

Thursday, May 7, 2015

All 8th Graders are going to the Eastern Westmoreland Career & Technology Center for a Career Exploration Day focusing on Non-Traditional Careers



Agree or Disagree



Boys are smarter
than girls

Men are better
drivers than
women

Girls are more
emotional than
boys

Boys are more
mechanical than
girls

Girls are better at
school than boys

Girls are better
cooks than boys

Girls should be
ladylike

Men should not
cry

Stereotypes



Rooms



Toys



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Hobbies and Activities



Jobs



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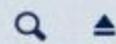
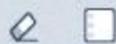
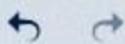
Any occupation in which women or men comprise 25% or less of its total employment is a nontraditional career.

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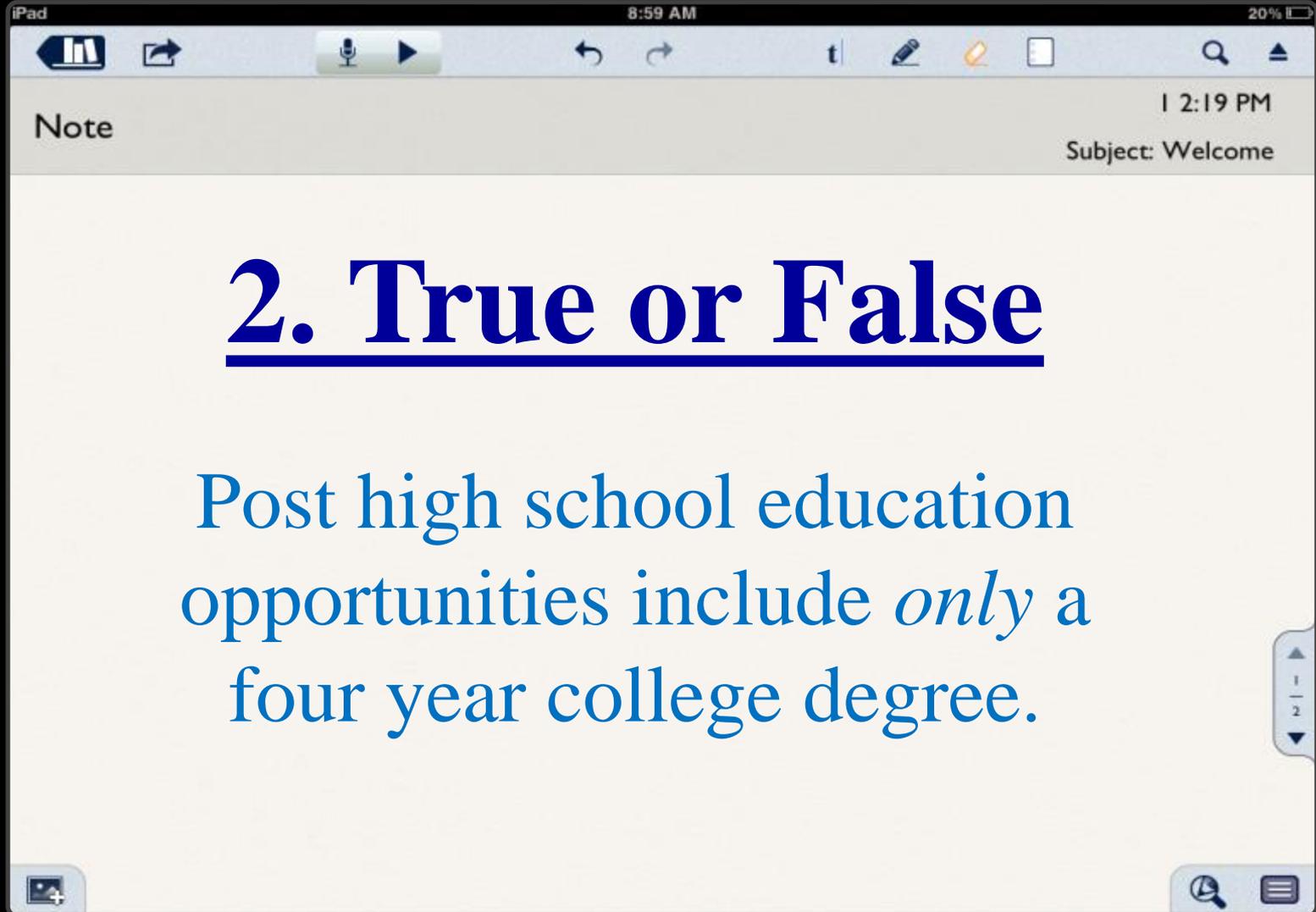


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2. True or False

Post high school education opportunities include *only* a four year college degree.

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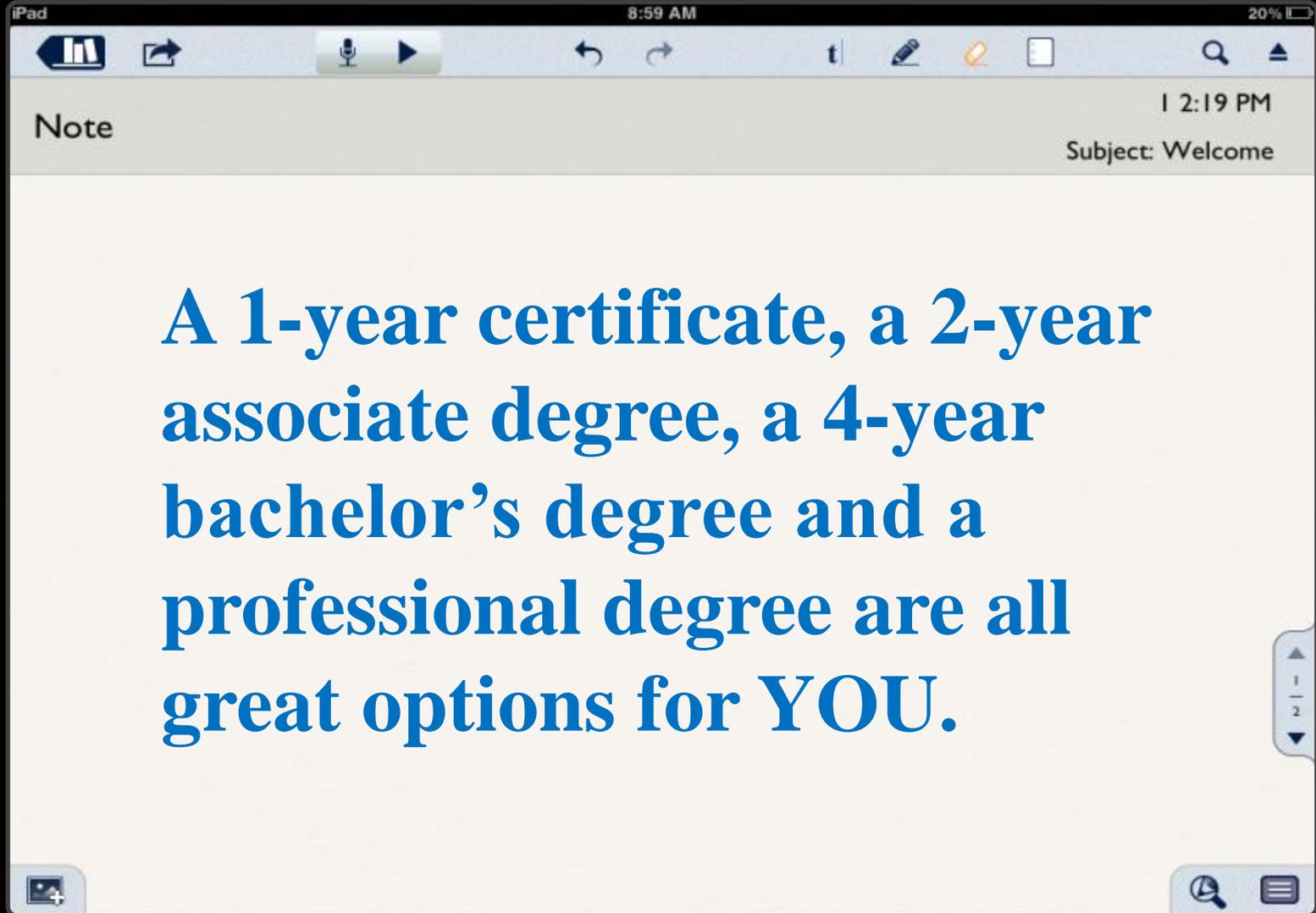
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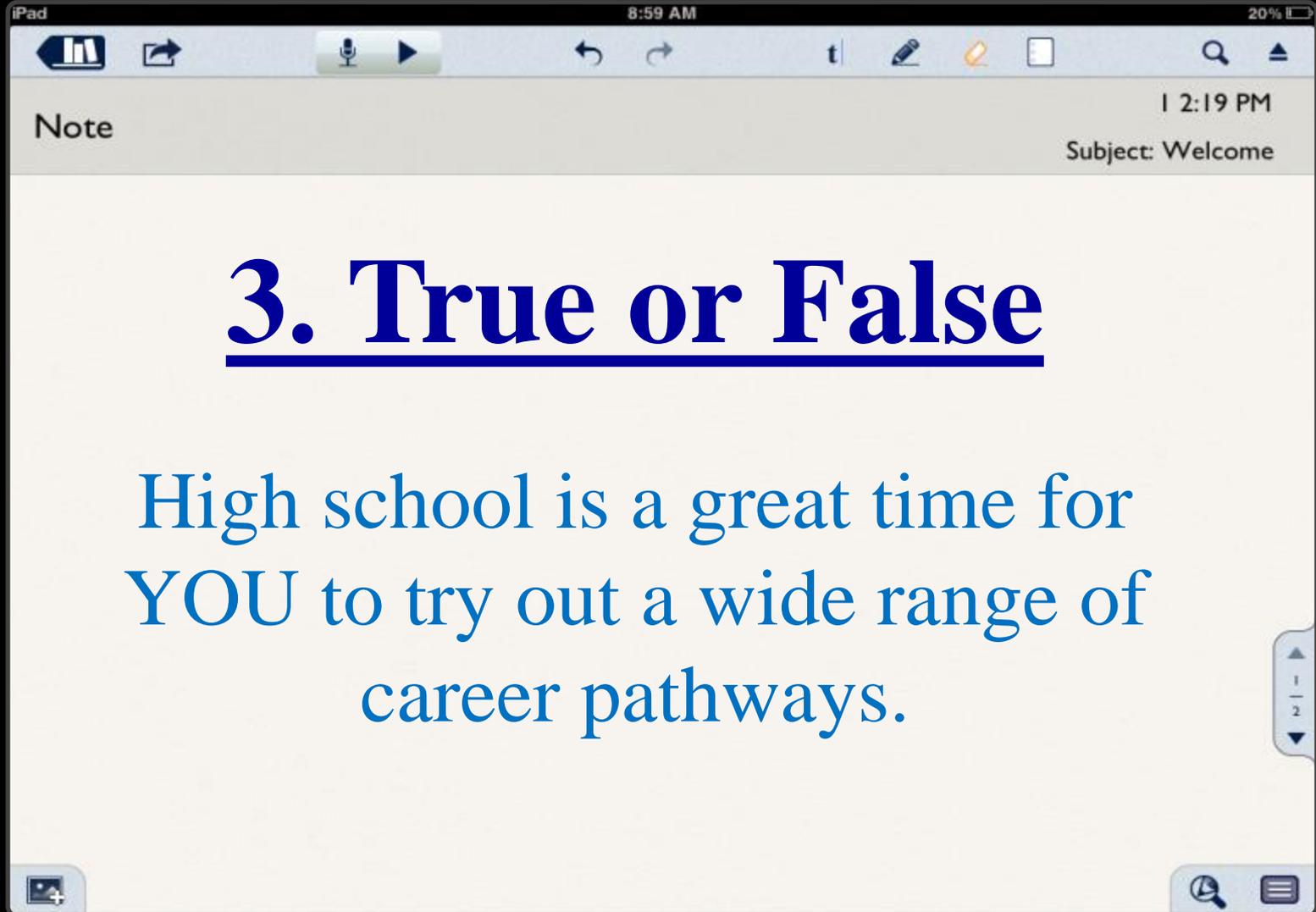
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A 1-year certificate, a 2-year associate degree, a 4-year bachelor's degree and a professional degree are all great options for YOU.





3. True or False

High school is a great time for
YOU to try out a wide range of
career pathways.

