

Gale Presents: Peterson's Test and Career Prep

Gale Presents: Peterson's Test and Career Prep is intended for those who aspire to study overseas. It provides information on college planning, undergraduate and graduate programs, scholarship application and career development. Practice tests for college entrance examinations and international examinations, as well as advice on resumes, cover letters, interviews and social networking are also available.

Gale Presents: Peterson's Test and Career Prep 專為有志到海外留學的人士而設，提供升學規劃、本科及研究院課程、獎學金申請及事業發展等資訊，並載有院校入學考試及國際考試實習試題。使用者更可獲得有關履歷、求職信、面試及社交網絡等方面的建議。

Getting Started

Creating a free user account

- Sign in to view ebooks, search for schools and scholarships, take practice tests, as well as save your work to finish or review later.

The image shows a screenshot of the Peterson's Test and Career Prep website. The main page is titled "Education and Career Center" and features a search bar and several navigation buttons: "Improve Your Score", "Find A School", "Explore Careers", and "Vocational Test". Below these buttons is a "Create An Account" section with "Log in" and "Register" buttons. A callout box with a blue border and a blue arrow points to the "Register" button, containing the text "Click 'Register'". A green arrow points from this callout to a larger, detailed view of the "New User Signup" form. This form includes fields for "First Name", "Last Name", "Email Address", "Username", "Password", and "Secret Word". A "Register" button is at the bottom of the form. A second callout box with a blue border and a blue arrow points to the "New User Signup" form, containing the text "Create an account by following the steps shown on the screen".

Useful Features:

● Taking Online Practice Tests

- Each test offers two or three online practice exams with scoring for multiple choice sections, and sample answers for short answer and essay segments.

Select any exam to find relevant online practice tests, e.g. TOEFL

Select "Improve Your Score"

Once you click "Select", the practice test will open in a new tab or window.

Start Quiz

Submit the answer and see your performance. Click "View Feedback" to see the explanation of the correct answer to each question.

TOEFL Reading Comprehension Test Prep

Course Contents

Practice Tests

33% 1 of 3 Topics Completed

TOEFL Reading Comprehension Test Prep - Unit 1 of 1 Practice Tests

- TOEFL Reading Comprehension Practice Test 1
- TOEFL Reading Comprehension Practice Test 2
- TOEFL Reading Comprehension Practice Test 3

End of Unit

Summary

Quiz Details

Current Time: 8:24 PM Update

Current User: Rachel Au (username: Rachel.Au.4.19665)

Time Allowed: Unlimited (estimated time required: 2:00:00)

Attempts: Allowed - Unlimited, Completed - 2

Introduction

Click on the start button to begin. You have 120 minutes to complete the exam.

Instructions

Before you submit the quiz, you will have the opportunity to return to questions that you answered.

You can submit your quiz responses at any time.

Click "Start Quiz" to begin Attempt 3.

The timer will not begin until after the set up process is finished.

Start Quiz

View Feedback

Question 14 0 / 1 point

Under which type of life insurance is a minimum return NOT guaranteed?

Variable

Whole

Universal

Straight life

Hide Feedback

The correct answer is A. Variable life insurance policies do not guarantee a minimum return, so choice A is the best answer. Whole life and universal life policies guarantee returns, so choices B and C are incorrect. Straight life policies are a type of whole life, so choice D is incorrect.

Question 15 0 / 1 point

If an employee contributes to a traditional IRA plan, when are payroll deductions made?

After tax return

Before tax return

● Searching for Schools

- Specialized school searches identify the best search result to meet users' needs

This screenshot shows the main navigation menu of the Peterson's website. Callouts provide instructions on how to use the menu:

- Find A School:** Select the "Find A School" menu to locate a school search according to your needs.
- College and Scholarship Search:** e.g. Select "College and Scholarship Search".
- Undergraduate School Search:** Select "Undergraduate School Search" and click "Select".

