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WHAT'S A NICHE? Warmup

Think of a profession (ideally one with which you are very familiar, such as a parent's or other family member's job). Write as thorough a description of that job as you can. Your response should be at least 10 sentences. You may want to use the following questions to jumpstart your thinking:

Where does this person work?

When does this person work?

What does this person do when "on the job"?

Why do people do this job?

-What are the effects of doing this job?

-What would be different if no one did this job?

With whom does this person work?

-Does this person ever need to collaborate with people from a different profession? Explain.

-Is this person ever in competition with people from a different profession? Explain.

What skills does this person need to be successful at work?

What resources (e.g., computer, paper, scalpel, bulldozer, telephone, protective clothing) does this person need to be successful at work?