



The Future Is **NOW**

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Don't let them fool you. The people telling you to skip college and dive into the job market aren't telling you the whole story. That bigger story is something you can't see. It's just over the hill, right around the corner. What makes it both tantalizing and potentially devastating is that you don't know what it is.

How do you plan for the unknown? Flexibly. A college education prepares you for the options that will hit you hard. When crises happen, you have to know how to think your way out of a paper bag – or you might end up stuffing plastic bags at a checkout line. Future employers want to know how well your brain works. A diploma from a respected college or university shows them you've had preparation for what they'll throw at you, along with all the stuff they don't know about yet. They like hiring thinkers. 🖱️

Jobs That Require a College Education

Two-year College

Computer technician
Surveyor
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Registered Nurse
Dental Hygienist
Medical Lab Technician
Commercial Artist
Hotel/Restaurant Manager
Engineering Technician
Automotive Mechanic
Administrative Assistant
Social Worker

Four-year College

Teacher
Accountant
FBI Agent
Engineer
Journalist
Insurance Agent
Pharmacist
Computer Systems Analyst
Dietitian
Investment Banker
Graphic Designer
Zoologist

More than four years

Lawyer
Doctor
Architect
Scientist
University professor
Economist
Psychologist
Priest or Rabbi
Dentist
Veterinarian
Public Policy Analyst
Geologist

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