This screenshot shows the search results page for the Peterson's College Search Engine. Callouts describe the search process and the details of the results:

- Search Process:** Search by location and program of study to target universities and other schools of interest. Users may narrow down the search results by adding options such as area of study, school type, tuition and admission difficulty.
- Search Results Table:**

School	Tuition	Acceptance Rate	Enrollment
Academy of Art University, San Francisco, CA	\$30,000 \$18,226 after financial aid	100%	
Miami Dade College, Miami, FL	\$7,947 \$1,732 after financial aid	100%	56,000
Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ	\$28,270 \$17,922 after financial aid	85%	
State University of New York at Oswego, Oswego, NY			
- University of California, San Diego Profile:**
 - Tuition:** \$42,324 / year; \$21,481 / year (Out-of-state tuition after financial aid)
 - Acceptance Rate:** 32%
 - Students:** 30,794
 - Setting:** Suburban
 - Overview:** Make Waves. Situated on a sunny cliff overlooking the Pacific Ocean, the University of California San Diego is a place that has reimagined the traditional path to knowledge. Established in 1960, UC San Diego is a public research university that has been shaped by exceptional scholars who aren't afraid to make waves--from creating the world's first algae-based surfboard to developing wireless health-monitoring tattoos and printing 3D blood vessels. The 1,200-acre campus is located in the La Jolla neighborhood of San Diego, Calif., in the heart of one of the most densely concentrated innovation hubs in the nation. The campus is consistently ranked among the top 10 best universities in the nation and top 15 in the world for research, teaching, public service and post-graduation career prospects.

● Searching for Scholarships

- Search for awards by keyword to find available scholarships that match your interests and qualifications

The screenshot shows the Peterson's Scholarship Search Engine interface. At the top, there are navigation tabs: "Improve Your Score", "Find A School", and "Explore Careers". Below these, there are search filters for "Information Technology Programs Search" and "Undergraduate Nursing School Search". The main search area is titled "Peterson's Scholarship Search Engine" and includes a search bar with the text "Find the perfect scholarship" and "Search by keyword...". A "Search" button is located to the right of the search bar. Below the search bar, there are several filter options: "Type of Award" (set to Undergraduate), "Amount", "School Type", "Ethnicity", "Gender", "Study Type", "State of Residence", "State Where Studying", and "Area of Study". A "Filter Your Results" section is also visible, with a "Clear All Filters" button. The search results show "Showing 1 to 20 of 819 Scholarships". One scholarship is highlighted: "Minority Students In Veterinary Medicine Scholarship" and "Alan Lucas Memorial Educational Scholarship". The details for the Alan Lucas Memorial Educational Scholarship are shown, including the amount "\$1,500" and the application deadline "April 1 2021". A callout box with a blue border and white background points to the "Undergraduate Scholarship Search" filter, containing the text: "Select 'Undergraduate Scholarship Search' and click 'Select'".

● College Planning Center

- Articles with tips on applying, paying and preparing for college

The screenshot shows the College Planning Center website. At the top, there are four main navigation options: "Improve Your Score", "Find A School", "Explore Careers", and "Vocational Test Prep". Below these, there is a "College Planning Center" section with a "Learn More" button. A callout box with a blue border and white background points to the "College Planning Center" section, containing the text: "Grade-by-grade guides to help parents and students navigate the college planning process throughout high school". The main content area features a header "College Planning Center" with the subtitle "The College Planning Center is your online resource center for test preparation, college search, financial aid, and career planning." Below the header, there are several articles listed in a grid format: "Student Checklist", "Parents' Checklist", "General Advice", and "Test Preparation Advice". Each article has a brief description and a "Learn More" link. A callout box with a blue border and white background points to the "Student Checklist" article, containing the text: "Grade-by-grade guides to help parents and students navigate the college planning process throughout high school".

● **Preparing for a Career**

- The database offers “Find a Career”, “Career Advice” and “Create a Resume” to help users look for a career.