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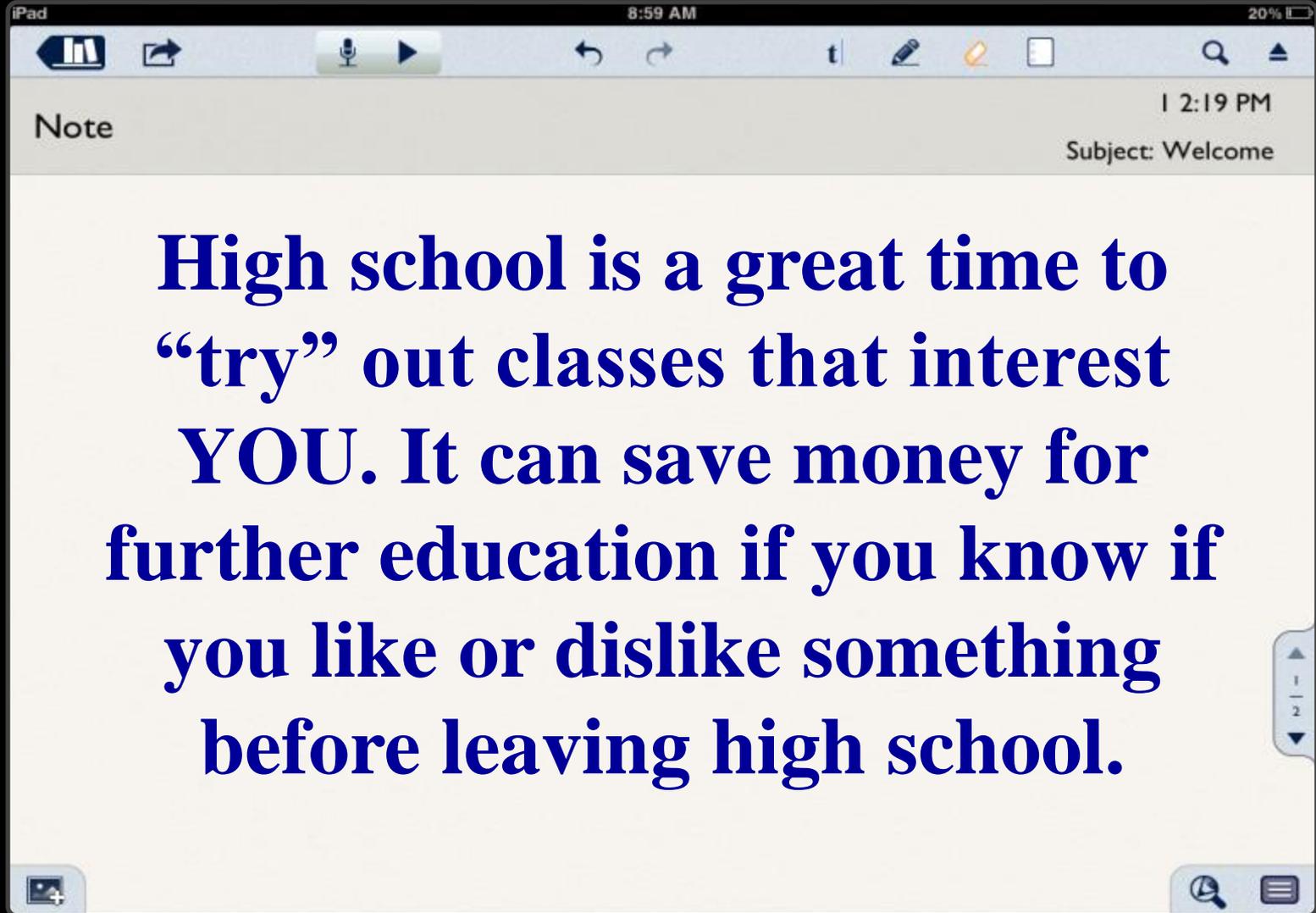
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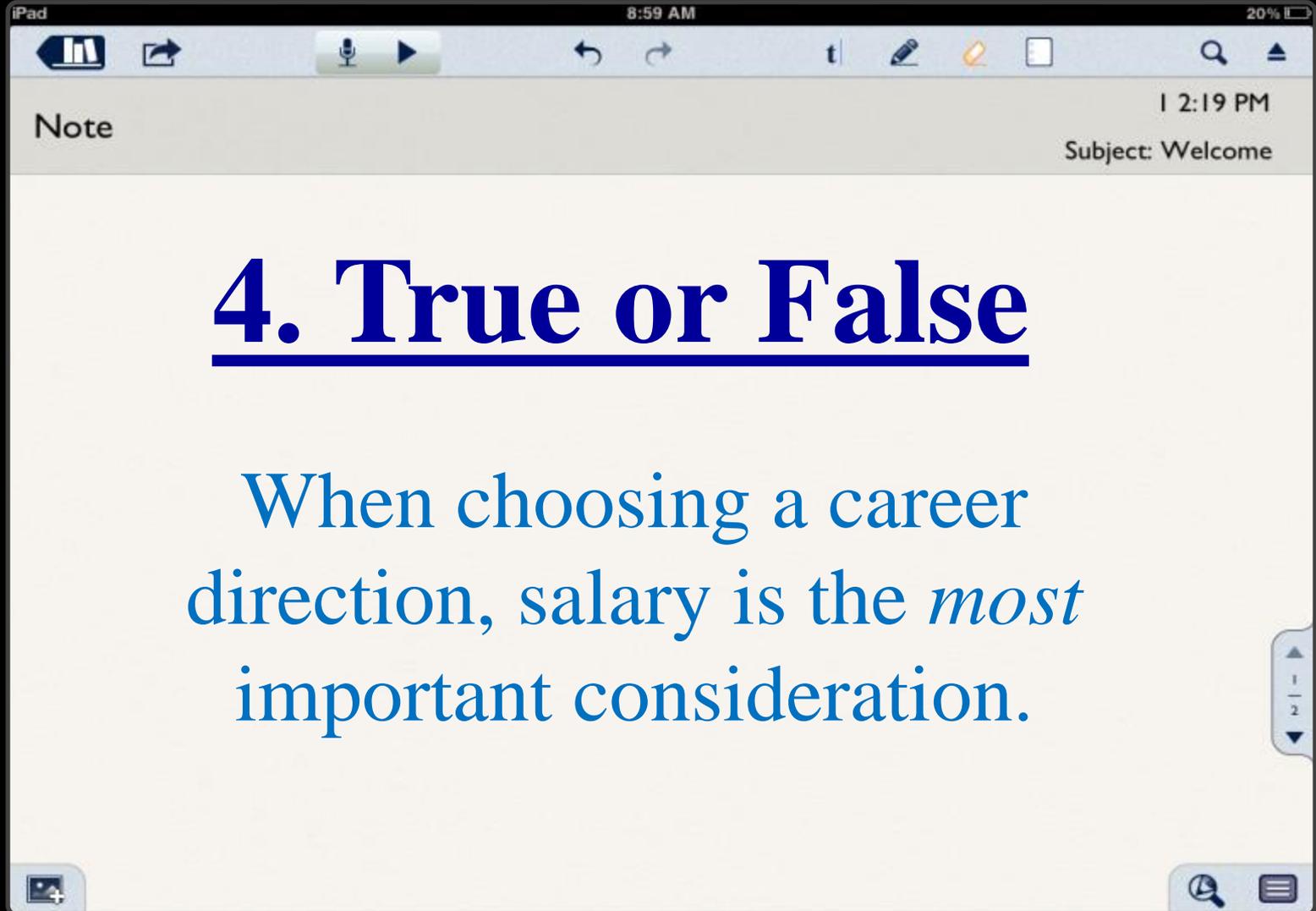
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High school is a great time to “try” out classes that interest YOU. It can save money for further education if you know if you like or dislike something before leaving high school.





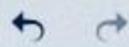
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When choosing a career direction, salary is the *most* important consideration.

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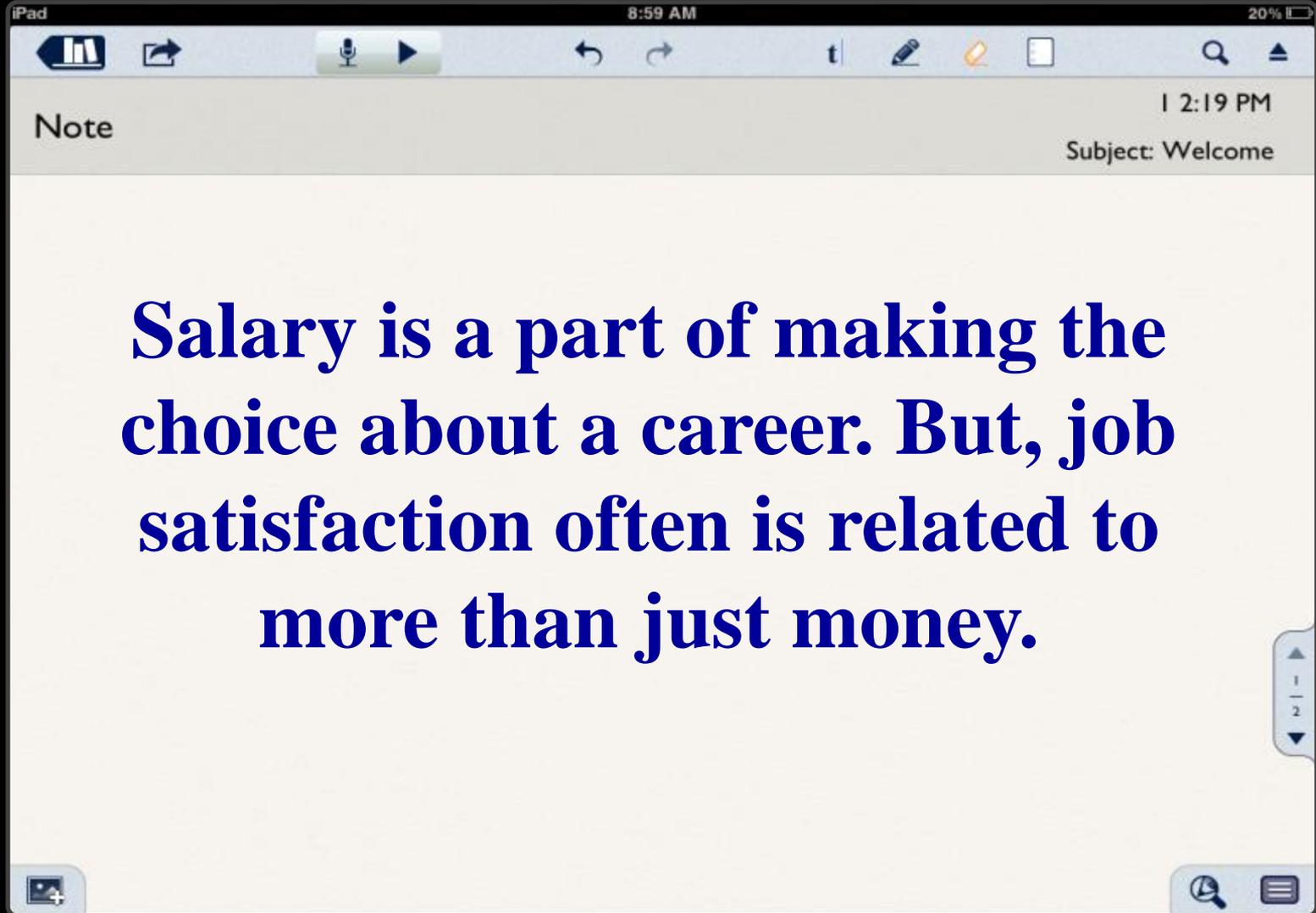
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Salary is a part of making the choice about a career. But, job satisfaction often is related to more than just money.

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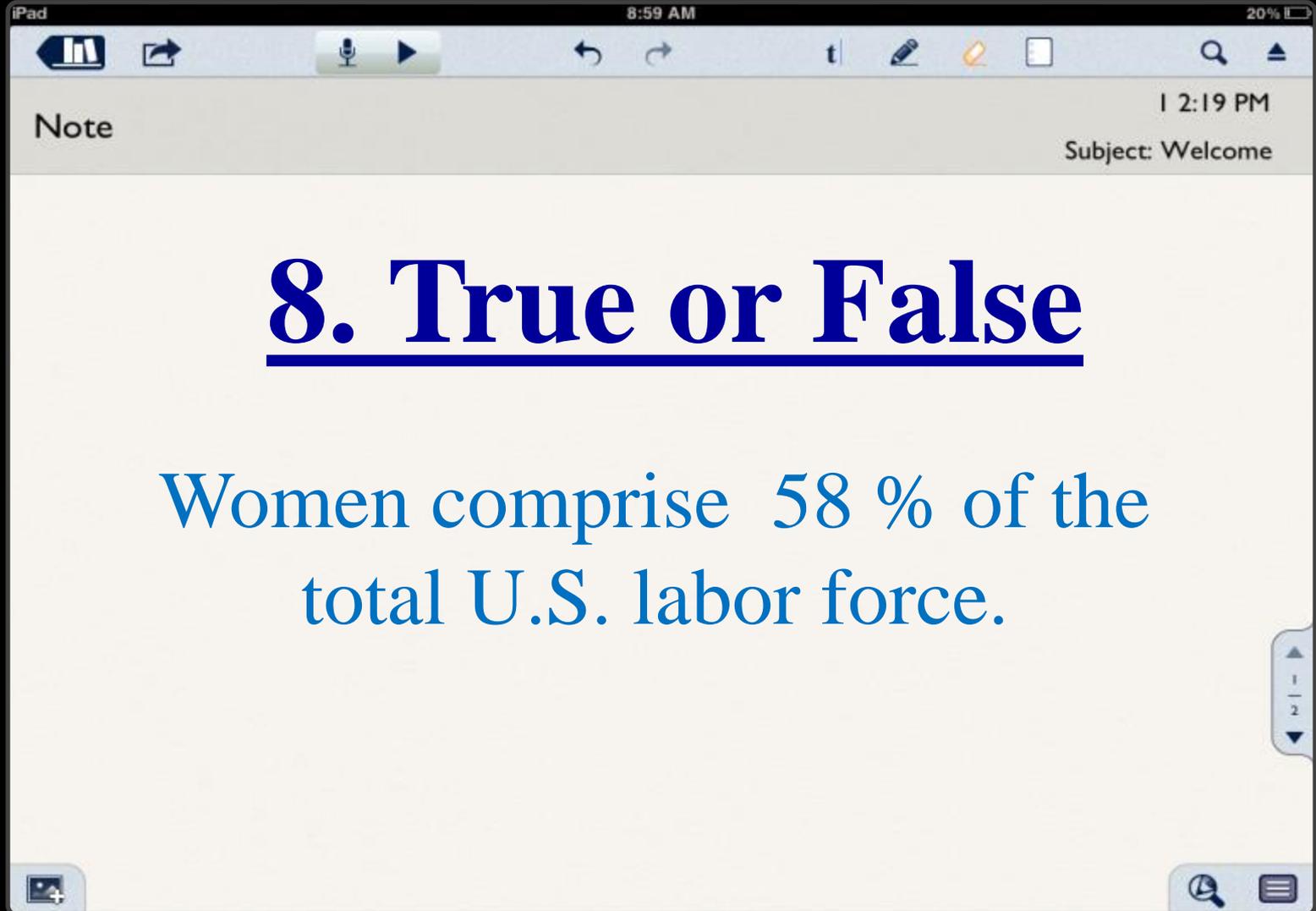
- **Chances of advancement**
- **Professional recognition**
- **Benefits**
- **How you like doing the tasks required.**

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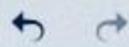
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Women comprise 58 % of the total U.S. labor force.

