

Technology Careers: Independent Learning Guide

The role models in the video "Technology Careers" share reasons you should consider a career in technology.

Watch the video "<u>Technology Careers</u>" at least once. Then read each statement below. Think carefully about each question before you answer it.

| 1. | The first technology role model said that a career in technology is "more |
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| | interesting than you think." That tells us that many people think a career in |
| | technology is not interesting. |

| How can you know for sure if a career in technology is actually interesting or not? | r not? | |
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| 2. | The same technology role model said that a career in technology is challenging a | and |
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| | will "open doors for you." | |

| What does it mean when a career | opens doors for you : |
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| 3. | In the video, we learned that when a woman prepares for a career in technology she has a chance to be a pioneer. |
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| | How does having a career in technology make you a pioneer? |
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| 4. | The video reminds us that technology is all around us, not just in our phones and computers, but everywhere in our daily lives. |
| | Where have you noticed new technologies making a difference in your life? |
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| 5. | Sometimes a career in technology can be combined with other interests. |
| | What other interests do you have that might be successfully combined with a career in technology? |
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| 6. | lechnology experts usually earn a lot of money in their careers. | | |
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| | How does earning a good salary help you enjoy more freedom? How important do you think salary considerations should be when selecting a career? Explain your answer. | | |
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| 7. | Technology experts create applications we use on our computers, tablets, and phones. These applications help us lead better lives. | | |
| | What application do you wish you could create that would help people live better lives? | | |
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