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ASSESSMENT

VOCATIONAL CHOICE INDEX

NAME:

DIRECTIONS:

1. If you like to do an activity, circle the letter "L".

Example: Type something. L

2. If you would not like to do an activity, make no mark and continue.

Example: Sell things in a store. L

ACTIVITIES**VOCATIONAL AREA**

Write a song.	L	01
Draw plans to build something.	L	05
Keep things neat in a store.	L	08
Drive heavy equipment.	L	05
Babysit children.	L	10
Train animals to do tricks.	L	03
Try to fix bicycles.	L	05
Put make-up on people.	L	09
Use an adding machine.	L	07
Write a play.	L	01
Type something.	L	07
Try to fix dents in a car or truck.	L	05
Count small parts to see if you have them all.	L	06
Read history books.	L	11
Put on new clothes to show people.	L	01
Find out if someone is honest.	L	11
Stay calm when something happens.	L	02
Write something for a newspaper.	L	11
Talk to people you don't know.	L	07
Mix paint to get the right color.	L	05
Help people park their car.	L	09
Wash and cut food.	L	05
Make people leave a party that you don't want there.	L	04
Play sports on a team.	L	12
Take care of problems.	L	11
Take care of animals.	L	02
Make drawings of how things should work.	L	05
Take people to a seat at a show.	L	09
Read about different kinds of jobs.	L	11
Keep records of things.	L	05
Write reports in school.	L	11

Write a book report.	L	01
Make beds for other people.	L	10
Use a sewing machine.	L	06

ACTIVITIES

VOCATIONAL AREA

Use a cash register.	L	07
Clean up after animals.	L	03
Figure out where you spent your money.	L	11
Pick out fresh food.	L	06
Try to tune a car.	L	05
Keep the money for a club or group.	L	07
Drive others around.	L	09
Draw cartoons or pictures.	L	01
Use shop machines.	L	05
Sell food from a stand or cart.	L	08
Read weather maps or charts.	L	02
Make sure people get what they need.	L	11
Repair part of a house or building.	L	05
Figure out money problems.	L	11
Think up new dance steps.	L	01
Be in races.	L	12
Save rocks that you like.	L	02
Help people decide what to do.	L	10
Decide which plants to sell or cut.	L	03
Talk people into doing things your way.	L	11
Measure land.	L	05
Make signs to sell something.	L	11
Play a musical instrument.	L	01
Make sure everything is ready for people.	L	11
Assemble pieces into something.	L	06
Address envelopes from a list.	L	07
Cut down trees or plants.	L	03

Sell things at a ball game.	L	08
Push or pull a car with a truck.	L	05
Keep a checking account up to date.	L	07
Guess the future for friends.	L	01
Use forms to get information.	L	11
Read dials on equipment.	L	05
Take care of other people's money.	L	11

ACTIVITIES

VOCATIONAL AREA

Move boxes with a hand truck.	L	06
Take small children somewhere.	L	09
Help someone do science things.	L	02
Keep rooms neat and clean.	L	09
Talk on a radio to someone.	L	07
Do physically hard to-do tasks.	L	12
Explain hard ideas to others.	L	05
Cut and rake lawns.	L	03
Make things for a teacher to use.	L	11
Dig a hole.	L	05
Get friends to act in a play.	L	01
Make sure people are fair.	L	11
Building something from plans.	L	05
Make a sick person happy.	L	10
Join metal things together.	L	06
Plan a sports program for children.	L	11
Do magic tricks for people.	L	01
Help people with office work.	L	07
Sail a boat.	L	05
Find out things about laws.	L	11
Plan good meals.	L	02
Keep a car clean and neat.	L	09
Check records of things.	L	05

Keep everyone happy at a party.	L	09
Sell things in a store.	L	07
Put on jewelry to show people.	L	01
Get people to trust you.	L	08
Get people to vote for something.	L	11
Find out who did things.	L	04
Balance things on your head.	L	12
File papers.	L	07
Keep machines running.	L	05
Dance slowly with others.	L	01
Follow directions to build something.	L	05

