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Name of Bidding Company	B.E. Publishing	
Title of the textbook, program, or series (print/digital)	Career Explorations (1st Edition)	
Subject Area	Introduction to Career Clusters	
Annotation or description that provides an overview of the instructional materials bid	Career Explorations prepares students to forge their own path towards career success by introducing them to key concepts in employability skills, education and training, the job application process, and more. This text guides students in understanding the vast landscape of career possibilities in the modern working world. Students will explore a range of career options in each of the 16 Career Clusters and develop an understanding of their own interests and abilities on their way to pursuing a career suited to their unique passions. Across a series of hands-on computer applications projects, students will also create a comprehensive digital career portfolio featuring a resume, cover letter, interest inventory, and much more. These real-world projects challenge students to apply their knowledge of careers by using word processing, spreadsheets, presentations, and more to produce documents showcasing both their professionalism and their computer applications skills.	
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