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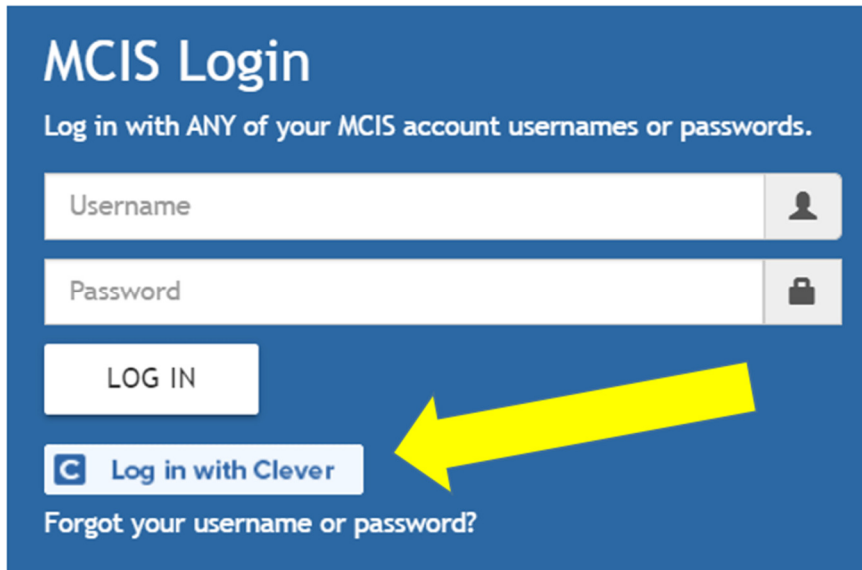
The Minnesota Career Information System (MCIS) is a computer based system that the Lakeville school district has obtained a license for that combines a wealth of career and educational information into one comprehensive, easy-to-use career exploration tool.

If students use the **Log in with Clever** feature, information would be the same one used to access all technology at Lakeville North or Lakeville South. If you don't remember your password or are unable to gain access, please stop in the Career Center to get started.

There will be many things you will want to save as you explore all it has to offer. Lakeville Schools also use it for some career investigation and/or post secondary planning requirements for graduation, so good to get in there often and navigate around!

Components:

Education and Training – You can find information on: programs of study, Minnesota colleges and colleges throughout the U.S., undergraduate and graduate school sort. If you complete the SCHOOL SORT you can narrow down schools that match best fit for what you are interested in *(by major, degree, location, size, etc.)* and by completing the FINANCIAL AID SORT it helps narrows down opportunities that might be available to you, provides information on where to get more details including how to apply, deadlines and more. There are also checklists for college details that help you keep track of what you have done, what is still needed, etc.….

Much more: Other than the tools to help prep for testing, there are additional items that you are also free to use even after you graduate from Lakeville as long as we continue to hold the license. Here are just three of the other items that might be of interest to you now or even in the future:

1. Assessment Tools – There are a variety of assessments available that measure your… interests (IDEAS and O*NET Interest Profiles) skills (SKILLS–matches careers to skills you like/possess), values (O*Net Work Importance Locator) and career preference (Career Cluster Inventory).

2. Occupations and Employment – You can search by career cluster or by specific career title to find: general work activities, helpful high school courses, skills and abilities, physical demands, interests, knowledge, hiring practices, wages, employment and outlook. You can even take an entrepreneurship quiz to help determine if self-employment is right for you.

3. Practice Tests – There are practice tests available for: ACT, AP tests, SAT, SAT Subject tests, PSAT, ASVAB, GED, and CLEP. ACT includes on-line 'course' and vocab words and feedback on areas that might require further concentration also!