

The Employment Journey on PEI November 2017

ACTIVITY SHEET

Answer Key

1. In the last 18 months, the WorkPEI website has posted
 - a. over 500 jobs
 - b. over 600 jobs
 - c. over 900 jobs
 - d. **over 1,000 jobs**
2. What favourite school subjects led UPEI engineering student Haley Butler to her interest in engineering? **Math and sciences**
3. Where did Courtney Anderson work for two summers before she decided to become a teacher? **PEI Literacy Alliance**
4. True or false? About 30 per cent of the Sterile Processing Department staff at the QEH will be retiring in the next few years. **True**
5. What positions will PFERA need to fill as the biotechnology company continues to grow? **In-field testing and sampling**
6. How often does the PEI Public Service Commission interview applicants for cooks, service workers, resident care workers and licensed practical nurses? **Monthly or bi-monthly basis**
7. According to Sam Sanderson of the Construction Association of PEI, there will be a shortage of how many construction workers on PEI in the next 10 years? **2,300**
8. What computer program does interior designer Damien Packwood use? **2020 Design to create 3D images of home interiors**

9. Name the mentors Odyssey Virtual got advice from as the business got started.
Professor Mike Cassidy, Sessional Instructors Allison Ramsay and Ken DesRoches, and Faculty Advisor Jeffrey Bowser.
10. What courses has fishing captain Chelsey Gaudet taken to keep her industry knowledge current? **Radio communications course, MED A1 and marine first aid.**
11. The Adventure Group consists of intervention-based programs including
- the Life Management program
 - job coaching
 - summer camps
 - workshops using their ROPES course
 - all of the above**
12. How many Islanders struggle with reading, writing, document use and numeracy? **45 percent**
13. True or false? More than 200 students enrolled in the Young Millionaires Program this year, and they started 145 new businesses. **True**
14. What job do many staff at Centennial CARSTAR Collision & Glass Service start out in? **Detailer**
15. Co-op students working at Electronic Arts are mainly enrolled in which university programs? **Engineering and Computer Science**
16. What do all employees need to have at Queens County Residential Services? **Grade 12 diploma and pass a criminal record check**
17. How long did it take for one job seeker to find a job in the trades by networking?
Three days

18. What are the hiring needs at Family Traditions Restaurant in Tignish? **Cooks/Prep**

Cooks, Waiters/Waitresses and Dishwashers

BONUS QUESTION: Which article(s) interest you most? Write about what attracted you and what was interesting. What else would you like to find out about that topic and how can you do this? *(Keep in mind there is a reason why you were interested. It says something about your passions, values, personality, and more. Discovering more about who you are and what attracts you is one of the keys to following your career aspirations.)*