnLine](#) and [Occupational Outlook Handbook](#) to narrow down major options
- Take [Strong Interest Inventory](#) and/or [MBTI](#) to learn more about yourself
- Become a leader in student organizations and continue to test your interests through volunteering
- Gather information about internships, co-ops, and [study abroad](#) opportunities



## Junior Year: EXPERIENCE!

- Meet with a career professional to plan relevant experiential learning opportunities
- Update your resume and have The Career Center critique it during drop-ins or scheduled appointments
- Establish relationships with professors and supervisors from whom you want recommendations
- Build experience through related internships, part-time jobs, and student activities
- Attend [career events](#) to enhance professional skills and expand network of contacts
- Check with your academic advisor to ensure that you meet graduation requirements
- Gather information on [graduate school](#) programs if you plan to further your education



## Senior Year: NETWORK!

- Meet with a career professional to plan your job search and transition from college
- Update your professional profile on [Brave Opportunities](#) and [LinkedIn](#)
- Organize your job search with [CareerShift](#) and send out tailored resumes and cover letters
- Prepare for interviews using [InterviewStream](#) or schedule mock interviews with a career professional
- Attend [career events](#), research and network with employers and [alumni](#), and sign up for on-campus interviews
- Evaluate job offers and make decisions
- Apply for graduate school if you plan to further your education

