

For Parents: What is Career Cruising?

The Individual Learning Plan (ILP) is fully integrated with the Career Cruising career guidance system. Career Cruising is an Internet-based career exploration and planning tool your child uses to explore career and college options and develop a career plan. Career Cruising can be accessed from school, from home, or wherever your son or daughter has access to the Internet. Features of the program include:

Interest and Skills Assessment - a world-renowned career assessment tool to help people identify suitable career options based on their interests and skills

Career Profiles - thorough and up-to-date information about hundreds of different occupations, including direct links between careers and college programs

Multimedia Interviews - interviews with real people in each occupation, which add depth and realism to career profiles

College and Financial Aid Information - comprehensive college and financial aid information, with a number of useful search tools to help students find the right college and the right scholarships

Individual Learning Plan - available online, so students can develop their education and career plans from wherever they access Career Cruising

Resume Builder - integrated with the ILP to help students format and print professional-looking resumes quickly and easily

The Parent/Guardian ILP Tool allows you to view the information your child has stored in his or her ILP, learn more about the careers and schools that your child is interested in, and communicate with your child's career advisor.

To log into the Parent ILP Tool, go to www.careercruising.com/ILP/ and enter your parent/guardian username and password.

Please contact your child's career advisor for your Parent/Guardian ILP Tool login information.