

**STUDENT SURVEY  
FOR TRANSITION PLANNING**

Name : \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1. 10 to 20 years from now, what would you like to be doing career-wise?
2. What do you like about that career or field? (What excites you the most?)
3. Tell me what you know about this career.
4. Have you had any experience doing this kind of work? (Probe: on-the-job experience; class; activity with family or friends, etc.)
5. What do you do for fun? Identify your interests.
6. What do your friends and family like best about you?
7. What would your friends and family say are your skills and talents? What would they say you are really good at? What abilities do you think, "come naturally" to you? (at school, home, neighborhood)
8. Where are some of your favorite places to go?
9. Where are some places you've never been that you'd like to go to sometime in the future? Why?
10. How do you get to the places you want to go now?
11. What's the best part about school?
12. What's the worst part about school?

13. Identify some of the jobs your family members, neighbors or friends have.
14. Have you ever seen them doing their jobs?
15. What are some other jobs you've seen or heard about that you thought were kind of interesting?
16. What are your favorite subjects in school? Why?
17. Are there any subjects you don't like? Why not?
18. Have you ever gone on a vacation away from home? Where?
19. What did you see? What did you do? What did you like most?
20. What's your favorite TV show? Movie? Sport? Game?
21. What things are hard for you to do? What things do you need help with?
22. What could you do to help yourself with these challenges? What things could other people do to help you?
23. Who do you go to when you get stuck with a problem or a challenge that you're having a hard time with? Who helps you out?
24. How many businesses/companies have you seen?
25. Have you ever had a job before? Where? Tell us about it.
26. Did you get paid? How many hours a week did you work? What hours? How long did you work there?
27. What did you like about the job?

28. Was there anything you really didn't like about the job?
29. What did you learn from this work experience?
30. Have you ever gone on your own to get a job application?
31. Have you ever completed a job application?
32. Do you have a resume?
33. Have you ever gone on a job interview? What was that like? What's the scariest part about a job interview?
34. Are you planning to go to college, technical training, or the military after high school?
35. If so, what do you need to find out now about colleges, technical training, or the military?
36. Where can you find this information?
37. What steps do you have to take now to prepare you for college, technical training, or the military?

