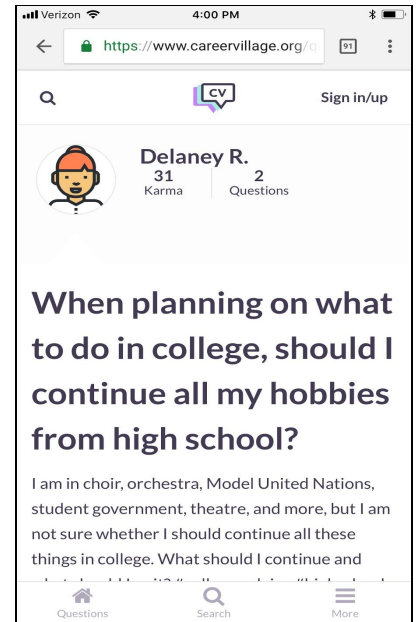


## About CareerVillage.org

CareerVillage is the 501c3 nonprofit organization transforming the way young people prepare for careers. Our mission is to democratize access to career advice and information for youth.

**Young people turn to CareerVillage.org for help:** Students visit CareerVillage.org and post up any question about any career. The platform then analyzes those questions and automatically distributes them to matching members of our online volunteer corps. What sets us apart for youth is how personalized and accessible the advice is. Students are able to interact with and learn from professionals who do the jobs they're interested in doing one day and who have once been in their shoes, all from the convenience of their smartphones or computers!

All content all the site is public, searchable, and moderated by CareerVillage's team of Moderators. CareerVillage's Q&A platform is convenient and easy to use and is a **100% free resource** for both educators and students.

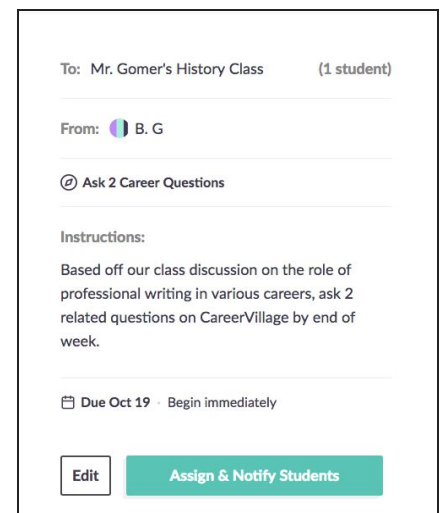


## Get started in 5 minutes or less

1. Go to <https://www.careervillage.org/signup/> to sign up as an *Educator*
2. Follow the on-screen instructions to create your first *Class* to invite your students
3. Invite your students to your *Class* by either entering their emails and clicking invite, or by sharing/having students visit your class URL on CareerVillage (See the prompt "*Students can join your class using this url!*")
4. Ask your students to check their emails to join your class / Have students join your class by visiting their CareerVillage *Class URL* (See step 3: THis URL is always available in your Dashboard)
5. Assign your first CareerVillage Assignment such as "Ask 2 Career Questions on CareerVillage.org by Friday"

## How to use CareerVillage.org in an ongoing way

- Tie your class content into the *Assignment Instructions*: "Based off of our discussion in class today, Ask 2 related questions on CareerVillage"
- 10 minute homework assignment to kick off or end any week: Ask a question about your future!
- College and Career Exploration and Research
- Using professional language / tone in student writing (*The context field of a student question is a great place to practice!*)
- Goal setting and career mapping



Questions? Want more information or resources? Reach out to CareerVillage's Education Manager, Bryant Gomer, email: [Bryant@CareerVillage.org](mailto:Bryant@CareerVillage.org)