ACTIVITIES

VOCATIONAL AREA

Comb other people's hair.	L	09
Take care of sick people.	L	02
Bring food to people's table.	L	09
Learn to be a good fighter.	L	04
Collect stamps, coins, or records.	L	07
Fix meals for sick people.	L	10
Place flowers or other things in a pretty way.	L	01
Press or iron clothes.	L	06
Teach children how to do things.	L	11
Tell people what to do on a farm.	L	03
Plan things to do for a club or group.	L	11
Inspect a car or bike for safety.	L	05
Report something wrong.	L	11
Paint a sign.	L	01
Paint or clean things to make them look better.	L	06
Use science things.	L	02
Buy things to sell for more money.	L	08
Put prices on things.	L	05
Be the boss of workers selling plants or animals.	L	03

Get people to do things for you.	L	11
Tell repair people what to do.	L	05
Make sure someone gets what is fair.	L	11
Plan your time on paper each day.	L	07
Tell jokes to a group of people.	L	01
Write down what someone wants to buy.	L	07
Help a sick person who must stay in bed.	L	10
Be the boss of people using farm tools or animals.	L	03
Keep records of people in school or church.	L	07
Guard someone important.	L	04
Make things from leather, cloth, or paper.	L	01

Interest Levels				24				24			
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Vocational Area	Artistic	Scientific	Plants & Animals	Protective	Mechanical	Industrial	Business Detail	Selling	Accommodating	Humanitarian	Leading/Influencing	Physical Performing
	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. For every “L” that the participant circled, circle the vocational area.
2. Add up the vocational area categories to find out the participant’s interests.
3. The three vocational areas that have the boxes filled in closest to the black are the top three interests for the participant. Circle those on the following page.

VOCATIONAL AREA DESCRIPTIONS AND RELATED JOBS

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| <p>01 ARTISTIC: Interest in creative expression of feelings or ideas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sample Maker • Jeweler Apprentice | <p>04 PROTECTIVE: Interest in the use of authority to protect people and property.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Security Guard • Fire Chief’s Aid |
| <p>02 SCIENTIFIC: Interest in discovering, collecting, and analyzing in information about the natural work and applying scientific research findings to problems in medicine, life sciences and natural sciences.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scientific Helper • Laboratory Aide | <p>05 MECHANICAL: Interest in applying principles to practical situations, using machines, tools, or techniques.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drafter, Apprentice • Bricklayer, Apprentice • Plumber, Apprentice • Cable Splicer Helper • Sheet Metal Worker, Apprentice • Welder, Gas • Refrigeration Unit Repair • Case Fitter • Automobile Mechanic • Shipping & Receiving Clerk |
| <p>03 PLANTS AND ANIMALS: Interest in activities involving plants and animals, usually in an outdoor setting.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Veterinarians • Botanist | |

- Food Service Worker
 - Electrician Helper
- 06 **INDUSTRIAL:** Interest in repetitive concrete, organized activities in a factory setting.
- Sewing Machine Operator
 - Mixer Operator
 - Printer Circuit Assembler
 - Assembler, Small Parts
 - Packager, Hand
- 07 **BUSINESS DETAIL:** Interest in organized, clearly defined activities requiring accuracy and attention to detail, primarily in an office.
- Calculating Machine Operator
 - Clerk, General
 - Receptionist
- 08 **SELLING:** Interest in bringing others to a point of view through personal persuasion using sales and promotion techniques.
- Sales Associate, General

- 09 **ACCOMMODATING:** Interest in catering to the wishes of others, usually on a one-to-one basis.
- Barber
- 10 **HUMANITARIAN:** Interest in helping others with their mental, spiritual, social, physical, or vocational needs.
- Nurse Aid, Orderly
- 11 **LEADING-INFLUENCING:** Interest in leading and influencing other through activities involving high level verbal or numerical abilities.
- Librarian
 - Fundraiser
- 12 **PHYSICAL PERFORMING:** Interest in physical activities before an audience.
- Auto Racer
 - Sports Instructor

Participant's Signature: _____

Staff Signature: _____

Date: _____