AFTER INTERMEDIATE WHAT? (Careers) PRIVARE SECTOR: Smaller Establishment Jobs

By the time a youth passes his Examination, he is only 17 years of age. He is neither eligible for employment nor for self-employment loan sanction. But usually brilliant students cross the hurdle of Intermediate Examination, successfully and leap forward towards higher studies.

It is those candidates who are not successful in Intermediate Examination and who cannot afford to go for further studies, and who eventually gain time on their scale of age., and facing pressure from the elders of the family to do some job, who initiate steps to find suitable job. The first priority is the job should be within the reach of the candidate.

Secondly, it should be within as much distance as the candidate could easily afford to traverse by any mode within his means like, bicycle, or bus or train or motor-bike, if he has any.

Thirdly, he must be able to afford easily and meet the need of mid-day meal to fulfill his requirement of energies till supper, either at the employer's canteen or local commercial canteen or from the tiffin carrier provided at home.

Thus with his travel needs and midday meal needs fulfilled properly and rest of the wages proving paying to him, he will be able to pay full attention to the job and work punctually and regularly.

Those candidates who find it difficult to get job in the vicinity of their locality, they must be ready to migrate to other areas, either with whole dependent family or individually by resorting to cooking by themselves, in which area they must first become self-sufficient. On the whole, one thing gets solidified here: it is the ability to work by themselves and the capacity to live by themselves. While doing so, it may soon turn up that the job in which you have landed with such little qualifications and so little exposure to the world of work, is not upto your liking and you would like to change. In order to avoid this eventuality, you must select the job based on your interest area only. Interest areas are of ten types:

I. Engineering, Physical science and Technical, such as technical worker, craftsman, tradesman surveyors (Plain tables), Pick Miner, quarryman, Timber Mistry, Stowing Mistry, Driller, Hand, Shaft Mistry, Shot Firers, Stone Carver, stone Polisher, cottage Maker, Brick layer, Cement Block Carpenter, Construction, Carpenter, structural, Joiner Wood, Shipwright, Carpenter ship, Carpenter Mistry, Boat building, Tile Layer, roof, Tile Layer, Mosaic Layer, Building Insulator Hand, Accoustic Insulator, Insulator Boilers and pipes, Insulator A/C Equipment, Glass Fitter, Glazier, Vehicle, Photo framer, Plumber, Pipe Fitter, Electrician, wireman, Work supervisor., construction, Painter, building, Painter, Industrial, wall paper decorator, Painter general, Painter spray, Sign painter, brush painter, Painter glass, Molder general, Molder Machine, welder Gas, Welder electrical, Gas Cutter, Sheet Metal worker, Dent remover, Tinsmith, Fitter, Riveter, Rigger, Dress Diver, Skin Diver, Power Hammer operator, Tool Maker, Jig Borer, Die Maker, Locksmith, Grinder general, Surface grinder, Thread grinder, Lapper, Polisher, Automobile Mechanic, Tractor Mechanic, Motor Cycle Mechanic, Mechanic Aircraft Engine- Overhauling, Marine Mechanic (Diesel Engine), Mechanic Earth- moving Machinery, Turbine Mechanic, Mechanic Maintenance General, Mechanic Dairy Maintenance, Mechanic Textile Machinery, Mechanic Printing Machinery, Mechanic air-conditioning and refrigeration, Mechanic Sewing Machine, Mechanic Precision Instrument electrical, Electrical fitter, Armature winder, Coil- winding Machine Operator, Aircraft electrician, Automobile electrician, Electronics fitter, Electronic Mechanic, Radar Mechanic, X-ray Mechanic, Cable television Installer, Radio Mechanic, Mechanic Precision Watch Repairer, Mechanic Precision instrument general, Instrument Mechanical, Mechanic Optical Instrument, Dental Mechanic, Goldsmith, Jewel -setter, Gem Polisher, Gem driller, Engraver, Machine Engraver, Block embosser, Mould Maker, Pottery, Clay toymaker, Molder Hand (Ceramics) Turner, pottery and porcelain, Glass blower, Glass bender, Bead Maker (glass) Wheel grinder, Glass, Cutter, glass Bangles, Hand brusher (Ceramics) Lamp shade Maker, Candle Maker, Hand, Carpet weaver, Knitting Machine operator, Photo -typesetting Machine operator, Book binder, Precision Printing worker, Butcher, sausage maker, Baker (bakery products), Oven-man) Bakery products), Sweet meat Maker, Candy- maker. Chocolate Maker, Dairy worker, general, Butter Maker., Cheese Maker, Ice -cream Maker, Cook General, Wood kiln Operator, Wood Bender, Wood Treater, Wooden furniture Maker, Wood Cabinet Maker, Body builder auto mobile, Coach Builder railway, Wooden Barrel Maker, Wood carve hand., Inlayer, wood, Wood- toy maker, Pictureframe Maker, Smoking Pipe Maker, Sports- goods Maker wood, Wood- turner machine, Wood turner hand, Wood Planer, Wood sawyer hand, Bamboo

