

VIDEO SCRIPT – Education and Training Career Cluster

“What’s Your Plan – Exploring the 16 Career Clusters”

LEAH: What’s that, Caleb?

CALEB: Oh, I’m molding a person.

LEAH: A person...

CALEB: Yep. I’m practicing being a teacher. They mold people, you know.

LEAH: Well, yes but...

CALEB: They shape them, give them LIFE!

LEAH: Okay. But there’s a bit more to being a teacher than that.

CALEB: What more?

LEAH: To be an educator, you need to be good at presenting information, make it exciting and interesting.

CALEB: Go on...

LEAH: You need to nurture people’s talents and abilities, give them wings and then set them free to soar to the highest heights of success!

CALEB: Like my acting teacher did for me!

LEAH: Um, let’s meet someone who fits the bill, who has made his career in the Education and Training Cluster.

PROFESSIONAL: Hello. My name is Curt Yaeger, and I want to introduce you to the Education and Training Career Cluster. Have you ever wondered if you would you like to trade places with your teacher? Your counselor? Your principal? Your coach? How about someday becoming a special education aide, a college professor, or a certified trainer? If you like to be prepared when you walk into class, you might even trade with me. I am a high school mathematics teacher. While I was growing up, I always liked math and played different sports. Now, with a degree and a teaching certificate, I help my students learn Calculus and Trigonometry, and I get to coach the school’s volleyball team. I love teaching. Every day brings new challenges. Job opportunities for teachers and trainers are not only in schools. Increasingly, adults need continuing education to keep their skills current and to advance in their jobs. If your plan includes a career in Education and Training, you can help us become all that we can be.

LEAH: Wow, helping to inspire and mold people sounds like a great career, huh Caleb?

CALEB: Yeah, and I think I’ve got the job down!