

6-8 Career Exploration

Pre-Assessment

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 - b. Career
 - c. Training
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5. Sarah is a junior in high school. She has strong communication skills and enjoys searching for information and solving problems. Given her strengths and interests, which of the following careers might Sarah want to strongly consider?
 - a. Veterinarian
 - b. Journalist
 - c. Chef
 - d. Actress



Section 2: Please choose the number on the scale that best indicates how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements:

	Strongly disagree				Strongly agree
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I feel confident making decisions about money.	1	2	3	4	5
I am interested in learning more about managing my personal finances (<i>e.g. making good spending choices, saving and growing my money, understanding how credit works, planning for college, learning about taxes, protecting my personal information, etc.</i>).	1	2	3	4	5

Section 3: Please select from the choices below:

1. Circle your grade level.

K 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

2. Select the sentence that best describes you.

- a. I am a boy.
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