

Future Focus



Where did this all begin?

For 19 years we have worked with teachers and high school learners while doing the RockingFuture Career EXPO and we've had one request that has never ceased – “Do you have something similar for our gr.9 learners?”

In a world that is rapidly changing how can we prepare these learners for the world of work and study that they will be entering? Gr 9 is such an important year where learner make the first of many important decisions as to their future career path. It's time for subject choices and mostly they are given a wide, standardized approach that could lead them into many different educational streams. The problem with that is that not many 15-year-old learners have any clue as to what they would like to be one day. They also have not delved into the world of work to discover all the different options open to them. Most learners and (teachers) know the top 5 – Medicine, Accounting, Law, Engineering and Business. The pressure to make the right choices are immense, yet not much time and attention is given to preparing the learners for the whole subject choice debacle. Most learners pursue a career path because of what they know their parents do or even worse, something they have seen on TV. E.g. Everybody wanting to study law because of SUITS, or criminology and pathology because of CSI: NY.

The world of work is evolving daily. In ten years', time there will be careers that don't even exist today. It is so much bigger and involved than the obvious career choices most of us know of. At 3RC we have dealt with matric students from over 400 High schools in South Africa. We have interacted and spoken to them for more than 18 years and one thing has become very apparent. Learners need exposure to future choices and career options long before they reach the end of their matric year. They also need to know themselves and discover their hidden aptitudes, learning styles and how to become future focused.



What is the FutureFocus Show?

Future Focus is an introduction to future career paths and study prospects. There is no way for us to go into all the details with every career option available during the 90min we will have with these Gr.9 students. However, in a multimedia presentation combined with live acting, we will break down the career paths into the 6 areas of interest according to “The Holland Code or RAISEC”. During this time, we will give the learners information on each one with regards to preferred subject choices, character traits of those within these sectors, what career options are available within the sector as well as mentions of some famous people within these sectors. The aim of FutureFocus is to spark interest for learners and their parents to do more research regarding admission requirements and subjects needed, long before they must make these decisions in Gr.12.

The 3RC virtual Portal allows each student to complete an online assessment that will help them to understand their own learning style, give them tips on how to make this work for them and also allow each student to complete the “Holland Code or RAISEC test” that will direct them in a career path that will be most fulfilling and appropriately fitting for them.

Each learner will be given a FutureFocus magazine to take home with them and share with their parents what they have experienced at the show. The guide will cover in greater detail the 6 Areas as discussed at the show as well as study options both in traditional universities as well as private institutions both locally and internationally.

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How do you benefit from this?

Once learners have taken the RAISEC assessment on the 3RC virtual portal, they will be able to see which career and study path will be most suitable to them. If you select to be represented on the portal, your brand will have the extended opportunity of 6 months to share more about what you can offer these learners. The other benefit of being an advertiser and participant in the FutureFocus show is that you are exposing these Gr.9 learners to your brand and future study options long before other institutions even look at them. At this age most of them only know the state Universities, because that is what they have had exposure to via their parents and teachers. This is an opportunity to change the status quo.



Where does your company fall in the Holland code Wheel (RIASEC)?

Each participating tertiary institution and company will be able to select where their speciality falls within the Holland Code Wheel and have dedicated advertising time within the show as well as in the magazine that is taken home. Each section will have space for 2 x Tertiary Institutions (45 sec advert) and 1 x company (2 min – Day in the life of “ _ “) as Future Employer. If you feel that your company/tertiary institutions fall within numerous fields, you are more than welcome to buy extra advertising slots to fulfil your specific needs. You might even feel that you would like to take up a company slot as a future employer to feature one of your departments.

Every learner that takes this test will be placed in 3 sectors. One being dominant and the other 2 are sub sections. Go and take the test yourself on www.3rcvirtual.com – Click on Assessments and Select Raisec. – It is really fascinating how accurate these are.