Furniture Maker, Reed Furniture Maker, cane furniture Maker, Basket maker, bamboo Mat weaver, Weaver Power loom, Weaver, Handloom, Tailor General, Dress- maker, coat Maker, Hat Maker, Cap Maker, Wig Maker, Hand embroider, Umbrella Maker, Doll Maker, Upholsterer Furniture, Upholsterer vehicle, Cushion Maker, Mattress Maker spring, etc.

- II. Health and life Sciences, such as Vaccinator, Innoculator, Dresser, Midwife, Stockman, animal Keeper, Nursing Attendant, Milkman, Cleaner, Hospitals, Washer-man, Laundry Worker, Lab Assistant Zoological, Lab Assistant Botanical, Taxidermist, Operation theatre Technician, Dialysis Technician, Life sciences Technicians, other, Farm Overseer, Crop Production, Environmental Compliance Inspector, Environmental Engineering technician, Lab-Assistant clinical, Sanitary Inspector, Dietician, Animal nutritionist, Optician General, Optician Contact Lens,, Masseur, Veterinary Vaccinator, Lab Technician, artificial breeding, Pharmacist, Pharmaceutical assistant, Nurse general, Nurse Industrial, Auxiliary Nurse and midwife, Lady Health visitor, Fitness Trainer, Aerobic instructor, Physical Training instructor, Professional sportsman.,
- III. Teaching and Welfare, such as Pre-primary Teacher, Drawing Teacher, Physical education Teacher, Village level worker, Petition writer, Court Receiver, Middle school Teacher, Language Teacher, Middle School, Primary School Teacher, Teacher infant school, Teacher Blind, Teacher Deaf, Teacher Mentally Retarded, Teacher Handicapped, Manual Training teacher, Crafts Teacher, Handicraft Teacher, children, etc.
- IV. Administrative and Clerical such as postman, Daftry, Proof reader, Bill Collector, Bus Conductor, Xerox operator, Office assistant, Administrative Secretaries, Village level worker, Gram sevika, Steno-Typist, Stenographer, Reporter, Typist, Computer operator, Data entry operator, Tabulating machine operator, Embossing Machine operator (Clerical), Private secretary-cum Stenographer, personal assistant, Panchayat secretary, Book keeper general, Accounts Clerk, Bank clerk, Ledger Clerk, Audit Clerk, Cost Accounting clerk, Bill and Account Clerk, Statistical clerk, Stock-keeper, Store Clerk, Godown Keeper, Warehouseman, Stores Distributor, Stock verifier, Yard Master railway, Tram controller, Transport Agency Branch clerk, Library clerk, Postman, proof Reader, Scribes, Clerk general, Record Clerk, Dispatch Clerk, Correspondence Clerk, Personnel clerk, Progress Clerk, wages Clerk, Insurance clerk, Provident fund clerk, Postal Clerk, Rains Clerk (railway) Weighing Clerk, commercial clerk, Transport), Goods clerk, Parcel clerk, Freight Clerk, Auction