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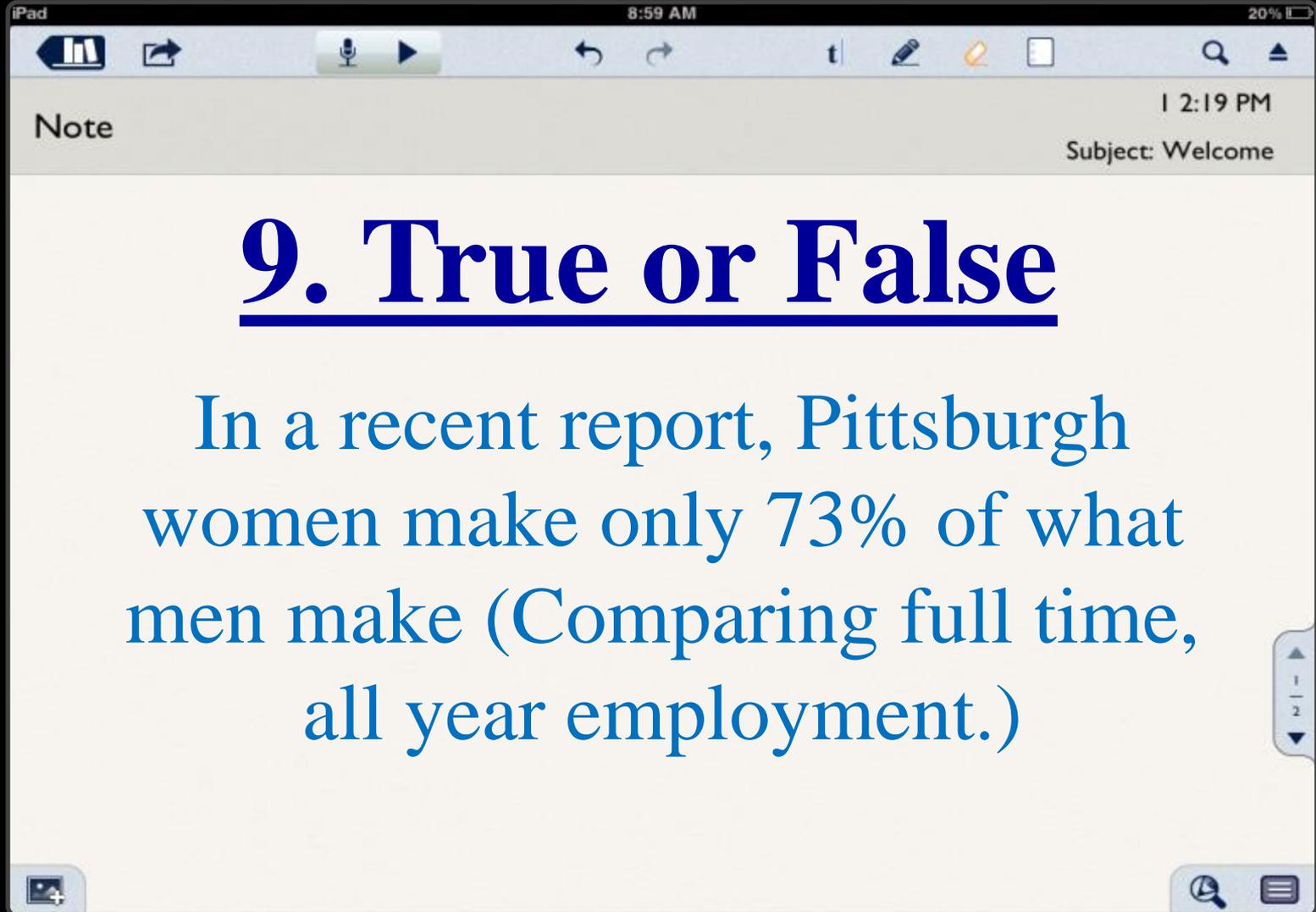


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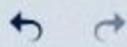
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In a recent report, Pittsburgh women make only 73% of what men make (Comparing full time, all year employment.)

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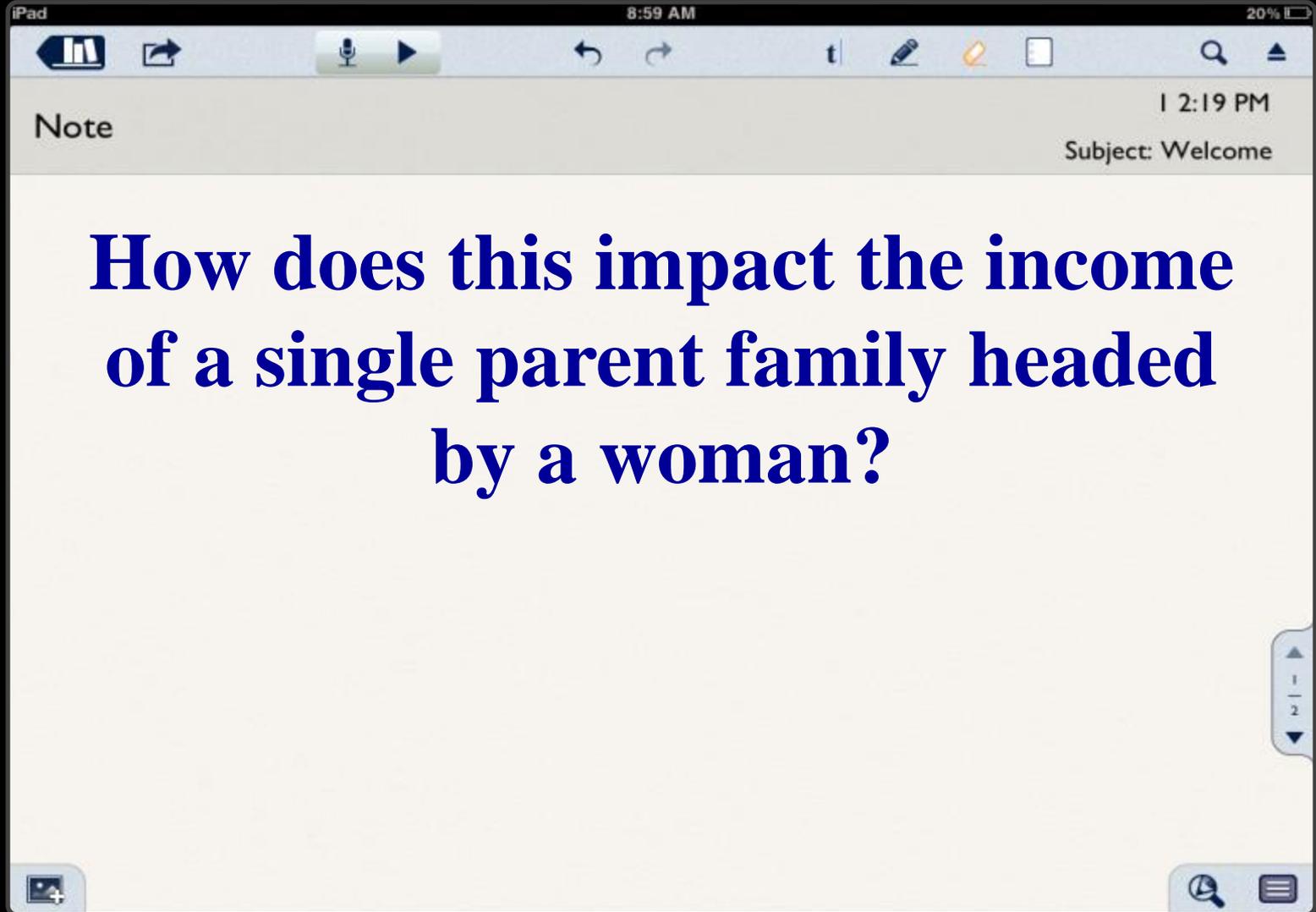
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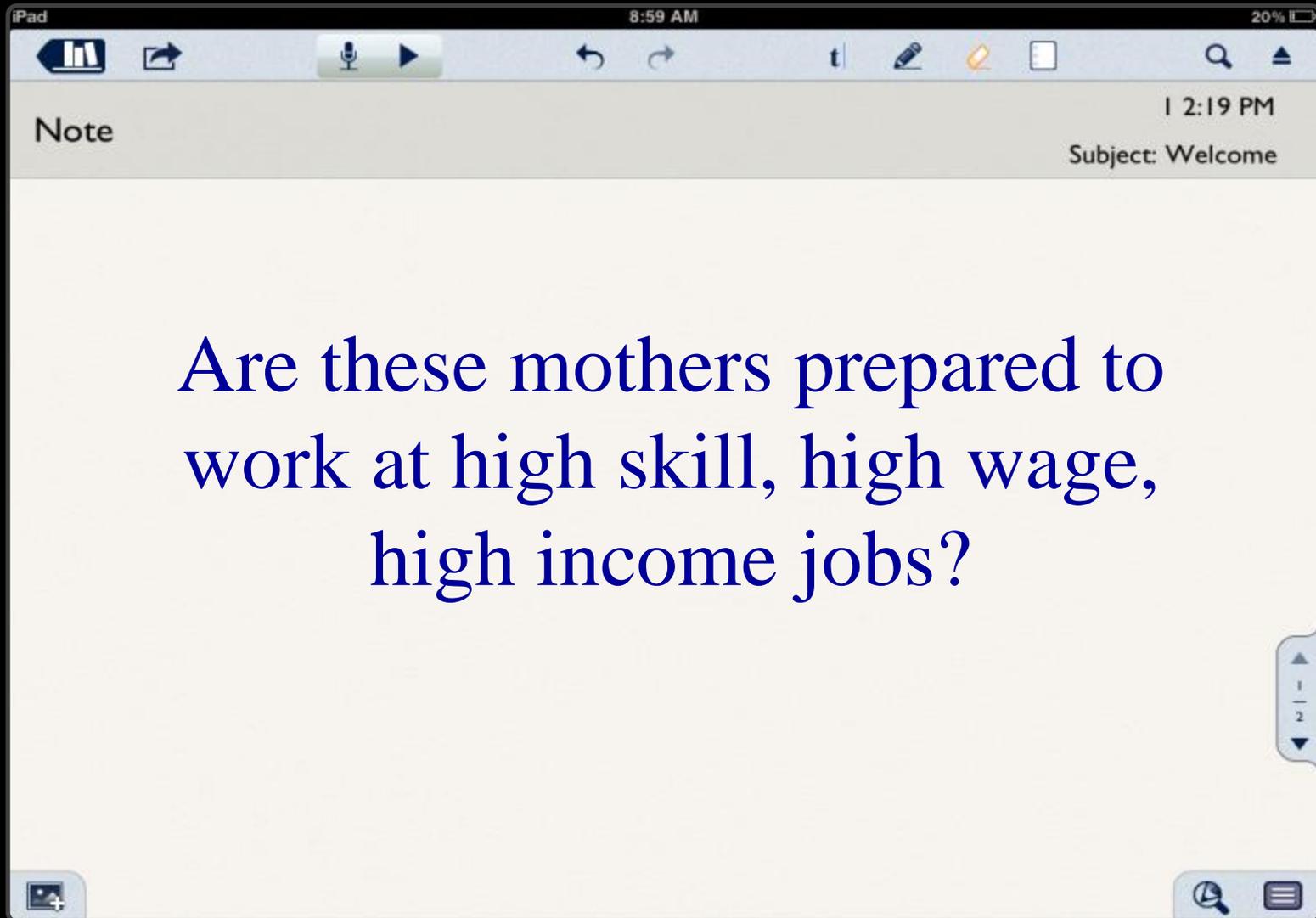
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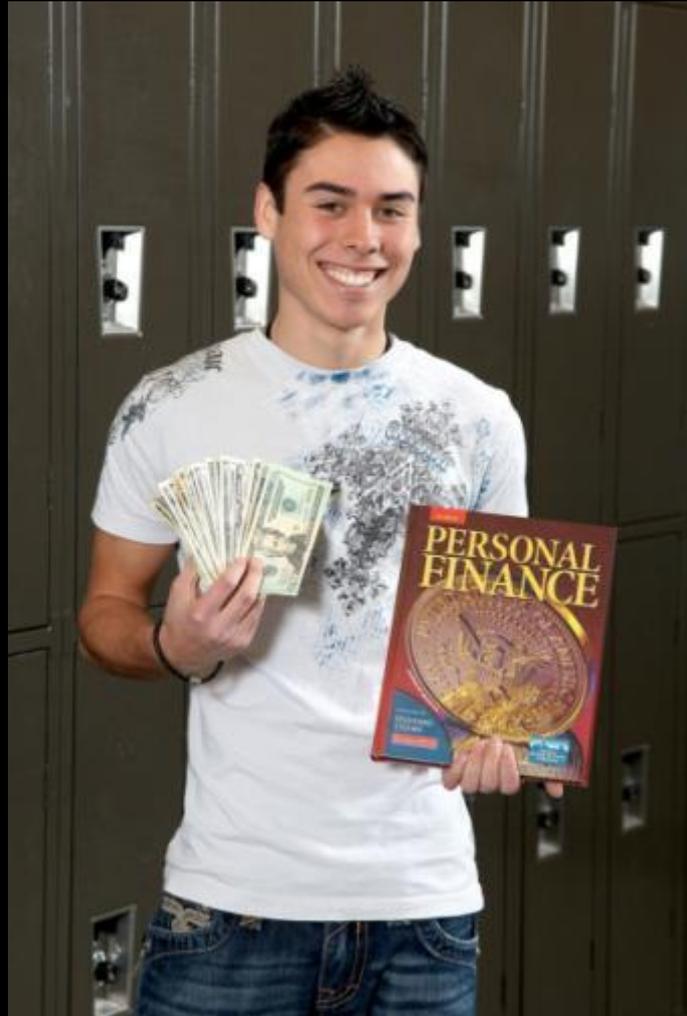


**How does this impact the income
of a single parent family headed
by a woman?**





Are these mothers prepared to work at high skill, high wage, high income jobs?





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- *Less education/training*
- *Training and education for jobs that are not high wage and high skill*
- *Working part time*

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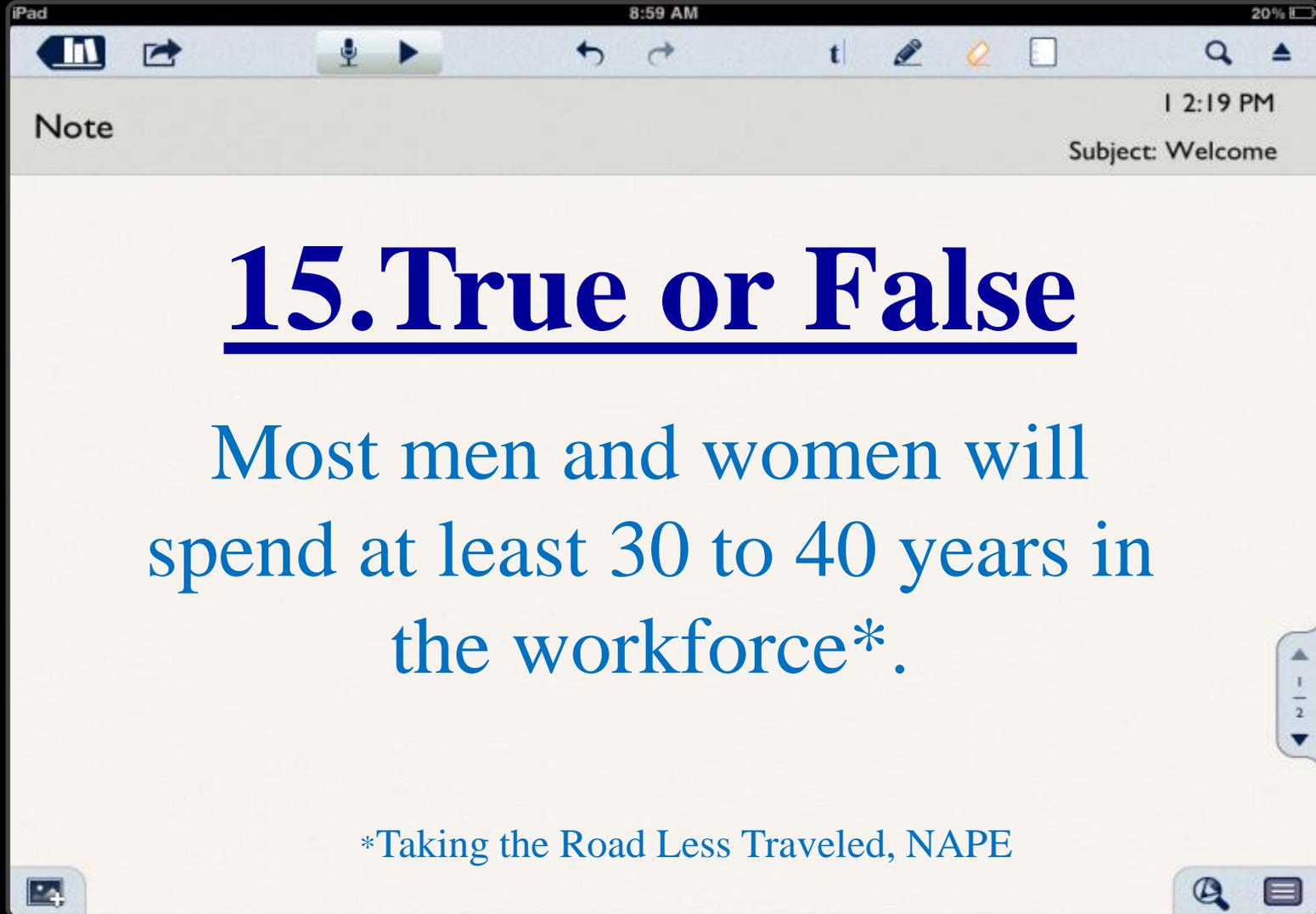
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15. True or False

Most men and women will spend at least 30 to 40 years in the workforce*.