Sector	Explanation	Possible career Choices
R	Realistic The Doers Active Hands-on Adventurous	Agriculture, Engineering, Construction, Environment Studies, Emergency Services, Manufacturing, Utilities and Energy, Plumbers, Electricians, Surgeons, Set and Exhibit Design, Radiologist
I	Investigative The Thinkers Analytical Theoretical Inquisitive	Lab assistant, Medical Technicians, Diagnostician, Nuclear Medicine Tech, Chemist, Nurses, Paralegal, Quality Control Analyst, Web developers, Industrial Engineers, Market Research Analyst, Marine Architect, Marine Engineer Software Developers, Audiologist, Vet
A	Artistic The Creators Expressive Imaginative Free spirited	Publisher, Dancers, Chef, Fashion Designer, Film & Video Production, Fine Arts, Jeweller, Hair Dresser, Cosmetologist, Singer, Sound Engineers, Composers, Musicians, Architects, Dressmakers, Art Director, Interior Design, Editors, Writers Radio and TV Announcers, Teachers
S	Social The Helpers Caring Supportive Collaborative	Shop attendant, Doctor, Dentist, Psychologist, Childcare, Funeral Attendant, Physio Therapist, Teachers, Trainers, Coaches, Educators, Mediators, Midwife, Nurses, Counsellors, Nutritionists, Emergency services
E	Enterprising The Persuaders Organised Charming Leaders	Entrepreneurs, Sales, Promoters, Food Service Manager, Hospitality Managers, Flight Attendant, Mortician, Emergency Services, Operational Manager, General Manager, Marketing & Advertising, Clergy, Chief Executive Officer, Treasurer, Lawyer, Judge, Urban Planner
C	Conventional The Organisers Practical Orderly Efficient	Compliance manager, Data Analysts, Dental assistant, Insurance Brokers, Banking, Secretary, Paralegal, Pharmacist, Tax Accountant, Actuary, Accountant, Auditors, Occupational Therapist, Database administrator, Logistics, Economist, Statistician, Judicial Clerk

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What will the FutureFocus Show look Like?

The FutureFocus show will take the format of a Gameshow with advertising space in between and digital inserts like – “The next SECTOR brought to you by”. The show will be full of energy and fun with a dedicated Show host and assistant. The show will be based on a spinning wheel with the 6 main areas of interest (RAISEC) with study directions, careers opportunities, personality traits, and games connected to each one. The show will be mostly pre-recorded but will appear as if it is happening on the fly to the students. There is no need for any of your company representatives to attend the shows. All advertising will take place on screen.

FutureFocus Magazine

The guide will be taken home to discuss with mom and dad. This is our way of making sure that the intervention doesn't stop when they leave the hall. Each learner will be given a free copy of the FutureFocus magazine and this will give the free access to the 3rcvirtual.com – Assessments – site to do a study method and RAISEC test. All of this and more will be discussed in the little A5 magazine and will give each participating tertiary institution and company space to advertise and expand on their courses, preferred subjects if applicable and entrance requirements.

Each sector of the RAISEC (Holland Codes) will be discussed in more detail and further resources for self-discovery tests and research will be added. The magazine will also be available on 3RC.co.za under FutureFocus

How many learners / schools

As our pilot project we will be doing 70 school in Gauteng. We will target schools with a Gr.9 student body of no less than 80 learners but will aim at doing schools with a Gr.9 student body of more than 120 learners. In some cases, we will request that the Gr.10 learners join in as this is still relevant information to them.

We aim to interact with over 10 000 learners.

Advertising space will be selected for all schools and not specific regions.

Dates

16 July to 20 August

As with our other shows/expo's we will be doing 2 schools a day.

*No representation is needed from a company or industry

3RC Virtual Listing

The 3RC Virtual portal is a one stop shop for Learners, Parent and teachers to find all the information they need about Private Tertiary institutions in South Africa and Abroad. The listing can take on many different levels but may contain a virtual company expo stand with - company video, vlog type interview, downloadable brochures and prospectus, social media, websites, contact information, what you offer, entrance requirements and many options for contact. Ex. WhatsApp Line, Chat box or a simple email form. If you select to come on board for the only the FutureFocus marketing period you will receive 6 months of coverage on the portal.

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So what do you get?

- Advertising will be in the form of a 45sec clip featuring the college and the specialised field – (To be supplied by the client).
- Show script built around your brand
- Full Page Advertising in the FutureFocus magazine that is sent home to parents, siblings and friends (Extra editorial space is available at an extra cost)
- Listing on 3rcvirtual.com for 6 months advertising spaces.
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- No reps needed to attend the show, freeing up man power to see to other career expos

All costing ex VAT	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4
70 Shows @ R350 Advertising Space (30 Second advert)	R24 500	R24 500	R24 500	R24 500
1 Full Page advert in Magazine	R8 000	R8 000	R8 000	R8 000
Extra Page editorial or advert in Magazine		R6 000		R6 000
6 month Listing on 3RCVirtual.com			R12 250	R12 250
	R32 500	R38 500	R44 750	R50 750