

## **Career Research Project**

### **Objectives:**

Students will:

- Research a variety of careers
- Use their research skills to develop questions to research about their career
- Present their research to other students

### **Materials:**

- Chart Paper and Markers
- Chromebook / Technology for each child
- Access to Google Slides or another presentation application

### **Lesson Activities:**

1. Tell students we are going to begin a research project based on possible careers they are interested in, encourage students to think of a variety of careers so we could learn about new careers that they might not know about yet.
2. Create a master list of careers as a whole group and have students write down their top 3 career ideas they would like to learn about. Based on their choices, assign students a career to research
3. After they have their career to research, I would have them come up with questions they have about their career. If students need more support with coming up with questions, do this as a whole group activity so they all get a good variety of questions to search
4. Once they have questions to search, I would introduce the Kids Infobits website and show them how to use this resource.
5. Allow classwork time to research their career. Depending on your schedule and your kids, you will probably need to allow a few days for this.
6. Once their research is done, allow them time to create some way to present their research such as Google Slides or another resource appropriate for your aged students.
7. Finally have students present their research project to their classroom, as a parent involvement night, or a school wide show.