



# CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING FOR

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## Real Life 101

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The concept for *Real Life 101* is bold yet simple. Real life jobs and careers are explored in an energetic style as an education and information (E/I) presentation for teenage viewers. The careers and people chosen to reflect those categories offer a vital inside look at what it would really be like to choose that particular profession. A co-host approach allows for interchange of questions and responses adding viewer stimulation and insight.

**EPISODE 95** Today, we're taking a field trip. . . *Real Life* is going to college! We're not talking about just any college. . . we're going to the [University of Florida](#), the home of the National football and basketball champions, the Florida Gators! We'll be taken on a tour of part of the 2,000 acre campus. Luis will learn what life is like living away from home at Florida's oldest and largest university. Then we'll talk to an [admissions counselor](#) to find out what you need to be doing now to get into college in the next few years. We'll also get a glimpse into the operations of the student government and how it serves the needs of the school when we meet the Student Body President.

**EPISODE 96** We're going to continue our field trip to one of the country's most academically diverse universities, the University of Florida. We'll pick up by meeting a student athlete who is swimming her way through her 4 years at Florida. She'll tell us what it's like to be actively involved in a college sports program. When you start college, you'll be faced with the decision of whether you want to join a fraternity or sorority. We'll talk to a fraternity President and get a glimpse into the "Greek" side of college. Are you considering becoming a doctor? The University has a great medical program. We'll meet a medical student and learn about the challenges she faces in school.

**EPISODE 97** We'll meet with a man who's made a profession out of his love of photography, especially making people look good for portraits and head shots. Then, we'll visit a dance clothing and accessory boutique where you can even rent costumes worn by the contestants from the TV show, "Dancing with the Stars." For those of you into sports – and writing, we'll let you in on a way to get up close and personal with your favorite sports teams and make a living!

**EPISODE 98** First, Luis is going to sit down with a Chief Engineer for a hotel. I never even knew hotels had engineers – can you guess what they do? Then we'll meet a dietician who makes up a special diet for kids with seizures that helps them go seizure free. Finally, we'll talk to a couple of librarians who will let us know how their duties have evolved over the years.

**EPISODE 99** The entire show is being devoted to careers in the hotel industry. It takes many people working together as a team to have a hotel that meets people's expectations and makes them feel at home whether they're staying for business or pleasure. Today, we'll talk to the General Manager who oversees the entire operation of the facility of a hotel. We'll also meet with the person responsible for maintaining and keeping the rooms clean, the Director of Housekeeping. Plus, we'll meet with the person in charge of booking meeting and banquet functions on the property, the Director of Sales and Marketing.

**EPISODE 100** First we'll meet a chaplain who works in a hospital bringing peace and comfort to patients and their families. For those of you interested in criminal justice, we'll meet a man who is the Chief Probation Officer in a federal court and learn about the probation system. And finally, we'll visit a nursing home and see how an activities director and her dog keep the patients occupied and enjoying life.

**EPISODE 101** We're going to meet a Real Estate Attorney who has balanced his career with his passion for helping others in the small African country of Namibia. We'll also visit with the controller for a Sheraton Hotel. He'll introduce us to how he crunches numbers for financial reports. Then it's off to the cruise ship again as we meet a young man who entertains the guests with his talented voice. He'll even sing us a little tune – a cappella!

**EPISODE 102** Did you know when you meet someone you have just 10 seconds to make an impression on them? We'll learn from an [image consultant](#) how to make sure that first impression is a positive one. Then we'll visit a hair salon and learn about styles, coloring and a special program where you can [donate your hair](#) when it's time to take the cutting shears to that ponytail. We'll also take you to Florida's Museum of Natural History and meet up with a shark researcher who has devoted his career to investigating shark attacks and sharks around the world.

**EPISODE 103** Today, we'll introduce you to the world of [Pediatric Speech and Language Pathology](#) and see how this can be a rewarding career for people who love to work with children. Then, we'll get the scoop on the [daily routine of a newspaper's business news reporter](#). We'll also take you to a home that is being given a beautiful addition of an outdoor living area – and tell you where you can find information about being an [apprentice in construction](#).

## EPISODE 104

Buying a home is usually the biggest purchase someone makes. We'll speak with a mortgage banker and find out what's involved in getting a loan so a person can move into the home of their dreams. In our stressful world, a lot of people have trouble coping with different issues. We'll speak with a [mental health counselor](#) and see how she helps her clients get through life. Want some of the challenges and stimulation of the legal profession without going to law school? How about choosing a [career as a paralegal](#)?

**EPISODE 105** First, we'll talk to a newspaper columnist and learn how he broke into his field and find out what he does to keep his loyal following reading his columns. Did you ever wonder where the exact property line is between your house and your neighbors? We'll meet up with a professional land surveyor who will fill us in on how subdivisions and other properties are measured so that the lots can be built on. And last, but not least, we'll meet a Probation Officer and see how she helps criminal offenders live clean, productive lives.

**EPISODE 106** We're going to start out by visiting the photo editor at a newspaper. We'll see how he works with all the various departments to get the perfect photos throughout the paper and online. Then we'll meet the guy we call when the water pipes break or the toilet overflows. . . our handy plumber. We'll finish by visiting the cruise ship and meeting the man responsible for overseeing one of the highlights of cruising – the food and beverage manager.

**EPISODE 107** We'll talk to an [audiologist](#) who has found a rewarding career diagnosing and treating hearing disorders. Then, we'll meet a young lady who has a very enviable job as a [dance captain on a cruise ship](#). Finally, Luis has his fears of the dental chair calmed when he visits a dental hygienist who fills him in on she helps people maintain their oral health.

## EPISODE 82

We asked Luis and Carley what their favorite segments were from last season. It was a tough decision, but they narrowed them down to three interviews. The first was the one we did with the TV meteorologist. The voice-over artists were a favorite of Luis'. Carley also loved the one about dogs trained to assist disabled people. You may recall these from last season. . . but if not, don't despair, because we're going to run them for you again today!

## EPISODE 83

We're going to revisit New Orleans to look at three occupations. The segments were shot right before Hurricane Katrina devastated the area. We're going to show you the interviews and update you on how the people and businesses are doing now. First, we're going to feature a visit with a doctor who cares for very sick newborns at the Ochsner Clinic in New Orleans. Next, we'll take you to the famed Galatoire's and meet up with a waiter who works at this wonderful restaurant. Then, we'll show you a special school where you'll meet a man dedicated to keeping kids drug-free and off the streets.

