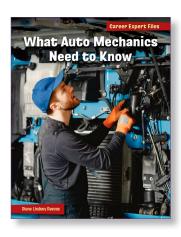
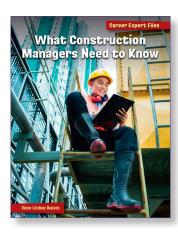
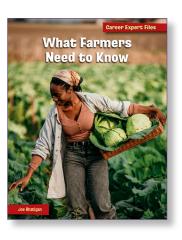
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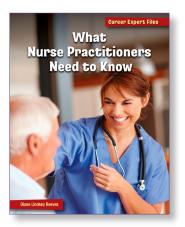


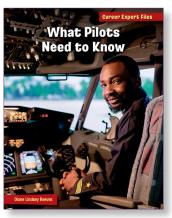














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# My Career Expert File: STOP and THINK

What are three things career experts need to know?	How docareer experts learn to do their jobs?	
What kinds of tools do	What is one way that stay safe on the job?	
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