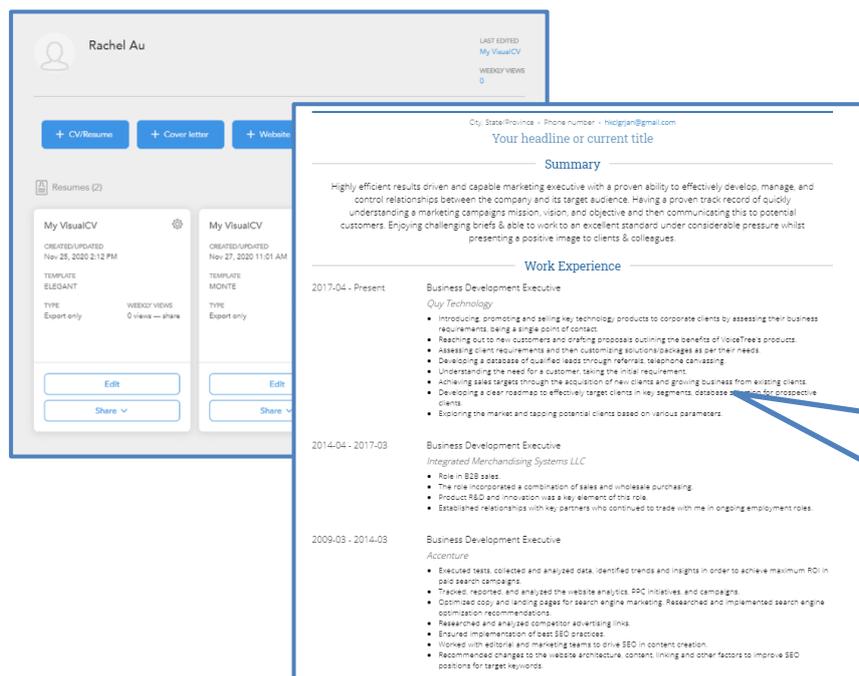
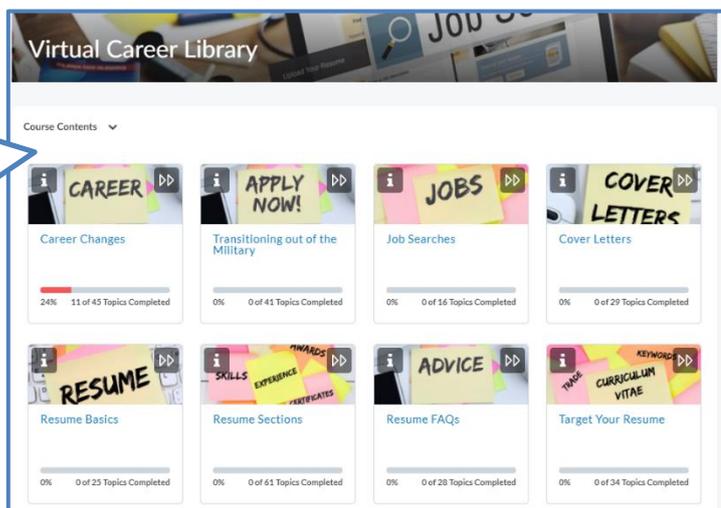
The image shows a navigation menu with four main categories: **Improve Your Score**, **Find A School**, **Explore Careers**, and **Vocational Test Prep**. Below this is a 'Get Started' section with three main options: **Find a Career**, **Career Advice**, and **Create a Resume**. A callout box labeled 'Select "Explore Careers"' points to the 'Explore Careers' menu item. Another callout labeled 'Find a Career' points to the 'Find a Career' option in the 'Get Started' section. A third callout labeled 'Career Advice' points to the 'Career Advice' option. A fourth callout labeled 'Create a Resume' points to the 'Create a Resume' option. A green arrow points from the 'Explore Careers' menu item to the 'Get Started' page.

Find a Career

The image shows the 'Interests Assessment' page on Peterson's. A callout box explains: **Interests Assessment: determines possible career paths based on users' interests and values, and provides career overviews.** Below this is a screenshot of the assessment results page. The page is titled 'Assessments' and includes a 'Summary' section with progress indicators for 'Interests', 'Values', 'Personality', and 'Workplace Preferences'. The 'Interests' section shows a bar chart for six categories: REALISTIC, INVESTIGATIVE, ARTISTIC, SOCIAL, ENTERPRISING, and CONVENTIONAL. The 'Values' section has a 'START ASSESSMENT' button. The 'Personality' and 'Workplace Preferences' sections also have 'START ASSESSMENT' buttons. On the right side, there are 'Reflection Questions' and a 'Get help interpreting your results' section. At the bottom right, there is a 'VIEW WORKSHEETS' button.

Career Advice

Virtual Career Library: provides guides for job search, resumes and cover letters, interviews, and more.



Create a Resume

VisualCV tool: creates a professional resume that outlines the user's qualifications, skills and accomplishments.

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All Hong Kong public libraries (excluding mobile libraries)
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