*Taking the Road Less Traveled, NAPE

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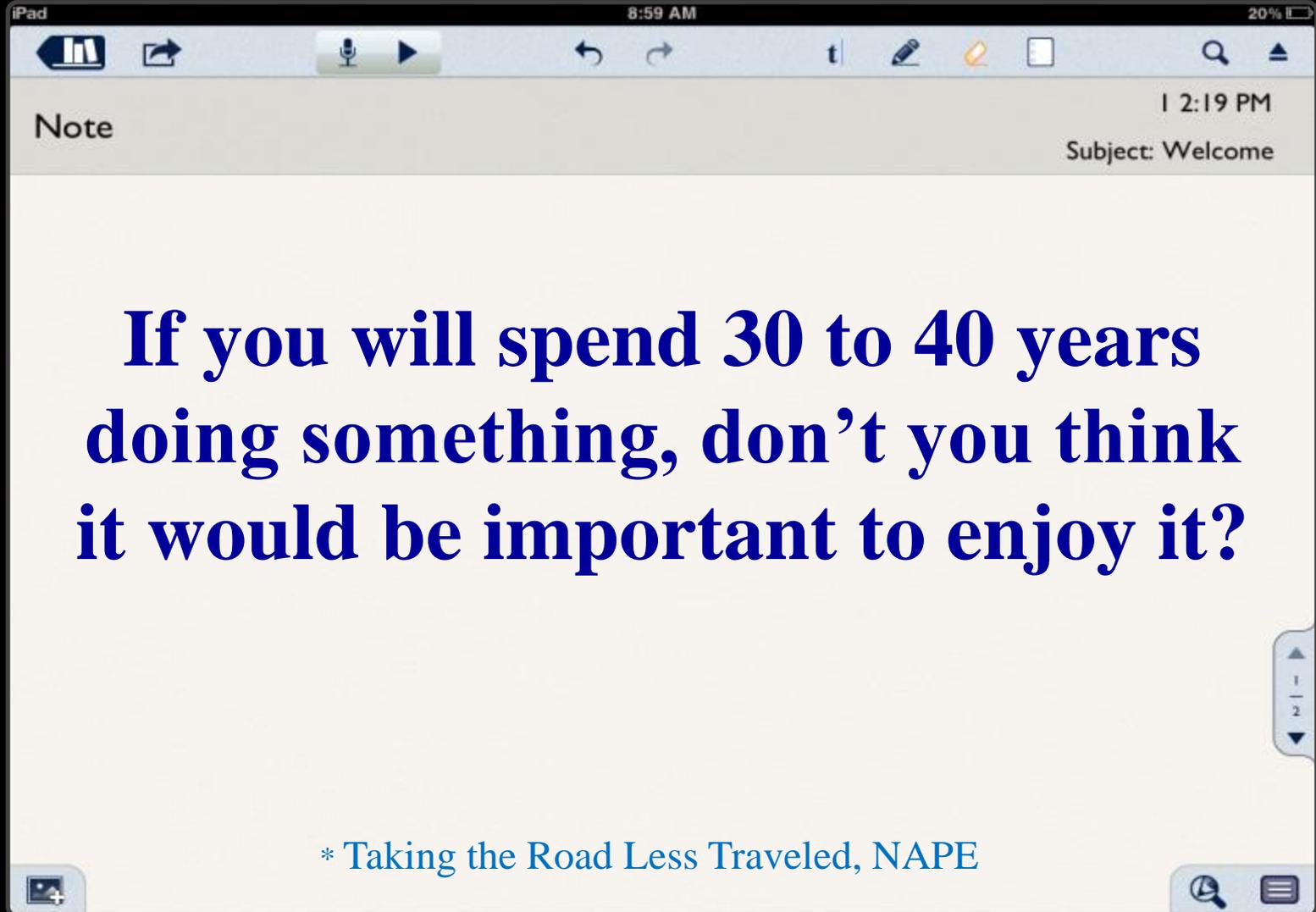
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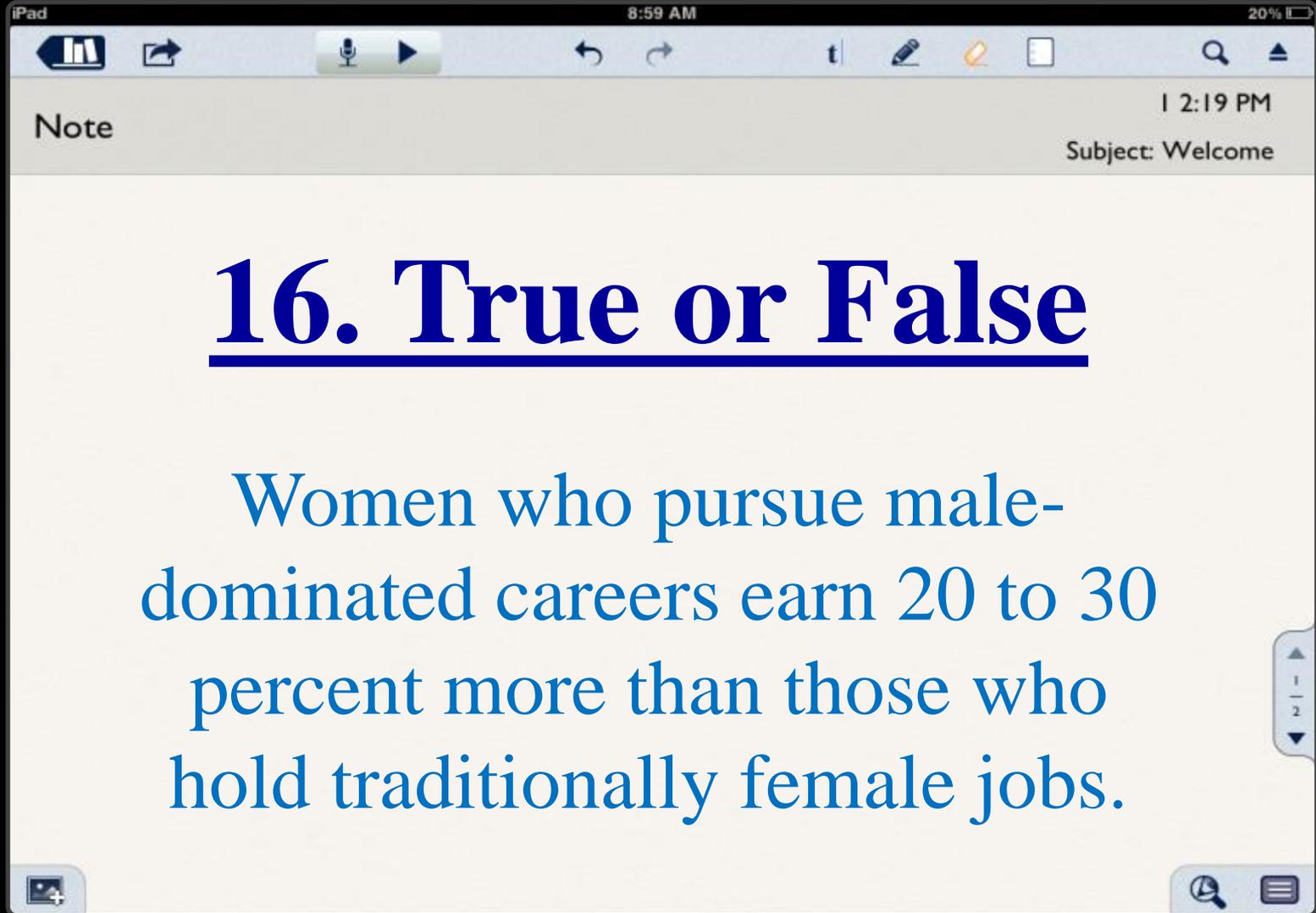




**If you will spend 30 to 40 years
doing something, don't you think
it would be important to enjoy it?**

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16. True or False

Women who pursue male-dominated careers earn 20 to 30 percent more than those who hold traditionally female jobs.

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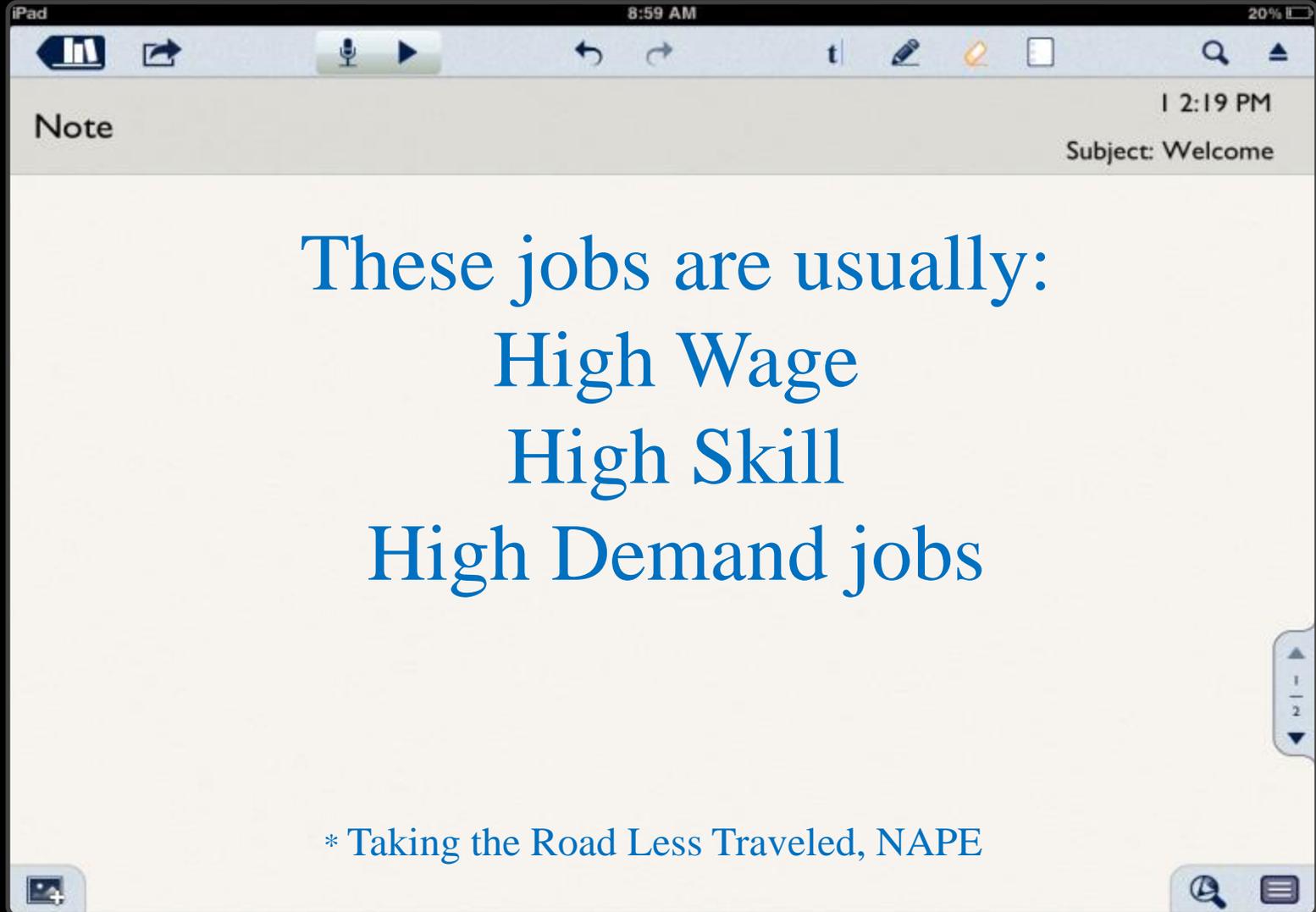
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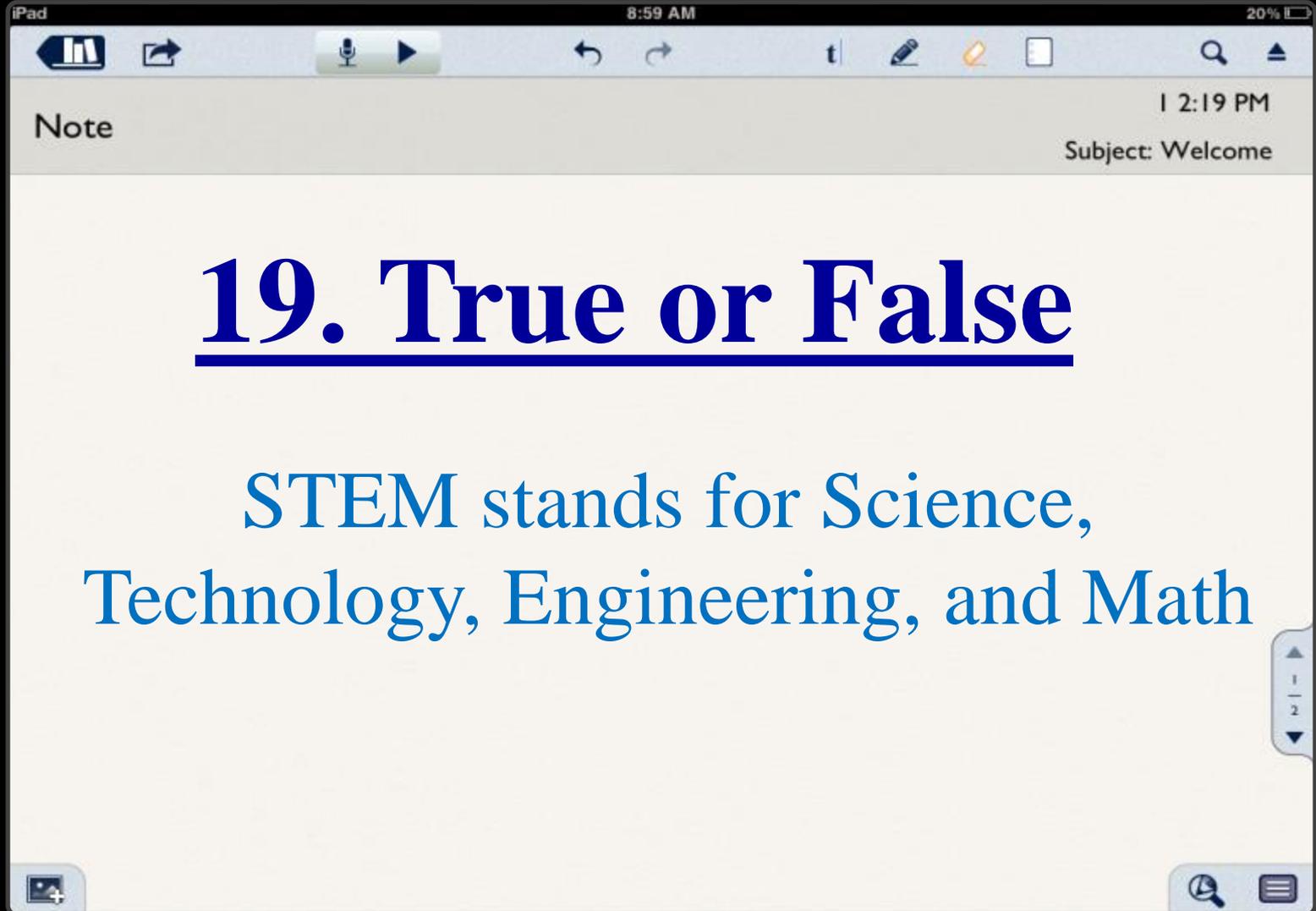




