



Superhuman Samurai Cyber Squad College & Careers Module

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Welcome Cyber Squad!

We hope you're ready to learn about college & careers! We've put together fun activities, interviews, and extra resources for you.

How It Works

In order to complete this program, you must first <u>register on our Program Calendar</u>. Soon after you register, you will receive an email giving you instructions on how to join <u>ReadSquared</u>, our reading program software, where you will complete the missions for each module. You can work on the projects at your own pace, but you must complete the entire program within the allotted time frame (Oct 12 - Dec 18, 2020) in order to receive a TeenHQ bag of swag and be entered to win an Oculus Go Virtual Reality headset.

In this document you will find instructions on how to complete each mission in the College & Careers Module, biographies of community professionals, and links to helpful resources (Ctrl + click the underlined words).

Missions!

Mission #1 Community Professional Interview

Instructions: Watch the interview with student services coordinator Melanie Carpenter (23 min) You can find the link on <u>ReadSquared</u> and on the <u>Superhuman Samurai Cyber Squad</u> webpage. When you have finished, answer the question in <u>ReadSquared</u>.

Melanie Carpenter received her Bachelor's from Indiana State University in Communication/Broadcast Journalism and began her career as a reporter, working as the News Director at WJNZ radio. While raising her four children, she worked in recruiting/admissions for International Business. She loves her job at Central Nine Career Center here in Greenwood and has been there for five years.

Mission #2 Virtual Reality College Visit

Instructions: Visit the library and use one of our Oculus Go virtual reality headsets or check out <u>YouVisit.com</u> to search colleges you'd like to tour. When you are finished, visit <u>ReadSquared</u> to tell us about the experience. Did you learn anything that surprised you or disappointed you? Is there something that was missing in the virtual experience?



Additional Resources (Click for links)

EdSurge

Princeton Review

US News

Affordable Colleges

College Express

Mission #3 Community Professional Interview

Instructions: Watch the interview with college student Evan Wright (11 min). You can find the link on ReadSquared and on the Superhuman Samurai Cyber Squad webpage. When you have finished, answer the question in ReadSquared.

Evan is a junior at Indiana University majoring in East Asian Languages and Cultures and minoring in Intelligence Studies. Currently, he is virtually interning with the Department of State at U.S. Embassy Tokyo and is a Student Ambassador for the Hamilton Lugar School of Global and International Studies.

Mission #4 Sample Resume

Instructions: Create a sample resume through our online database <u>Learning Express (Inspire</u>). You can access it from our website under Online Databases or by clicking the link above. You'll need to log in with your library card or be at the library. Complete the Great Resumes course and submit your sample resume on the <u>Google Form</u> to complete this mission.

Additional Resources (Click for links)

Indeed.com

Zety.com

Live Career

Lynda.com Designing a Resume

Lynda.com Writing a Resume

Lynda is a great resource for learning technology. You can access it from our website by hovering over "Find Stuff" and clicking on "Online Databases." You will either need to have a library card or be in the library building.

Mission #5 Future Plans

Instructions: You don't have to have all the answers, but we would love to hear about your future plans. To complete this mission, log in to your ReadSquared account and submit a short reflection on your chosen college or career path (or at least some of the options you're considering).

Additional Resources (Click for links)

Connections Academy



Health Hub
Teen Smart Goals
How to Adult
Career One Stop