

IMPORTANCE OF CHOOSING A RIGHT CAREER

“CHOOSING A CAREER MEANS CHOOSING THE WAY OF LIFE WE LEAD”

- Career affects all aspects of our life – Personal, Social and Professional.
- Career forms our identity.
- Daily routine is decided by the kind of career one has.
- Our social status, friends, way of living, neighbourhood, social circle - all depends on our choice of career.
- The time that we spend with our family, friends and ourselves depends on the choice of our career.
- The money available for food, clothing, shelter, entertainment etc. depends on the earning we get from our work/job.
- The happiness or comforts and unhappiness or discomforts we face at our work place depend on the job/profession that we take.
- If we choose the work of our liking we do it with perfection and get encouragement and rewards which boost our self esteem.

“LET’S LOOK AT THE OTHER SIDE OF CHOOSING A CAREER”

If we select a career which we do not enjoy then sooner or later it will develop:-

- ❖ Boredom with work routine.
- ❖ Boredom with fellow colleagues.
- ❖ Boredom with life.
- ❖ Boredom generates frustration.
- ❖ Frustration generates dissatisfaction with work and life.
- ❖ It leads to anger and depression.
- ❖ It leads to various physical and mental problems like headache, stomach ache, acidity, ulcers, hyper tension, nervousness and lethargy.

“LAST BUT NOT THE LEAST”

- ✓ We may not always get a career of our choice.
- ✓ In case we do not get the career of our choice then we must learn to enjoy whatever career we have because in large country like India we can't get a tailor made career for us.
- ✓ We should learn to enjoy & respect our work as no work is small or big.
- ✓ We should aim at being a productive & happy citizen and a satisfied individual.

BEFORE CHOOSING A CAREER, ONE SHOULD KEEP IN MIND

ABOUT YOURSELF:-

- ⊕ Your Interest
- ⊕ Your Special Abilities/ Aptitude
- ⊕ Your Intelligence Level
- ⊕ Your Scholastic Achievement or Grade
- ⊕ Your Personality
- ⊕ Your Attitude and Values

ABOUT COURSE:-

- Name of the Course
- Name of the Institute offering the course
- Whether the Institute offering this course is affiliated or recognised by the concerning Government Body
- Whether the course is recognised or not
- Duration of the course
- Admission procedure
- Content to be studied during the course
- Fees and other financial features
- Scholarship and other benefits available for doing this course
- Infrastructure, Library and other facilities like labs etc.
- Teaching Faculty.

ABOUT EMPLOYMENT:-

- ★ Chances of getting employment after finishing the course
- ★ Nature of the work to be performed
- ★ Time schedule – single/ shift duties
- ★ Place of working
- ★ Pay scale/ Earning
- ★ Chances of promotion
- ★ Mode of Promotion
- ★ Chances of Self employment