These jobs are usually:
High Wage
High Skill
High Demand jobs

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19. True or False

STEM stands for Science,
Technology, Engineering, and Math

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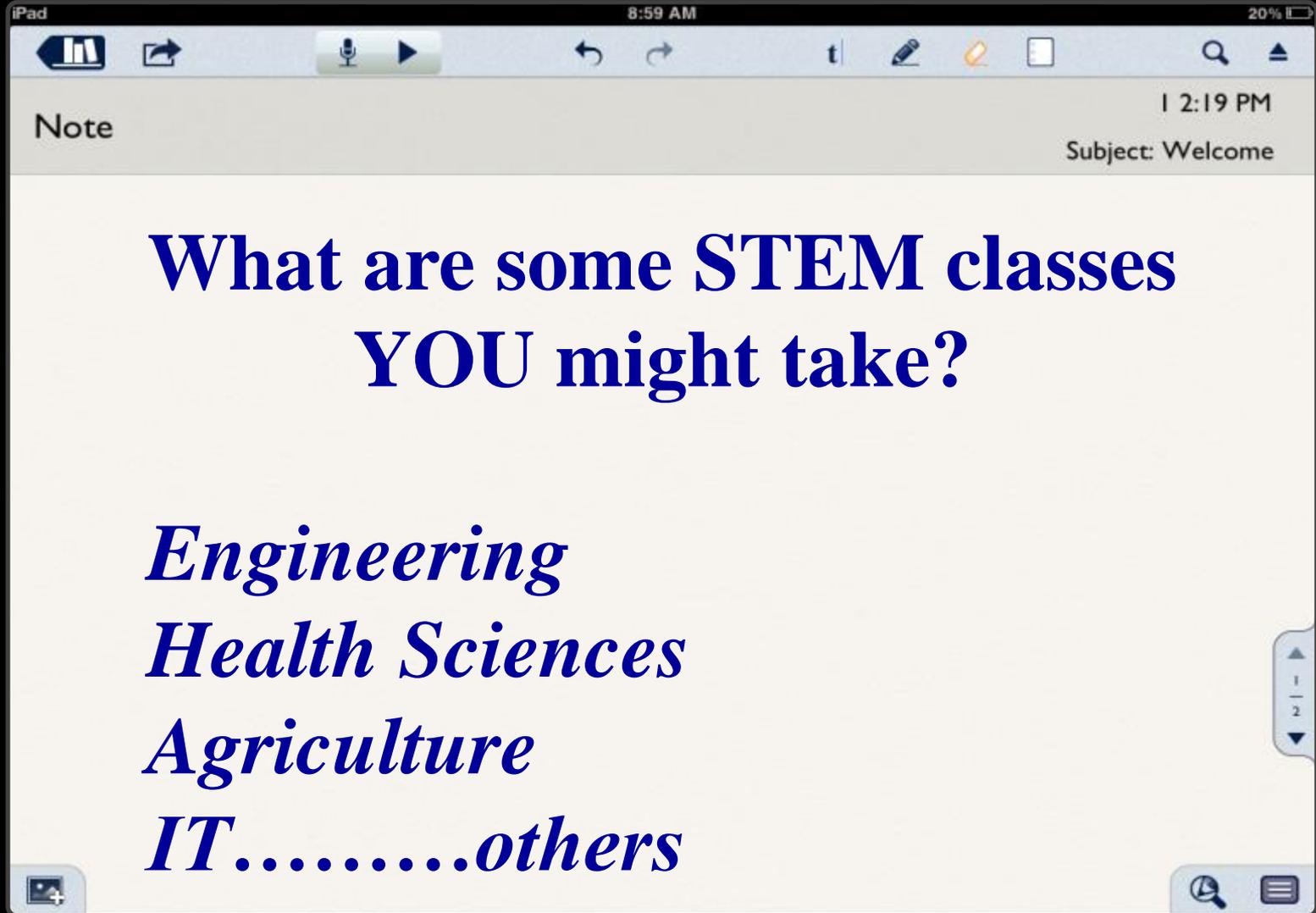
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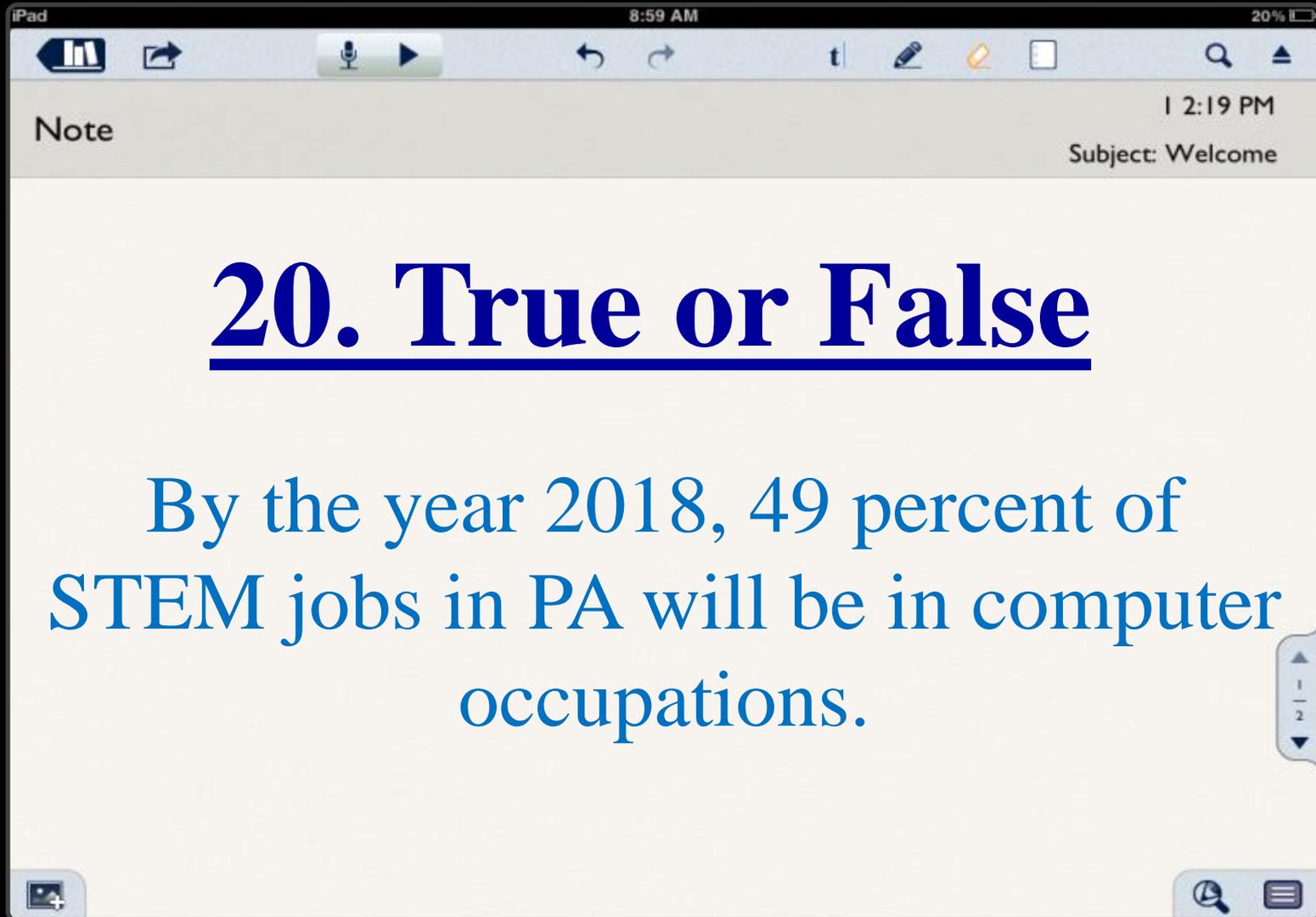




**What are some STEM classes
YOU might take?**

Engineering
Health Sciences
Agriculture
IT.....others





20. True or False

By the year 2018, 49 percent of STEM jobs in PA will be in computer occupations.

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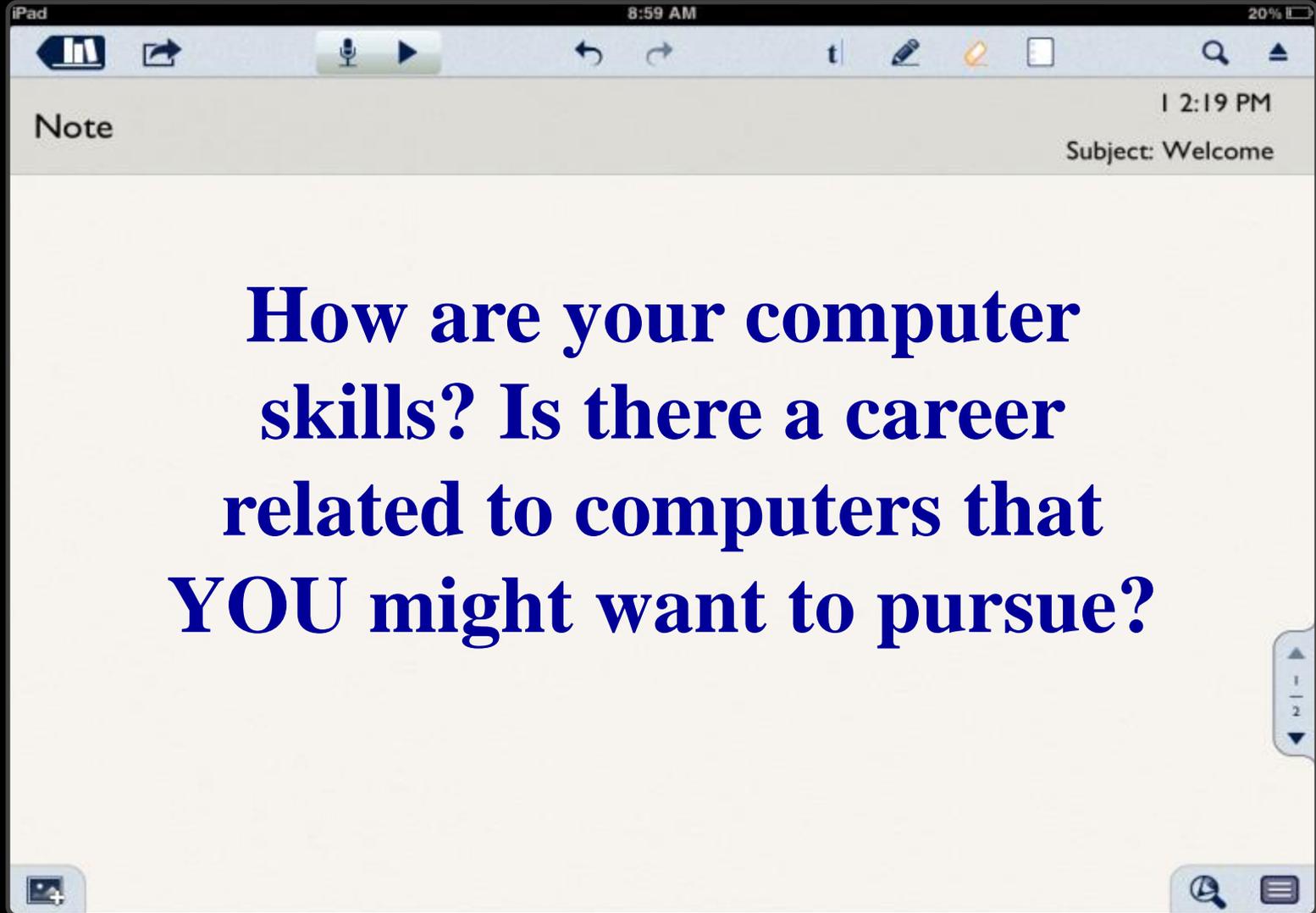
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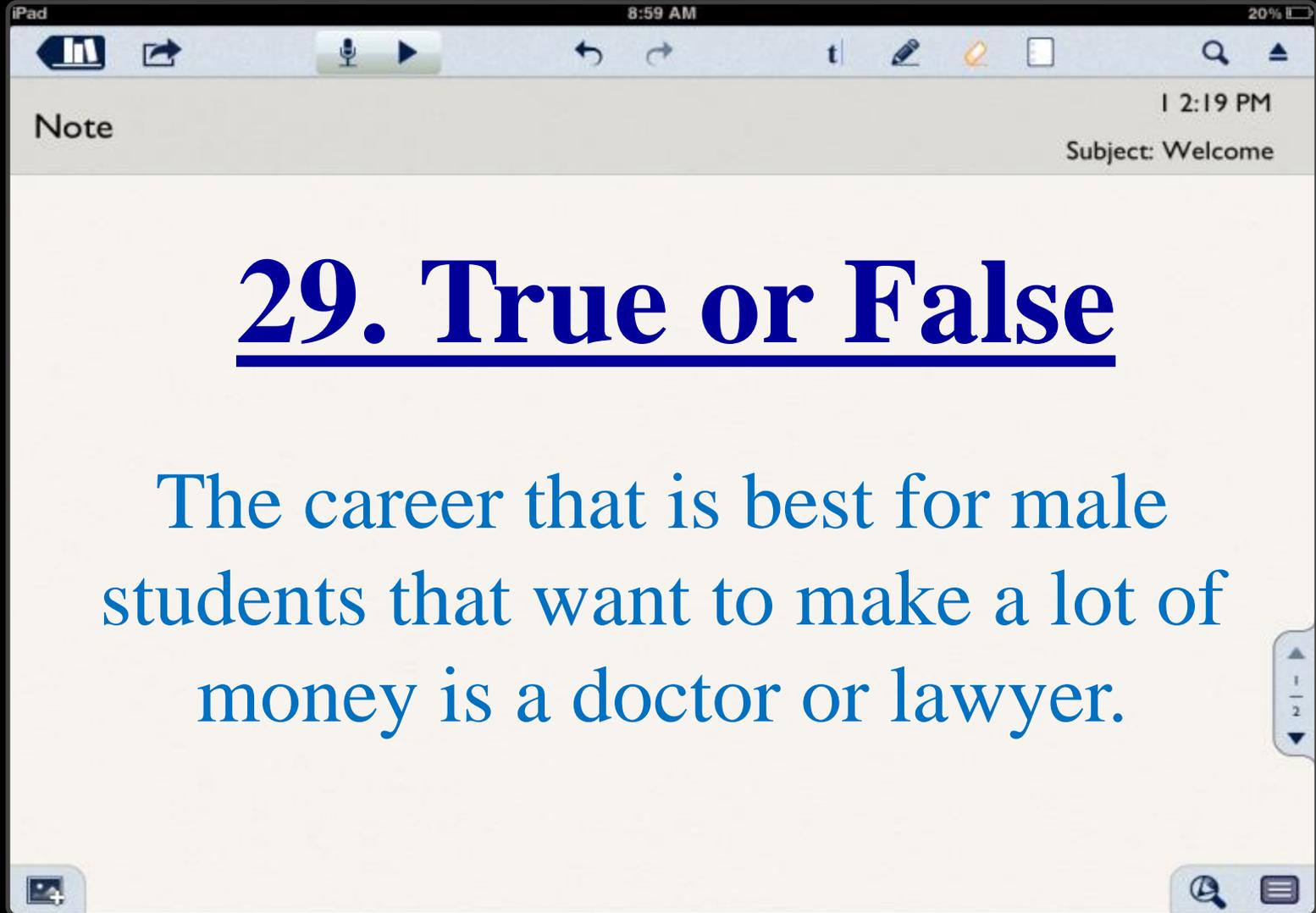
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How are your computer skills? Is there a career related to computers that YOU might want to pursue?





