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| 10.1 | Introduction to 10th Grade | An overview of the main module topics for this year.  |
| 10.2 | You Get the Grades You Deserve  | Discussion of why, if students don’t put in the work, they likely won’t get the grades they’re hoping for.  |
| 10.3 | Test Taking  | Discussion of how students can get better at taking tests and get good grades on them.  |
| 10.4 | Tips for Researching  | Discussion of how students can go about doing research for papers and projects they have in high school.  |
| 10.5  | Plagiarism  | Discussion of plagiarism and how students can avoid it.  |
| 10.6A | Writing Essays and Research Papers  | Tips on how students can improve their writing both in high school and beyond.  |
| 10.6B | Importance of Good Grammar and Proofreading  | Tips on how students can improve their grammar, which will help them both in school and in the working world.  |
| 10.7 | Keeping Balance in Your Life  | Discussion of how students can keep balance in their life to avoid stress.  |
| 10.8 | You Learn Better When You Focus  | Discussion of how students can keep themselves from being distracted when studying and doing homework in order to improve their learning ability. |
| 10.9A | PSAT Overview  | Discussion of what the PSAT is and why it might be helpful for students to take.  |
| 10.9B | ACT Aspire Overview  | A look at what the ACT Aspire is and why it might be helpful for students to take. |
| 10.10 | How to Handle Bullying  | Discussion of some of the ways students can deal with a bully if they’re being bullied or see it happening to someone else.  |
| 10.11 | Removing Personal Barriers to Success  | Discussion of some of the things inside each person that may hold them back from being their best selves.  |
| 10.12 | Becoming a Leader  | Discussion of how students can become a better leader both for themselves and others.  |
| 10.13 | First Generation College Students  | Module about being the first in your family, or even one of the first, to go to college.  |
| 10.14A | Public Colleges | Explaining what public colleges are and what they offer students.  |
| 10.14B | Private Colleges  | Explaining what private colleges are and what students can expect when researching them.  |
| 10.15A | Community Colleges | Explaining what community colleges are and why they’re a good fit for some students.  |
| 10.15B | Tech/Trade Schools | Explaining what trade schools are and why they might be right for some students. |
| 10.16 | Overview of Big Future  | Discussion of the website Big Future and an explanation of how it can be helpful for students as a 10th grader.  |
| 10.17 | Social Media and College Admissions  | Discussion of social media profiles - keeping in mind that they can be seen by college admissions officers and future employers. |
| 10.18 | Utilizing Academic Feedback  | Discussion of how students need to reflect on their work and consider the areas in which they can improve - then seek out help in those areas.  |
| 10.19 | Obtaining a Work Permit  | Discussion of how students can get a work permit so that they’re able to get a part-time job if that’s something they’re interested in.  |
| 10.20 | Job Interview Advice  | Tips to help students prepare for job interviews, including some questions they can expect to be asked and some questions they should ask possible employers.  |
| 10.21 | Dress for Success  | Advice on how students can dress professionally for both job interviews and for when they start a new job.  |
| 10.22 | Understanding Your Take Home Pay  | Discussion of why some money will be taken out of a student’s paycheck each time they get one. |
| 10.23 | Handling Disappointments | Discussion of how students can handle disappointment if they’re faced with it in their life. |
| 10.24 | Career Planning - Exploration  | How to use the O’Net Interest Profiler results to begin exploring careers that might interest students.  |
| 10.25 | Goal-Setting Toward a Career  | How students can set good goals to help them reach the careers that interest them.  |
| 10.26A | Finding and Identifying Mentors  | Discussion of why it’s important for students to have mentors, where they can find them, and how they can be helpful.  |
| 10.26B | Creating a Post-Secondary Support Team  | Discussion of how students can find their college support team in preparation for the college application process.  |
| 10.27 | Talking to Adults About Their Careers  | Adults that students come across every day can be helpful just by talking to them about what they do and how they found their careers.  |
| 10.28 | Thinking About College Majors  | It’s not too early for students to start considering what they want to major in when they get to college.  |
| 10.29 | Financial Aid 101 | An overview of the different options students have to help pay for college.  |
| 10.30 | Scholarships Through Extracurriculars  | Discusses how a student’s extracurriculars can help them fund going to college.  |
| 10.31 | Choosing Your Classes  | Discussion of how students can make sure they have the best schedule possible for 11th grade.  |
| 10.32 | Email Etiquette  | How to make sure students email professionally.  |
| 10.33 | Critical Thinking  | Discussion of the importance of critical thinking and how students will need this skill throughout their life.  |
| 10.34 | Community Service  | Discussion of why it’s important for students to get involved in their community.  |
| 10.35 | Graduation Requirements  | This module is about making sure students are on pace to graduate by the end of their 12th grade year.  |
| 10.36 | Finding a Banking Partner  | Discusses the questions that students should consider when picking a bank or credit union for their money.  |
| 10.37 | Developing a Purchasing Strategy  | Discusses how students can improve their ability to make smart decisions with their money.  |
| 10.38 | Make Your Summer Count  | How students can use their summer to be productive along with having fun and relaxing.  |