



#KidsToWork

Name Jake Farley

(First Name and Last Initial)

Advisory # Ms Watt

The Assignment:

You will be observing your host throughout the day. There are 3 parts to this assignment:

Part 1- The Interview: Observe your host at work, at some point interview your host and record/make notes of the results

Part 2 - Reflection: After the day is finished, reflect upon your experience and answer the reflection questions

Part 3 – Post Your Assignment to Your Blog: Once you have completed **Part 1** and **Part 2** post it on your blog. Make sure you take pictures and/or videos to document your day, you can place them in your blog.

Name of your host: Dave Farley. Relationship to you: My Dad

The Interview: (ask your host these questions)

1. What is your job title?
. Director United States office BC Wood
2. What is your job description?
. My dad develops international trade and market development for forestry products from BC.
3. What are the duties and/or tasks you perform at your job;
. My dad does all marketing and sales development for secondary wood products in British Columbia.
4. What qualifications do you have for this job in the following areas?
 - a) training?
Specialty training in forestry products FP innovation's.
 - b) education:
Degree in business and commutation from Simon Fraser University.
 - c) experience:
Over 20 years in international trade and export market development in forest products.
 - d) skills and attributes (personal qualities)
Writing and communication market analyst and export market.

What are some of the things you like about the job?

My dad gets to travel lots of places including Hawaii, California, and around the USA

for meetings, seminars and trades shows. I like that because he travels around 12 times a year, so he gets to see and meet new people from different cities who all have the same interests.

5. What are some of the things you dislike about this job:

I don't like how there's lots of writing, and travel. It can be difficult and many different moving parts. I also have a love and hate relationship with the traveling. I would like to travel lots of places but its also lots of time away from your family if you had one.

6. How do you anticipate this job changing in the next 5 years or so?

International trade is always moving so you won't always know what's going to happen next.

Other question (s):

Don't really have any I understand everything that my dad does.

Student Reflections:

1. Give three reasons why you would like this job (be specific):

- . You get to sleep in, and you don't have an exact time you have to be at work.
- . Get to travel and meet lots of new people.
- . Its unique and not an everyday job.

2. Give three reasons why you would not like this job (be specific):

1. Lots of writing and important emails.
2. You have to work in the summer unlike a teacher.
3. Lots of traveling more time away from family.

3. Is this job for you? Why or why not?

Yes I think would in joy this job because I like wood working so I think I would like working in the export part of it. I also would like it because I do like meeting new people and traveling.

Explain the value of the TYKWTW experience in relation to your ideas about your post secondary (after high school) plans (education?, training?, travel?, work?).

I found it interesting because it can show you some of the paths you can take after post-secondary school, like say if you would rather have a office job or an outdoor job or if you would be interested in working for the same job as your parents. I Think it also can tell you more about your parents' job because before this I only knew a bit about what my dad did but now I know what his day looks like and what he does for a living.

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This was where I went to an Architecture meeting to show and influence the architectures one of the wood companies that BC wood distributes.



In this photo we went to a shake and singles mill in Langley this is also one of the brands that BC wood / my dad distributes around the world.

Other question (s): Don't really have any I get everything that my dad does.

Student Reflections:

4. Give three reasons why you would like this job (be specific):

- 1. You get to sleep in and you don't have an exact time you have to be at work.
- 2. Get to travel and meet lots of new people.
- 3. Its unique.

5. Give three reasons why you would not like this job (be specific):

- a) _____
- b) _____
- c) _____

6. Is this job for you? Why or why not?

7. Explain the value of the TYKWTW experience in relation to your ideas about your post secondary (after high school) plans (education?, training?, travel?, work?).

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