

## *Horizon to the Future -project, Getting to know me and my possibilities -workshop*

### DIDACTIC PLAN

#### **TASK: WHAT ISSUES DO I VALUE IN JOBS?**

This is a preliminar-task, it is open in edmodo 7.3.-1.4.2016 and every student does the task there. The final common discussion takes place in Joutsa.

#### **AIMS:**

To think ones own values for jobs.

To share thoughts with different students and that way develop ones own thinking.

#### **CONTENT OF THIS TASK:**

Tell the instructions.

Everyone fills up the task by her/himself. In this case this is already done and Sanna has seen the tasks through and looked for the answers.

You can continue with this exercise in several ways:

1) Choose some comments in advance. For example: who answered that they valued most the money? Please form a group with these people.. etc.. choose so many comments that you have small groups and everyone is member of one group.

Give instruction that students will discuss in their group about their comment: why this the most important issue? What kind of jobs this issue/attitude is most valued? Etc

Group writes their comments in a big paper. Their headline is the original comment.

Every group presents their drawing briefly to others.

2) You can have mixed groups, but small groups 4-5 person/group.

Group discusses those 3 values that everyone has chosen for themselves in the task in page 2.

Group discusses also of all the values and they choose 5 arguments that they think is the most important ones.

Group writes those 5 arguments and reasons why they chose these to a large A3-paper.

These written presentations will be put in the wall.

#### **TIMING:**

First we looked prezi-show of the meaning of the values so that everyone is ready for this theme!

The pdf -version of the prezi is attached with this task.

15 minutes for telling the idea of the task, 15-25 minutes for doing the task, 30-45 min for groupdiscussion, 15 min for making the presentations.

#### **MATERIALS:**

The task have to be copied for everyone in advance.

A3 papers, colouring pencils.

## WHAT ISSUES DO I VALUE IN JOBS?

The point of this exercise is to find out which things are important to you in your future job, which issues do you value the most.

### Task 1.

Mark a cross (X) to the exact point of the line that shows which statement is more important to you and how much you value it.

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| 1. The job is valued                           | ----- | The job is not to be valued                  |
| 2. Good but not a certain salary               | ----- | Certain but not so good salary               |
| 3. Outdoor job                                 | ----- | Indoor job                                   |
| 4. Possible health risks but good salary       | ----- | Not so big health risks but a smaller salary |
| 5. Shift work                                  | ----- | Regular daytime work                         |
| 6. A work with exact instructions              | ----- | Free and creative work                       |
| 7. Working is independent                      | ----- | Working is guided                            |
| 8. Stable tasks                                | ----- | Variable tasks                               |
| 9. Job is easy                                 | ----- | Job is demanding                             |
| 10. Job requires responsibility                | ----- | You don't need to take responsibility        |
| 11. Job demands constant education             | ----- | Job does not demand constant education       |
| 12. Your work is based on strict plans         | ----- | You need to make plans for yourself          |
| 13. Work is surprising                         | ----- | There are no surprises in the work           |
| 14. Good career possibilities                  | ----- | No career possibilities                      |
| 15. You need to work with given orders         | ----- | You can give orders yourself                 |
| 16. You can impact society                     | ----- | Having an impact on society is not important |
| 17. Possibility to work in groups              | ----- | Possibility to work alone                    |
| 18. Salary is determined by the amount of work | ----- | Salary is always the same                    |
| 19. The possibility to compete with others     | ----- | There is no possibility to compete           |
| 20. Work feels useful                          | ----- | Work does not feel useful                    |

**Task 2.**

Which ones of these issues are the most important to you when you think about the occupation you are interested in??  
Choose 3 and give reasons why you chose them:

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2. \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. \_\_\_\_\_  
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