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|  | **Firefighter/**  **Police** | **Administrative Assistant/**  **Secretary/Clerical** | **Fast Food Employee** | **Doctor** |  |  |  |
| Brief Description |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Human Capital (education, training or skills needed) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Median Income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other important factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rank for Pay (1-4; 1 being the highest) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rank for education required (1-4; 1 being the highest) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

**After you have explored various careers, answer the following questions (complete sentences):**

What is human capital?

What are capital goods?

What is the relationship between education and salary?

How does human capital affect a country’s GDP (gross domestic product) and standard of living?

Identify three of the fastest growing industries.

Identify three of the highest paying jobs. What level of education do these jobs require?