**Websites to use for BC Economy project**

**GENERAL – for everyone to use!**

**WORK BC**

<https://www.workbc.ca/Labour-Market-Information/Industry-Profiles.aspx>

-can click on the industry that you are researching and find a wealth of data including: overview, what impacts the industry, workforce, employment, work environment, earnings, location of work, employment outlook

<https://www.workbc.ca/Labour-Market-Industry/Industry-and-Sector-Information/Industry-and-Sector-Outlooks.aspx>

-click on the industry you are researching and you’ll be re-directed to a webpage with many resources to use

<https://www.workbc.ca/Labour-Market-Industry/Regional-Profiles.aspx>

-click on the different regions of the BC map to learn what industries/sectors operate in each area; can help you with identifying the connection to the physical environment

**Encyclopedia of British Columbia**

-access from the public Riverside website <http://www.sd43.bc.ca/secondary/riverside/Pages/default.aspx>

-click on “Library” and enter school issued User ID and Password

-click on the “Search It” magnifying glass icon to access databases and catalogues

-scroll down to “Links” and click on ‘see all’ on the far right side of the screen

-click on the ‘KNOW BC’ link

-enter the following: login ‘riversiderapids’ and password ‘library’

-on the left tool bar, click ‘Subjects’: now you can search for topics alphabetically

-you can also use the “Search Encyclopedia of BC” search engine on the far right

**AGRICULTURE**

<https://www.bcaitc.ca/resources/grow-bc-guide-bcs-agriculture-resources>

-resource on Agriculture in BC (PDF has history, specific information and maps about foods grown in BC and locations, ALR)

<http://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/industry/agriculture-seafood/statistics/industry-and-sector-profiles#faststats>

-lots of different reports you can review; a good one is the “Fast Stats 2017”

<http://www.agr.gc.ca/eng/industry-markets-and-trade/statistics-and-market-information/agfacts-agriculture-the-economy/?id=1355435809830>

-nice intro video with some facts on agriculture in Canada (video is 1 min 15 sec)

**FILM/TV**

<http://www.vancouvereconomic.com/film-television/>

-general overview of the film industry with stats

<http://www.theglobeandmail.com/news/british-columbia/bc-film/article24462867/>

-May 2015 newspaper article addresses the ups and downs of the film/tv industry

<https://www.creativebc.com/>

-check out information under the “Sectors” tab

<http://www.hollywoodnorthpr.com/industry.html>

-includes a history of the film industry in BC, plus more recent stats (up to 1996)

-info is outdated but there are still big ideas you can gather from it

**FISHERIES**

<http://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/industry/agriculture-seafood/statistics/industry-and-sector-profiles#faststats>

-lots of different reports you can review; a good one is “British Columbia’s Fisheries and Aquaculture Sector, 2016 Edition (PDF)”

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/farming-natural-resources-and-industry/agriculture-and-seafood/statistics/industry-and-sector-profiles/year-in-review/bcseafood_yearinreview_2017.pdf>

-British Columbia Seafood Industry Year in Review 2017

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/industry/agriculture-seafood/statistics/market-analysis-and-trade-statistics>

-report on export markets and trading partners

<http://www.pac.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/index-eng.html>

-a Government of Canada site with specific information on BC fisheries, such as sustainability of aquaculture and working with Indigenous Peoples

<http://www.pac.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/abor-autoc/treaty-traites-eng.html>

-specific information about Aboriginals and the industry

**FOREST**

<https://www.cofi.org/>

-a wealth of information can be found at this site!

<https://www.cofi.org/forest-facts/>

-great source of info as well as statistics and graphics

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/industry/forestry/competitive-forest-industry/forest-industry-economics>

-information on economics of the sector and key markets for BC forest products

<http://www.bcfs100.ca/bscripts/timeline.asp>

-extensive timeline of the history of forestry in BC

**HIGH TECH**

<https://www.britishcolumbia.ca/invest/industry-sectors/technology/>

-overview of tech industry in BC

<https://www.workbc.ca/Labour-Market-Industry/B-C-s-Economy/TechTalentBC-Report-2016.aspx>

-Tech Talent BC Report 2016

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/data/statistics/economy/bc-economic-accounts-gdp>

-statistics for High Tech (GDP and employment numbers): click on link ‘High Technology Satellite Account’

<http://www.bcstats.gov.bc.ca/StatisticsBySubject/BusinessIndustry/HighTechnology.aspx>

-click on the first full report in PDF that was released in 2017: includes information about revenue, jobs, types of high tech industries

<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/b-c-technology-sector-gets-top-marks-from-2-industry-report-cards-1.4922511>

-article from Nov 2018 on the successes and challenges for the industry

**MANUFACTURING**

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/employment-business/economic-development/industry/manufacturing>

-most recent government reports on the industry

<https://www.workbc.ca/Labour-Market-Industry/Industry-and-Sector-Information/Industry-and-Sector-Outlooks/Manufacturing.aspx>

-specific info and breakdown of manufacturing industry

<https://www.bccpa.ca/CpaBc/media/CPABC/News_Events_Publications/Publications/Industry_Update/Industry_update_winter_2016.pdf>

-lots of statistics on earnings, jobs, export

<http://www.bcstats.gov.bc.ca/StatisticsBySubject/BusinessIndustry/Manufacturing.aspx>

-first report listed (June 2015) includes an overview of the manufacturing industry in BC, stats on revenue and employment, export markets

<http://www.statcan.gc.ca/tables-tableaux/sum-som/l01/cst01/manuf32k-eng.htm>

-table includes types of manufactured products produced and dollar values

**MINING**

<https://www.nrcan.gc.ca/mining-materials/aboriginal/bulletin/7817>

-Aboriginal connections to the mining industry

-more useful links on the left hand side!

<https://www.britishcolumbia.ca/invest/industry-sectors/mining/>

-overview of industry

<https://www.britishcolumbia.ca/invest/industry-sectors/mining/>

-lots of facts, statistics, and useful graphics

<https://www.mining.bc.ca/>

-website includes current info for the industry, future prospects, environmental concerns, Indigenous relations

<http://www.canadianminingjournal.com/features/bcs-mining-sector-back-big-way/>

-current info on the mining industry and future prospects

**TOURISM**

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/data/statistics/economy/bc-economic-accounts-gdp>

-statistics for Tourism (GDP and employment numbers): click on link ‘Tourism Satellite Account’

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/data/statistics/business-industry-trade/industry/tourism>

-lots of government reports

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/tourism-immigration/tourism-resources/tourism-research>

-lots of reports about current tourism and prospects for the future

<https://www.go2hr.ca/bc-tourism-industry>

-good statistics and map of regional tourism in BC

-don’t forget to visit the links on the side tool bar of this main page such as “What is Tourism?” and “Industry Overview”

<http://www.destinationbc.ca>

-many different links on this website to learn about the marketing of BC to the world

-check out ‘The Power of Tourism” and ‘2017 Value of Tourism snapshot’

-beautiful photographs!

<https://www.hellobc.com/>

-official tourism website for BC

<https://www.indigenousbc.com/>

-information on Indigenous tourism