

# WHAT'S NEW FOR RUREADY AND OTHER CAREER RESOURCES PROVIDED TO SCHOOLS BY NDCTE

## Recent Updates in RUPrepare.ND.gov – Spring 2025:

- **Lexile and Quantile Measures** [January 2026 RUPrepare.ND.gov Key Enhancements](#)
  - Recorded Training for Professionals:  
[https://youtu.be/cSns47ZlYUk?si=0Qo\\_vGjUTUi9Q7Hw](https://youtu.be/cSns47ZlYUk?si=0Qo_vGjUTUi9Q7Hw)
- **AchieveWorks Assessments** added to RUPrepare:
  - The AchieveWorks Assessments are accessed by students on the Career > Learn About Yourself tab in RUPrepare:
    - Intelligences - an assessment of multiple intelligences
    - Learning & Productivity - an assessment of students' learning styles
    - Personality - an assessment of students' personality types
    - Skills - an assessment of students' skills and aptitudes
  - Virtual Training for Professionals
    - Live Training - April 20, 11:00 am to Noon CT
    - Register: [https://xap.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_M1Ya87YQSYSpbrHG74ktvw](https://xap.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_M1Ya87YQSYSpbrHG74ktvw)
    - The recorded training will be available after the event at:  
[www.cte.nd.gov/crnworkshops](http://www.cte.nd.gov/crnworkshops) - [RUPrepare.ND.gov](#) – Level Up (Virtual Workshops)
- **AI-Assisted Search for RUPrepare**
  - The search is restricted to career exploration topics and XAP has monitoring and safeguards in place.
  - Students that ask questions such as “How do I become a nurse?” will receive a response with relevant information and links in RUPrepare.
  - Students that ask questions not related to education and career planning receive a response with links to activities and assessments within RUPrepare, or the message, “I'm here to help you with career planning and discovery. Remember, staying on topic and asking clear, focused questions will help you get the best guidance as you plan your future. Please try again.” The response depends on the question asked.
- **Expanded access to CareerViewXR (CVXR) for K-5 schools**
  - All elementary schools now have access to the CVXR immersive career exploration experiences (VR headset required.)
  - Contact **Lisa Metzger**, Subscription Account Manager with Be More Colorful at [lisa@bemorecolorful.com](mailto:lisa@bemorecolorful.com) with any questions.

## **RUReady Upgrades Coming for Fall 2026:**

- **Updated SSO process** for public school students
  - The switch from PowerSchool to Infinite Campus requires updates to the existing single sign on process. The solution is in development and the goal is to make the new process as easy as possible.
- **New Elementary Resources**
  - In addition to Paws in Jobland, elementary schools will also have access to new elementary resources in RUReady.ND.gov.
  - K-5 students will not have individual RUReady accounts – the access will be at the school level through a school-specific URL.
- **Career Clusters Framework**
  - The Career Clusters are being updated in RUReady to align with the modernized [National Career Clusters Framework](#).
  - The Career Cluster Survey in RUReady and all connected results will also be updated.

## **Recorded Virtual Trainings**

- Missed a Virtual Training/Informational Session offered in school year 2025-26? Visit [www.cte.nd.gov/crnworkshops](http://www.cte.nd.gov/crnworkshops) to view the recording.
- Recordings available:
  - RUReady.ND.gov QuickStart
  - Assignment & Curriculum Builder
  - CareerViewXR: Bring Immersive Career Exploration to Your Classroom
  - The Compass System Within RUReady.ND.gov
  - Methodize ACT Test Prep in RUReady.ND.gov
  - From Classroom to Career: Experiential Learning Made Easy - Junior Achievement Programs
  - Using Lexile & Quantile Measures to Support Career Readiness
  - Managing Job Shadow Experiences using Compass in RUReady.ND.gov
  - Everfi Learning Resources
  - Effective Use of RUReady.ND.gov with Job Service Clients
  - AchieveWORKS Assessments in RUReady.ND.gov

**Contact me for any questions related to RUReady.ND.gov and training needs:**

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