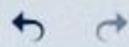
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The career that is best for male students that want to make a lot of money is a doctor or lawyer.

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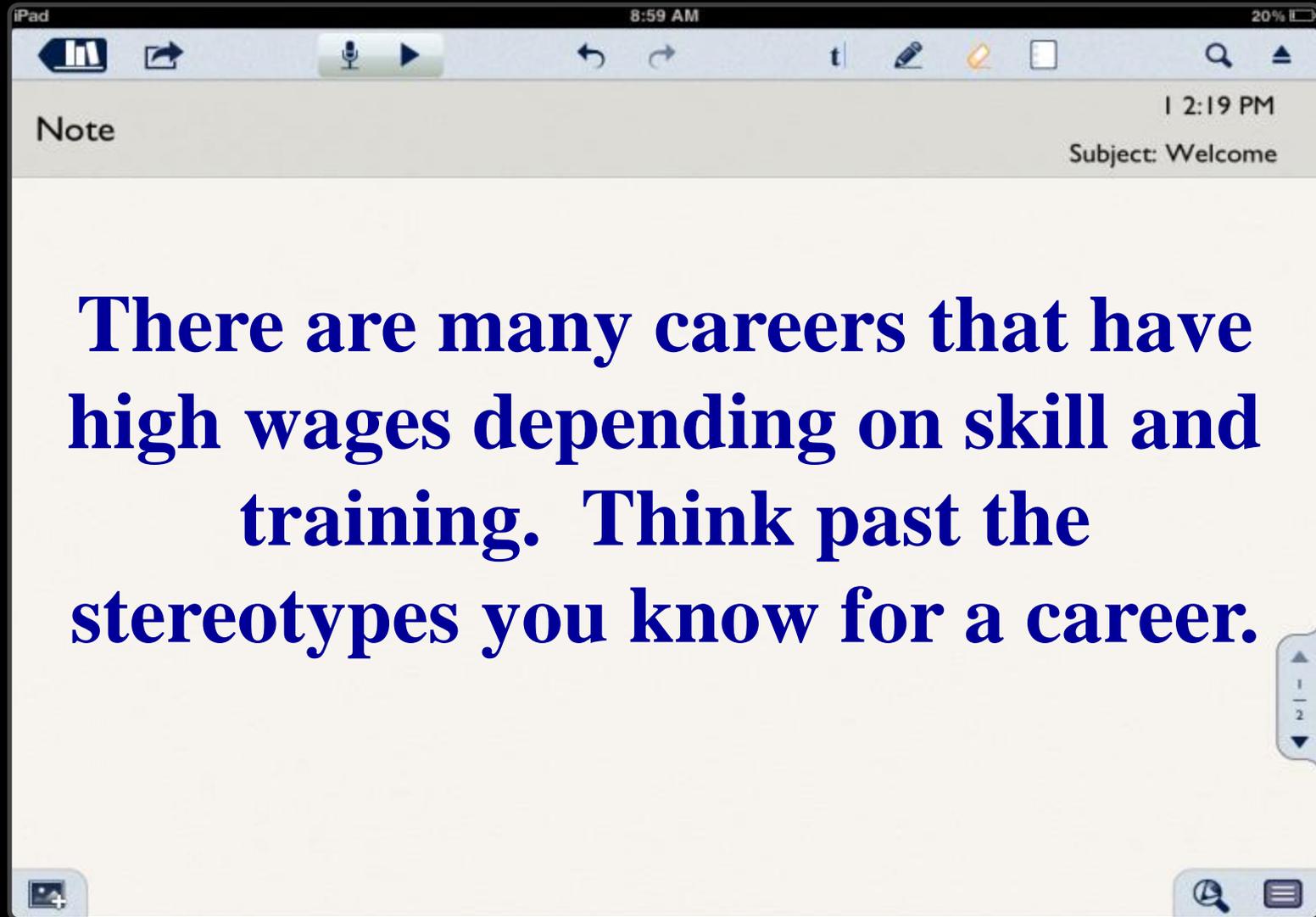
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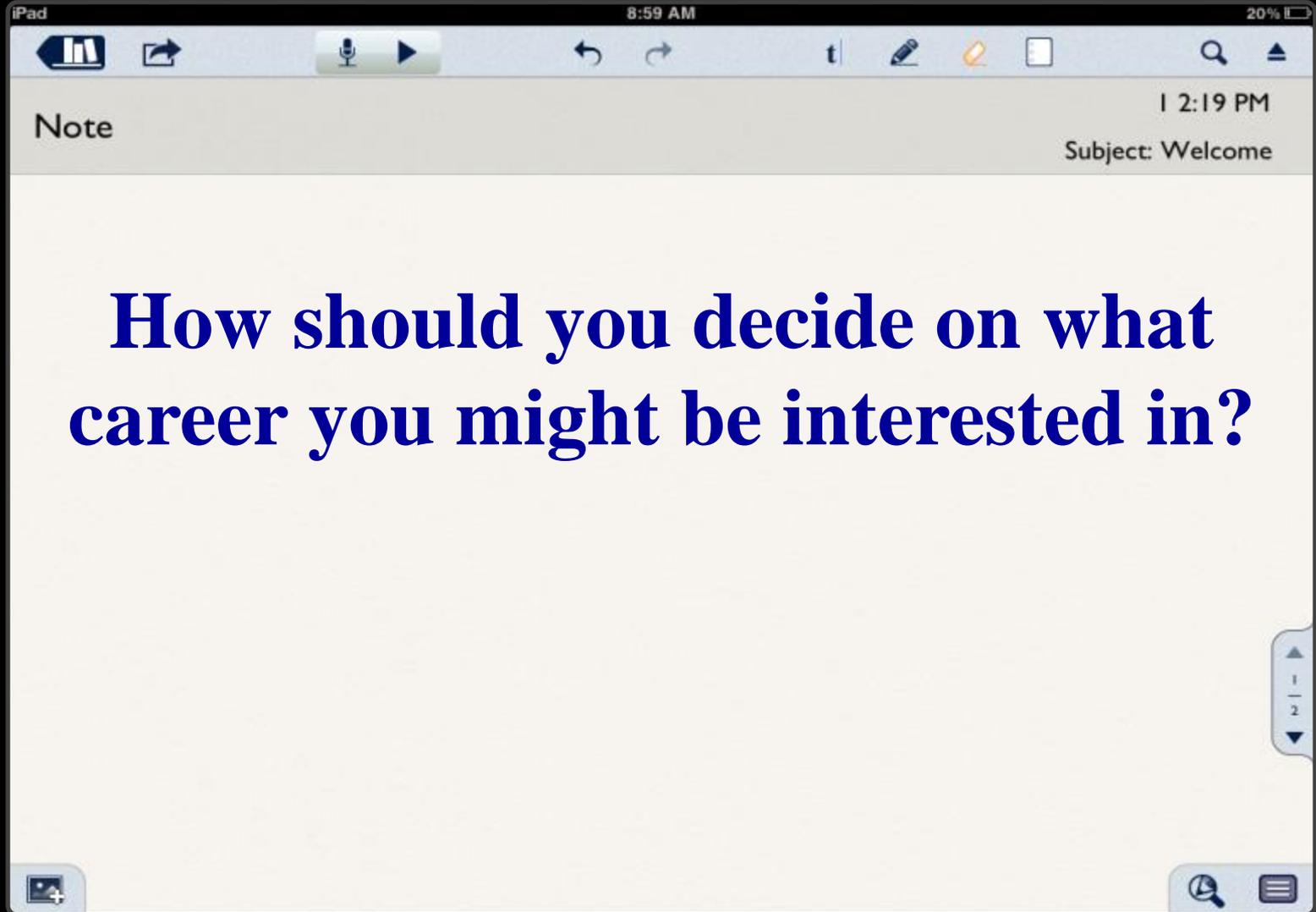
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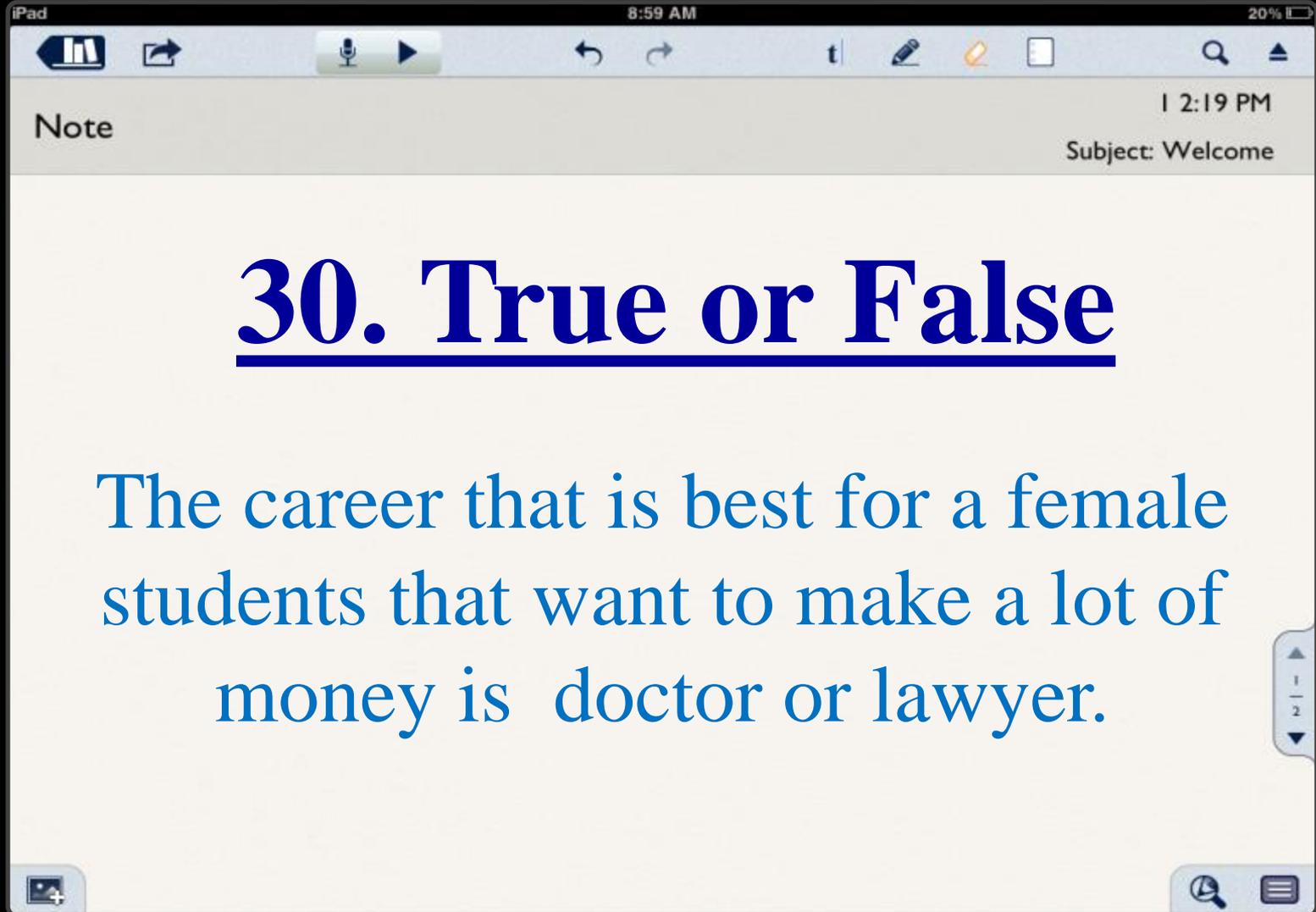




There are many careers that have high wages depending on skill and training. Think past the stereotypes you know for a career.



How should you decide on what career you might be interested in?



30. True or False

The career that is best for a female students that want to make a lot of money is doctor or lawyer.