- Clerk, Octroi Clerk, administrative Clerk, Nazir court, Arms Clerk, Copyist, Lawyer's Clerk/Munshi, Examiner, Court, Enquiry /Information Clerk, Publicity Assistant, copyright Clerk, Copy Holder, Time-keeper, Receptionist (Hotel)Reception Clerk, Complaint Attending Clerk, etc.
- **V. Sales**, such a salesman, Cashier, Reservation clerk, booking clerk Transport, Booking clerk entertainment, Teller Bank, Shop assistant, Petrol Pump salesman, Broker, Commission Agent, Insurance Agent, Insurance surveyor, House agent, Property Agent, Travel Consultant, and Organizer, Sales Reps Technical ,Sales Demonstrator, Purchasing Agent, Buyers, **Model Fashion, Counter hand,.**
- VI. Service (personal service to clients), such a Washing Machine Operator, Dry cleaner Usher, Flight attendant, Flight Steward, air hostess, Ship Steward, flight Purser, Passenger Train guard, goods Train guard, Ticket collector Railway, Travelling Ticket examiner Railway, Tram conductor, Bus Conductor, Travel Agent, tourist guide, Housekeeper (Institutional), Janitor, House steward, governess, Linen Keeper, Hotel and Restaurant keeper, Cook Institutional, Pantryman, Cook, institutional, Barman, waiter, Domestic and Ship, Hair dresser, Hair stylist, Beautician, manicurist, Make-up man, Wigman, Bath attendant, Money –lender, Bill collector, Caretaker Building, Bell-hop, (Hotel & Restaurants), Sorter Mail, Meter Reader,
- **VII. Literary,** such as Reporter, Library clerk, etc. (Literary capabilities come from higher education in a language and literature and from wide reading of books.) Less opportunities are there after Intermediate (Languages).
- VIII. Artistic and Musical, such as artist, commercial, artist (letters painting), musical instrument player Tablist, guitar player, violin player, flute player, decorator Designer, Set Decorator, Interior Decorator, Decorative designer, Window display designer, Display artist, Furniture Designer, Floral designer, Graphic designer, Package designer, Disc jockey, radio and television announcer, Stuntman, ventriloquist, Clown, Mimic, magician, Juggler, animal trainer, Race Horse Trainer, Puppeteer, etc. etc.
- **IX. Outdoor** (such as Forest, Agriculture and Fisheries) such as Cultivator Crop, cultivator Vegetables, Cultivator fruit, Grape cultivator, Seed-grower, Nurseryman, Dairy farmer, Poultry farmer, Bee-keeper, Rearer Silkworm, Fieldman (Fisheries), Mistry, Forest guard, Forest watcher, Jockey, Athletic Coach, Sports Coach, Riding instructor, Umpire, referee, etc.

X. Protective such as Constable, Home Guard, Forest Guard, Fisherman Inland waters, Jawan, Firefighter, Excise Constable, Warder Jail, Prison guard, Customs Sepoy, etc.

From the description of Occupation titles given above, it will be clear to you in which smaller Establishments around you or your town, the job will be there. Secondly, Some occupations may be available both in the smaller establishments or in the bigger Private (Act) establishments. If the employer from a Private (Act) bigger establishment finds you suitable and employs you, you will be lucky,. Because, in the case of the Private (Act) establishments, facilities provided to the employees may be more. Please go through the segment on Smaller Establishments and private A (Act) Establishments given under the Heading, After SSC, What?

Next thing to be understood by you is that all the employers in the Smaller Establishment category, may not offer some jobs as 'direct entry jobs'. This is because they are wary of Fresher intermediate candidates. They fear loss of costly raw material at the hands of an untrained or unexposed worker, or they are not inclined to spend time and energy on training them. So, the candidate should first get himself acquainted with various industrial [i.e. Industry –related] operations in other establishments and then come to these employers for job.

Remember, all these smaller establishments are situated around you or in Commercial and industrial clusters around your town or village. Visiting these places in person and making friendship with some workers already employed there will prove useful to you.

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