# STEMillions Ruth Loughrey

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Meal Plan #053 30 mins

## Starters 5 mins

**Announcements...... 1 mins** STEM events/competitions (check OtotheB), share achievements and welcome new members.

### Snack, Cackle & Pop...... 2 mins Snack: Oreo's. Yummy

Cackle:



**Pop:** 'Woman Like Me' by Little Mix & Nicki Minaj **Meet Her......5 mins** Ruth Loughrey currently works as a broadcast engineer, supporting TV & radio studio technology in the BBC's central London campus, taking up this position after completing the BBC's training scheme in July 2015. She studied Physics at Leeds University.

### Watch: Meet Ruth in this video

#### Discuss

- ★ If you were a radio DJ what would your name be?
- ★ What do you think a typical day is like for a broadcast engineer?

# Mains 20 mins - choose ONE only

- ★ What types of waves do radio and television use to transmit content?
- ★ How do radio signals get from a remote locations to the broadcasting centre?
- ★ How does the signal get from broadcasting centres to people's homes/ cars?

Present your findings in a mini podcast/ radio show. You could record this on your phone or a computer.

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- $\star$  What does the job involve?
- ★ What is a typical day like?
- $\star$  What are the perks of the job?
- ★ Which companies employ this type of engineer?

★ Name some women who do this job role. Create a front page news article. If you want to mix it up a bit, perform create a news bulletin and act it out to the club if you have time.

Share your podcasts/ new bulletins on MightyNetworks.

### Desserts 5 - 10 mins

Ask Her..... 2 mins Post any questions to the Agony Aunt Topic in MightyNetworks.

Digest......2 mins Do <u>#053 Digest</u> on MightyNetworks or bit.ly/digest053

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