**Classroom Counseling Lesson Plan**

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| **Lesson Title** | **Grade Range** | **Time Needed** |
| Career Around Me | 3-5 | 30 minutes |

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| **Domain** | **Mindset Standards** | **Behavior Standards** |
| Career | 2, 5 | LS: 2, 5, 6, 8 SM: 1 SS: 2, 3, 6, 7 |

**Learning Objectives:**

* Students will learn about careers in their community
* Students will connect academic skills with careers

**Supplies/Materials:**

* Poster paper and markers

**Outline:**

1. As a class have students brainstorm careers in their community
2. List them on the poster paper
3. Tell students you are going to take a closer look at these careers
4. Divide the class into groups of 3-5 students and allow them to select two or three of the careers from the list they generated.
5. List on the board: Math Skills, Reading Skills, Writing Skills
6. List on the board: No education after HS, special training after HS, Technical College, Bachelor’s degree, master’s degree and doctorate degree ( you will likely have to explain these to your students)
7. In their groups students will list the skills they feel a person in each career will need and what level of education is needed (they will write this on their poster paper).
8. When the posters are done, groups will share them with the class (you should discuss their answers)

***Note: all careers will use math, reading and writing skills*** *(Optional: you can challenge students to find a career that doesn’t require math, reading or writing skills)*