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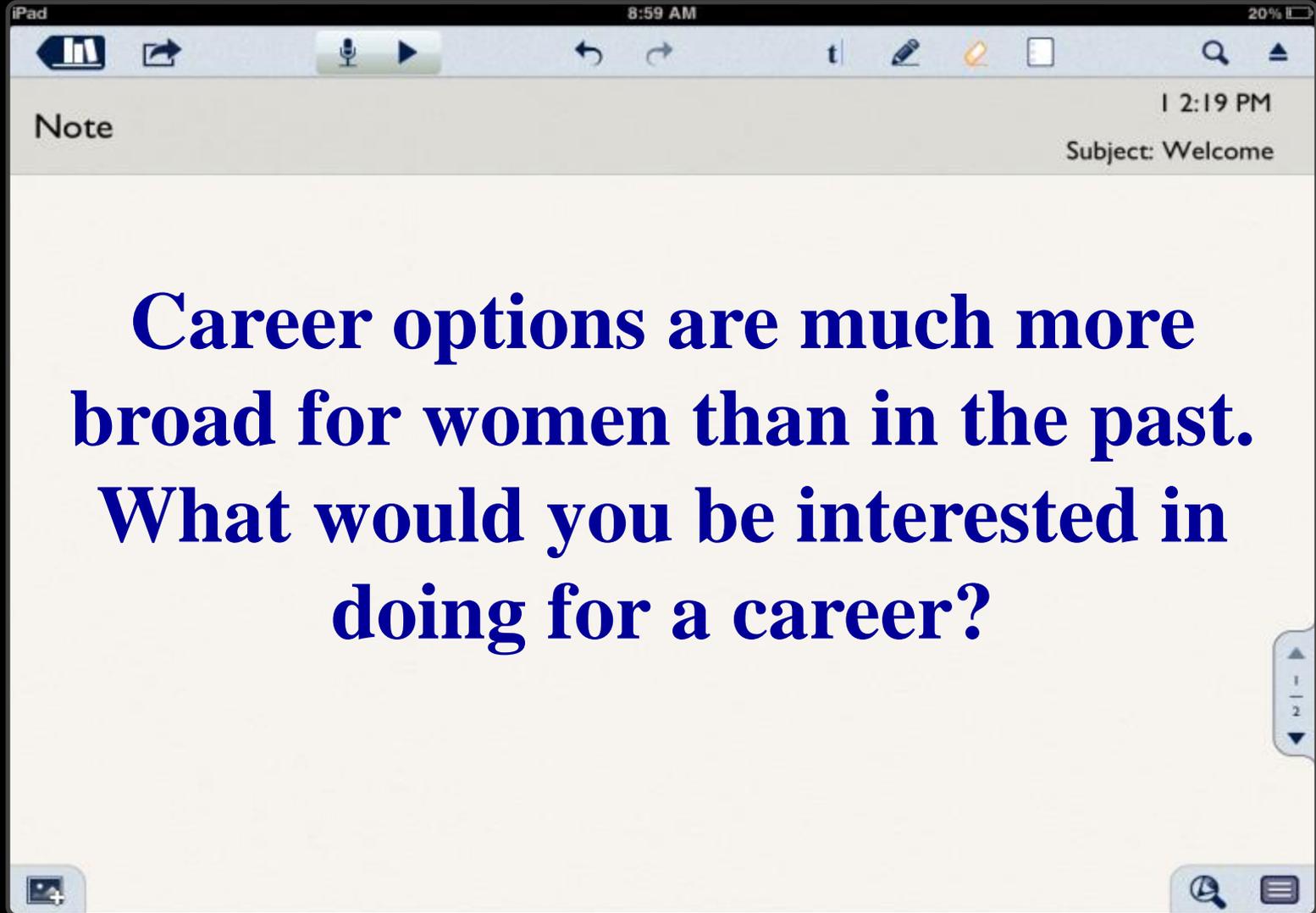
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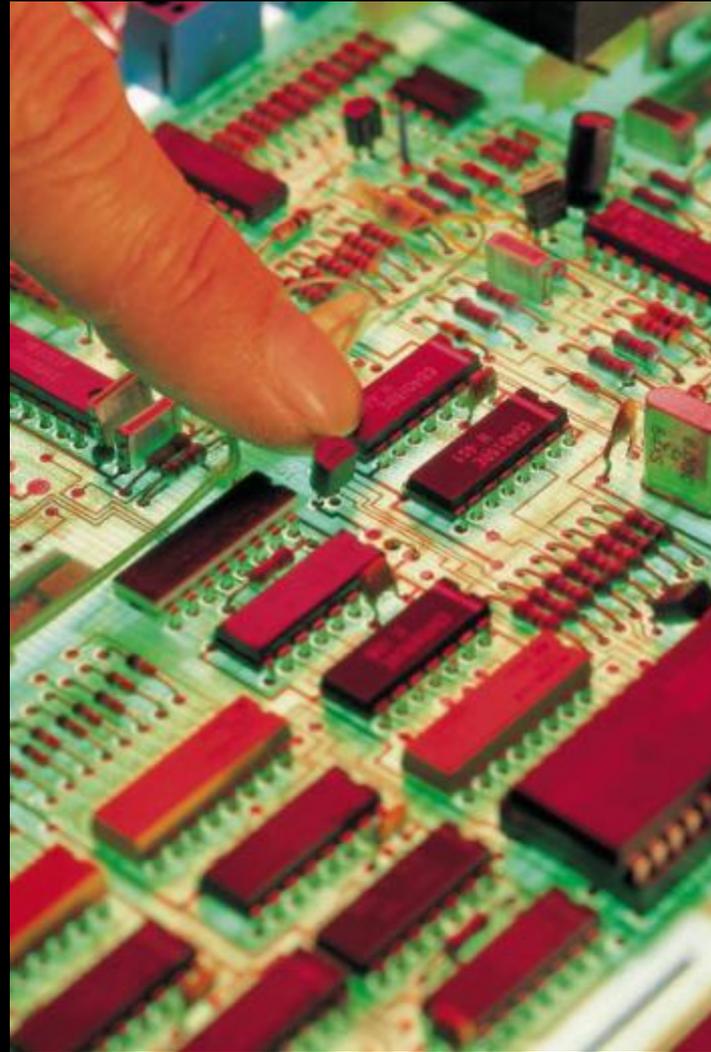
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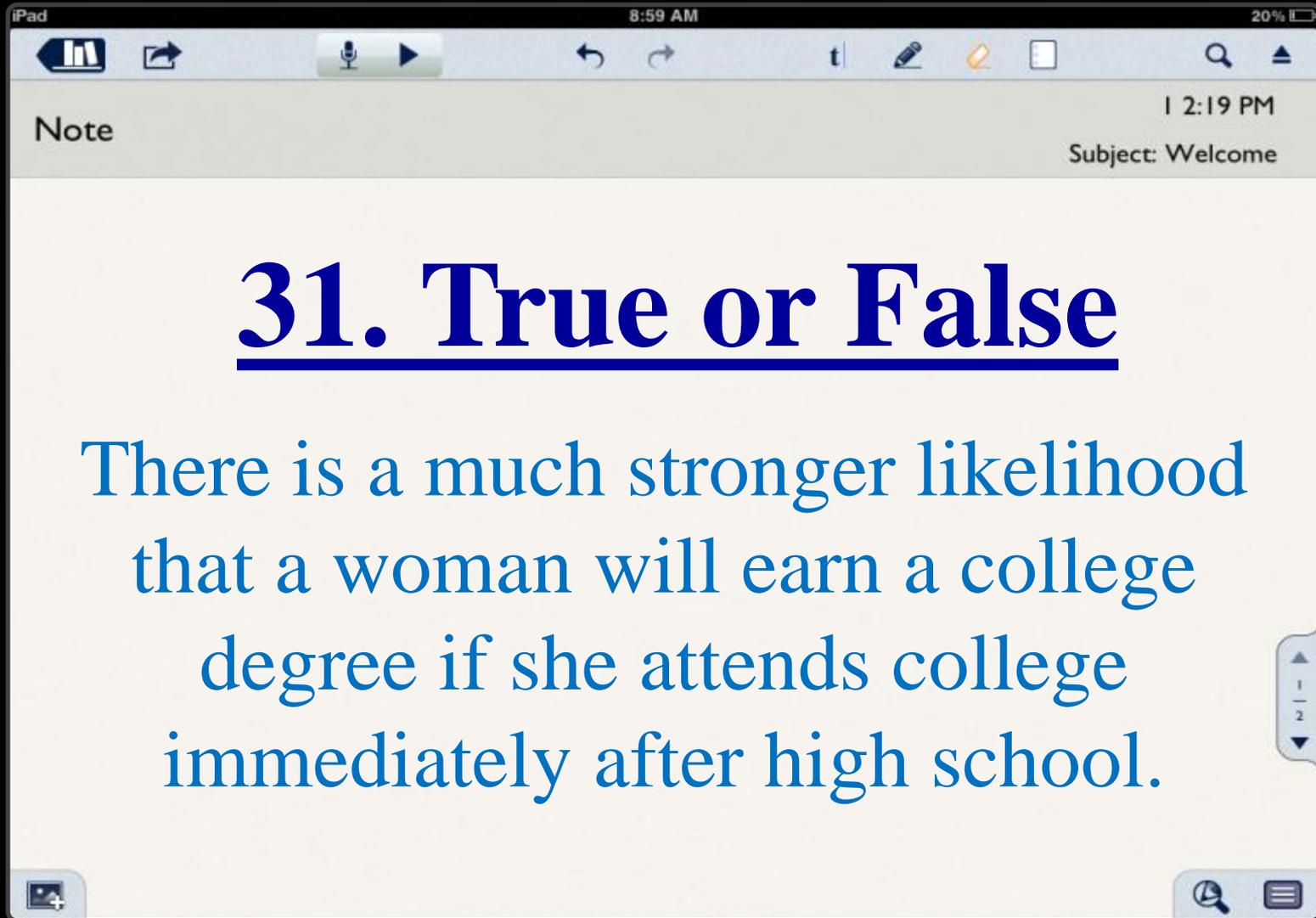
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**Career options are much more
broad for women than in the past.
What would you be interested in
doing for a career?**





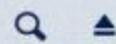
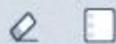
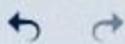
31. True or False

There is a much stronger likelihood that a woman will earn a college degree if she attends college immediately after high school.

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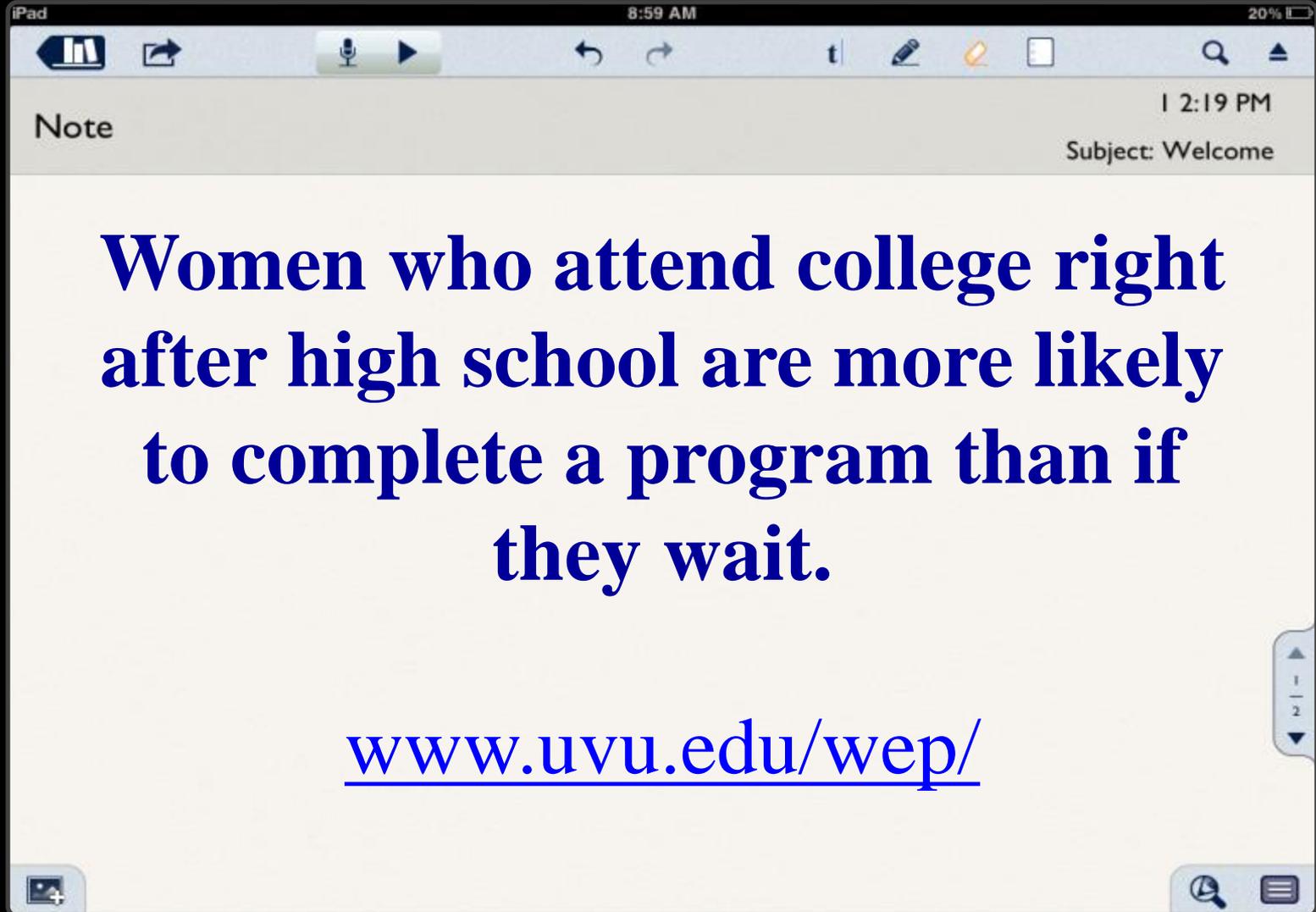
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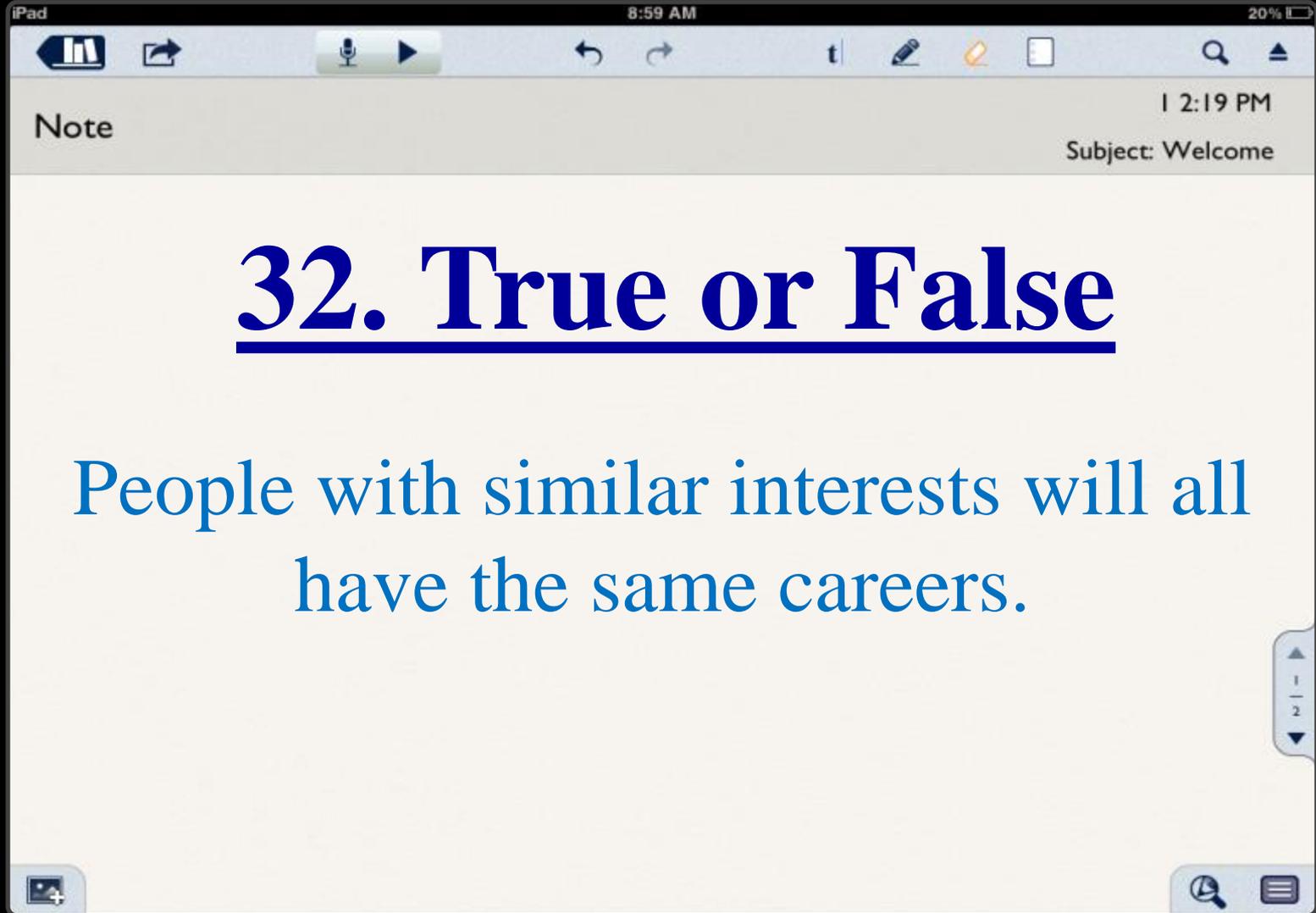




