

Career Narrative and Resume

All Little Miami High School seniors are required, for graduation, to submit a career narrative and resume to the School Counseling department. The resume will be completed using Naviance Family Connection and the career narrative will be uploaded to Naviance. Instructions on what to include on your career narrative are below:

The **career narrative** is a three-paragraph essay with a one-page minimum. It is to be typed in MLA format and double-spaced, in first person point of view (I, me , my pronouns). It should not contain errors in spelling, grammar or punctuation. The topic is your plan for after graduation.

First paragraph: Describe what you plan on doing after high school in detail.

Are you attending college? Joining the military? Entering the workforce? Please be as specific as possible. What inspired this decision?

Second paragraph: What steps do you have to take in order to achieve your goal?

Have at least three.

Third paragraph: What obstacles must you overcome in order to reach your goal?

Do you have to improve on personal qualities, such as motivation, focus or strength? Do you have to accrue some money in order to meet your goal? Do you have to move to another city? Foresee these possible obstacles. Also, what is your backup plan, in case your first goal doesn't happen?