

**Adventures in Food and Nutrition! © 2016**  
**Chapter 25: A Career to Consider—Career Activity**

**Careers in Food and Nutrition**

Food and nutrition offers many career possibilities. There are food service, food technology, food science, dietetics, and nutrition positions. Each of these career fields differs in job duties, working conditions, and job outlook. This activity will help you learn more about these exciting careers. Start by going to the following website:

<http://www.bls.gov/search/ooh.htm>

You can search for many careers in food and nutrition by using the terms *Food*, *Chefs*, *Dietitians*, and *Agricultural and Food Scientists*. Select a food or nutrition career that interests you and answer the following questions.

**Activity Questions**

1. What career did you choose to research?
2. In two or three sentences, briefly describe the nature of the work in this career.
3. What training and other qualifications are necessary for this career?

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

4. What is the job outlook for this career?

5. What are typical earnings in this career?

6. After researching this career, are you interested in pursuing it? Why or why not?