Women who attend college right after high school are more likely to complete a program than if they wait.

www.uvu.edu/wep/





32. True or False

People with similar interests will all have the same careers.

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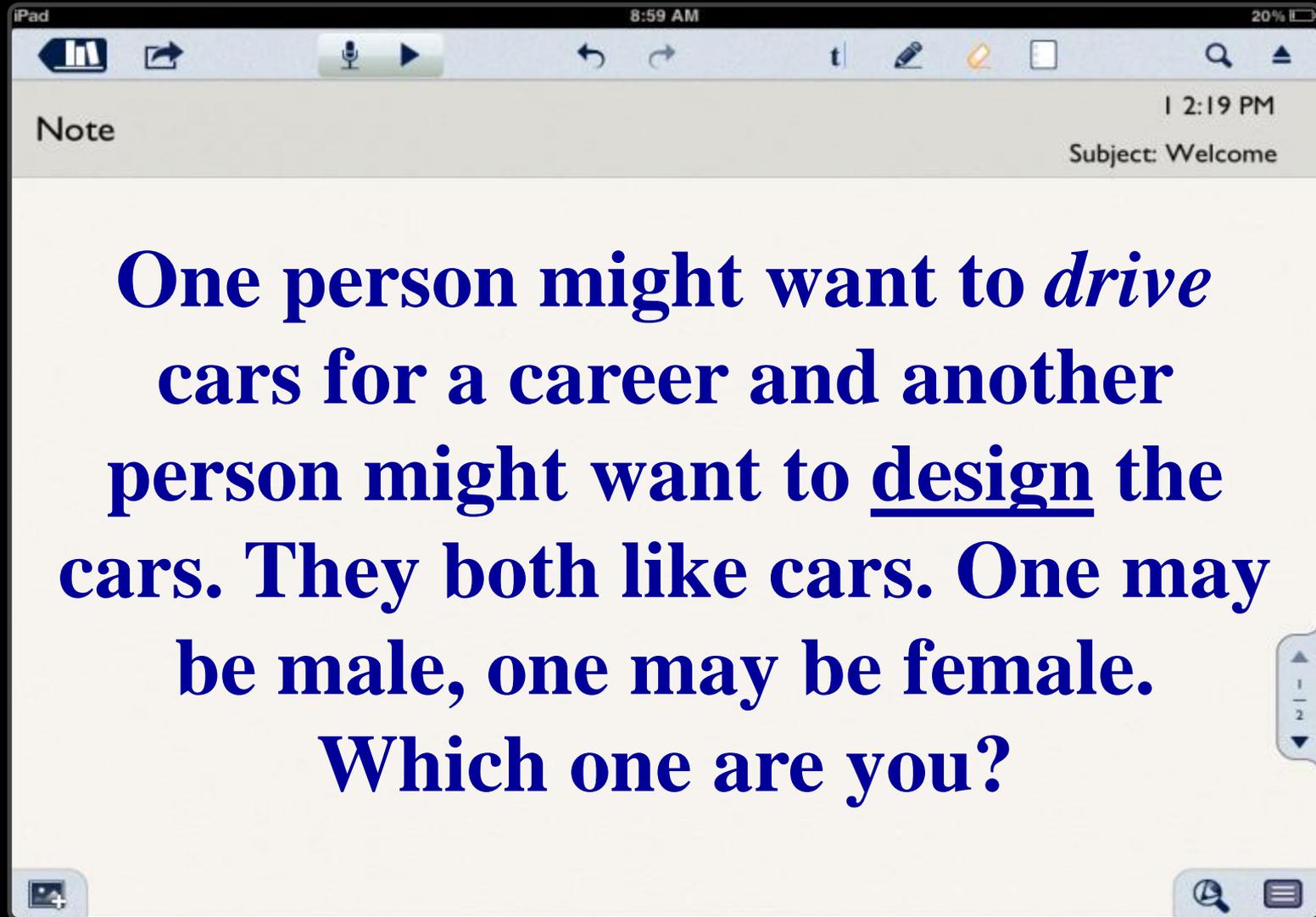
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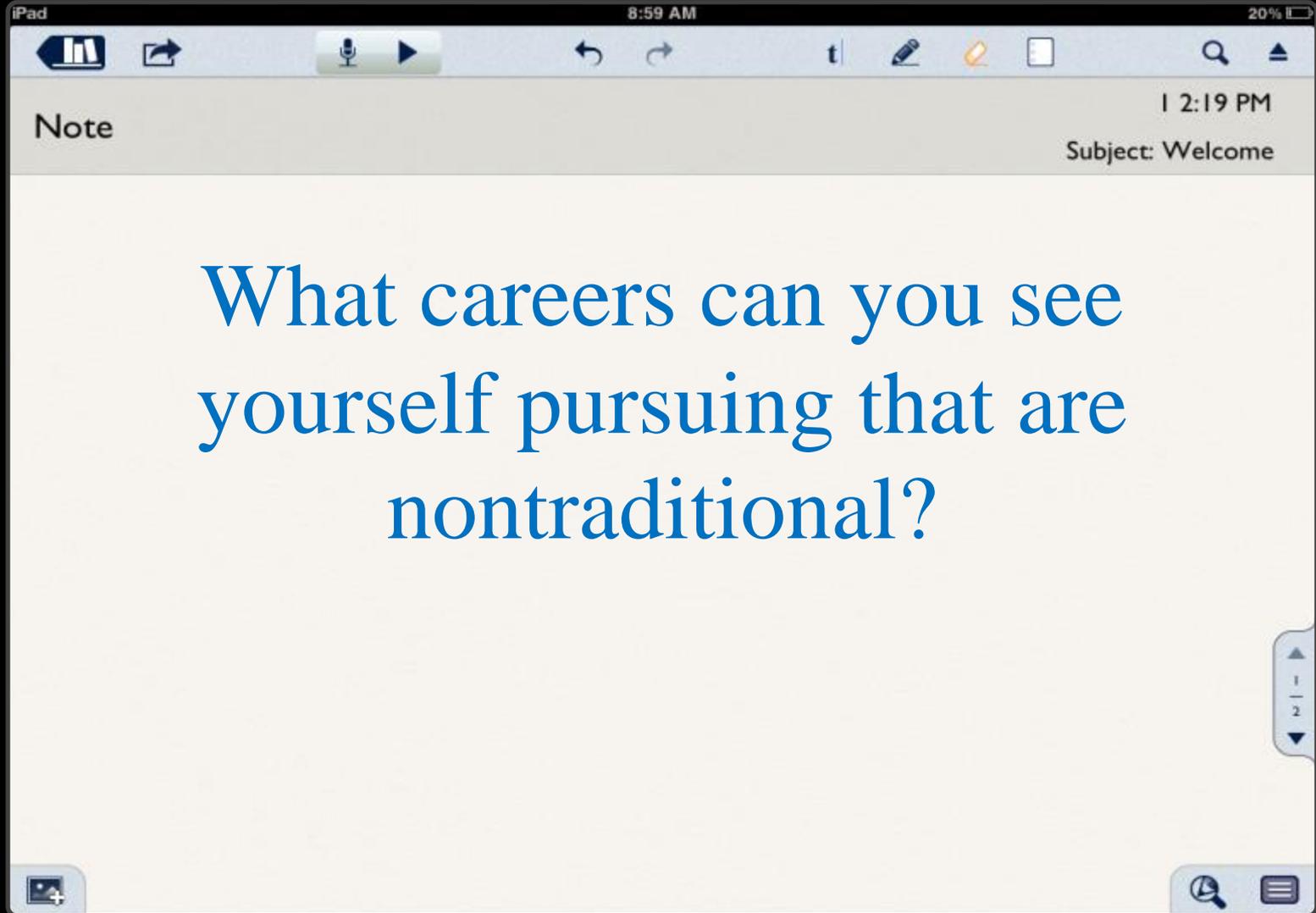
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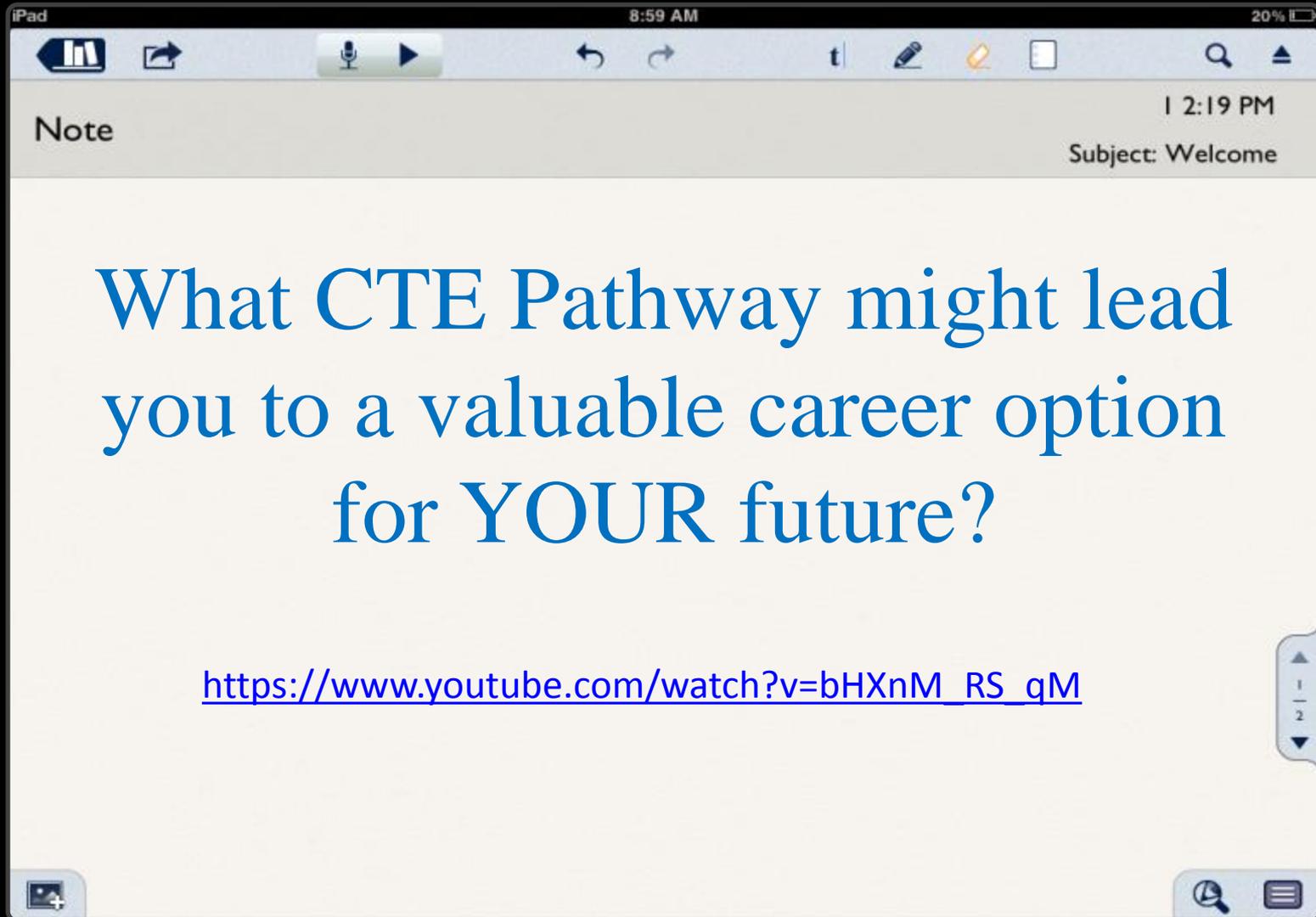


One person might want to *drive* cars for a career and another person might want to design the cars. They both like cars. One may be male, one may be female. Which one are you?





What careers can you see
yourself pursuing that are
nontraditional?



What CTE Pathway might lead you to a valuable career option for YOUR future?

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bHXnM_RS_qM