

The Job Shadowing Presentaton

As you go on your job shadowing experience you need to think about the presentation that you need to make at the end of the project. This is supposed to let you show what you've done during the day 'on the job', and how you felt about the whole experience. The Presentation can come in any format: a video of the day with talkover narration, a powerpoint or other type of slide show, or a simple wordprocessor document with pictures imported. The form of the project is not as important as the content.

As part of the day at work you should be sure to ask some questions of your host. The goal of the project is to find out how you would like to work in a particular field, so you will ask your host about their own experiences.

1. What training did their job require?
2. How long and how hard was the training for the job?
3. What other jobs did they have to do before reaching their current position?
4. What do they like most about their job?
5. What do they like the least about their job?
6. What kind of hours do they spend working (either on or off the work site)?

... you can ask about any other aspect of the job and how they feel about it. Be sure sound interested and to thank them for their input.

When you do up your presentation be sure to include the following;

1. Photos of your work place, the building you went to, the people that you worked with, and the tasks that you performed. Be sure to get permission for taking these photos, even if there isn't anyone around....
2. Give a full account of what you did during the day. Don't be afraid to include details of what you learned, your impressions of what happened, and how everything made you feel.
3. State what you liked most about the experience and what you liked the least. Your response to the experience is the most important part of the whole assignment.