

## Career Girls Ready-To-Use Script #3

45-50 minute lesson for "Why Choose STEM" and "Career Exploration 101"

- **Begin Presentation: Spend 5 minutes introducing video**
  - (Greeting)
  - "Today we are going to learn about women in STEM and why you might want to pursue a career in a STEM field, as well as careers in many other fields."
  - "Does anyone know what STEM stands for?"
  - "It stands for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics. How many of you would like to be doctors, or archaeologists, or even astronauts?"
  - "Great! Now we are going to watch a quick video about why STEM careers are a good choice, and how they can give you exciting and rewarding opportunities."
  
- **Play "Why Choose STEM video (1:23)**
  
- **Video Follow-up (3-5 minutes)**
  - "Does anyone have any questions, comments, reactions, or responses they would like to share?"
  
- **Pass out copies of the Independent Learning Guide (available online) and have the girls answer the questions on their own (5-7 minutes)**
  
- **Open up group discussion (7-10 minutes)**
  - "Would anyone like to volunteer to share their answers with the group?"
  - Begin calling on girls randomly to facilitate a group conversation

- Introduce “Career Exploration 101” video (2-3 minutes)
  - “We just finished a video about careers in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics, but there are also many other different kinds of careers where you can be successful, and this next video will show you some of those.”
- Play “Career Exploration 101” video (2:24) and begin discussion (3-5 minutes)
  - “Which careers sounded interesting or exciting to you?”
  - “Which careers would you like to learn more about and why?”
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