

Student Input

Name:

Town:

School:

GPA (unweighted):

Graduation Year:

ACT Score:

Birth Date:

Church:

E-mail:

Parent's Name(s):

Parent's E-mail:

Parent's Telephone:

Currently employed (where)?

Hourly wage:

hrs/wk:

Current Path

Career:

What career would be your first choice at this moment?

What do you like about this career?

How certain are you of this choice (1 = not at all; 10 = definite)?

What additional information would you need to decide whether this is right for you?

What did you want to be when you were 8 years old?

Preferences

What are your **passions**?

(what would you give up a Saturday afternoon to do, or learn more about?)

What are your **interests**?

(what would you read a non-fiction book about or do internet research on?)

What are your **gifts or talents**?

(if you do not know, ask a close friend or family member, they will tell you)

For the following questions about subjects and classes please be specific:

If you say: "Science", is that *hard* sciences (Physics, Chemistry) or *life* sciences (Biology)

If you say: "Math", is that Algebra and Trig, or Geometry, or Calculus?

If you say: "English", is that Literature, Grammar, Vocabulary, or Creative Writing?

What are, or were your **favorite subjects** in High School?

Why?

What are, or were your **least favorite High School subjects**?

Why?

What classes, or subjects were always a **struggle**, no matter how much effort you gave?

What classes, or subjects did you find to be **easy**?

What types of things in everyday life do you find **fascinating**?

(walking down the street, what catches your attention & you want to learn more about it?)

What are your **hobbies**?

Do you prefer solving problems with **definite** answers, like Math,
or **subjective** answers, like Philosophy?

Would you prefer to solve an **open-ended** problem,
or be **given options** to choose from?

Do you enjoy **debating** issues and trying to persuade others?

Do you enjoy **interacting** with and being around others?

Would you prefer to work on things as a **group**, or rather work on it by **yourself**?

Do you prefer to be the **leader** of the group, or **follow** and let others lead?

Do you seek **recognition** for your work, or are the **results** alone sufficient?

Do you enjoy **helping others**, even if you receive no credit or money for doing so?

Do you consider yourself to be a **competitive** person?

What is your response when you encounter, or become engaged in a **conflict**?

Do you have any **specialized work interests**?

(Law, medicine, airline pilot, military, music, art, drama, ministry, etc.)

Do you enjoy **working with your hands**?

Do you enjoy **building** and/or **fixing things**?

Do you prefer to **do the work yourself**, or **supervise/manage** others to get the job done?

Would you prefer to work mostly **indoors** or **outdoors**?

(if you answer outdoors, do you have experience working in hot/cold/inclement weather?)

Would you prefer to work in an environment where you are **around others**,
or work somewhere where you are mostly **by yourself**?

How well do you respond to **pressure**?

How well do you respond to **tight deadlines**?

(if well, is that because you plan ahead, or get an adrenaline rush as the deadline nears?)

Do you prefer working on a project with a **definite** timeframe, or **open-ended**?

Are you good at making **snap decisions**,
or do you prefer taking time to **thoroughly analyze** all of your options?

Do you enjoy having **responsibility**?

Do you prefer to **give** or **receive** orders?

Is it important for you to **see the results of your labor**,
or are you OK with **planting a seed** that may not produce results for months, or years
(or ever)?

How well do you respond to **constructive criticism** from those you respect?

Do you enjoy **public speaking**?

Do you enjoy digging into the **details of work** (micro-managing),
or are you more interested in the **big picture**?

Do you prefer to **build something from scratch**,
or would you rather **improve upon something already built**?

Do you prefer to work from a **checklist**,
or do you prefer to come up with your own **innovative approach**?

Would you rather be given **detailed instructions**, or **general guidelines**?

Do you enjoy **researching options** to find a way to solve a problem,
or would you prefer being given a task whose path is **already defined**?

Would you enjoy **working with customers**, even if they are angry or critical,
or would you prefer to work **in the backroom**?

Would you prefer a job with potentially **large but variable income based on performance** (like Sales, Liability Attorney, or Business Owner), or would you prefer a **known, predictable income**?

Do you enjoy **being in the spotlight**, or would you rather work **behind the scenes**?

Would you prefer a job with **rigid hours**, or one where you can **set your own schedule**?

Which makes you happier, the **quantity** or **quality** of the work you produce?

Would you like a job with lots of **overnight travel**, or do you want to be home most nights?

Do you have any **geographical preferences**, or **limitations** for where you will initially work?

Assuming you will make enough money to support yourself and your family, would you sacrifice family time in order to earn **LOTS** of money?

Do you enjoy visiting and experiencing **different cultures**?

If you were wealthy enough right now that you **never had to work another day in your life**, how would you spend your time?

College or Training

Training

If your ideal career involves additional schooling, what is **max # years** you'd be willing to do?
(High School diploma; certificate; 2 yr; 4 yr; >4 yrs)

If your training requires going to a 4 year school, what is your initial school choice right now?

Why?

How certain are you of this choice (1 = not at all; 10 = positive)?

Would you be willing to attend Community College? (if so, for how many semesters)?

Do you qualify for a Community College scholarship like Peoria Promise? (give program name)

If you must go to a 4 year school is your preference to:

- Live on Campus
- Live at home and commute
- Live at home and attend online

If living on campus would you want to be close to home (< 2 hr drive) or further away?