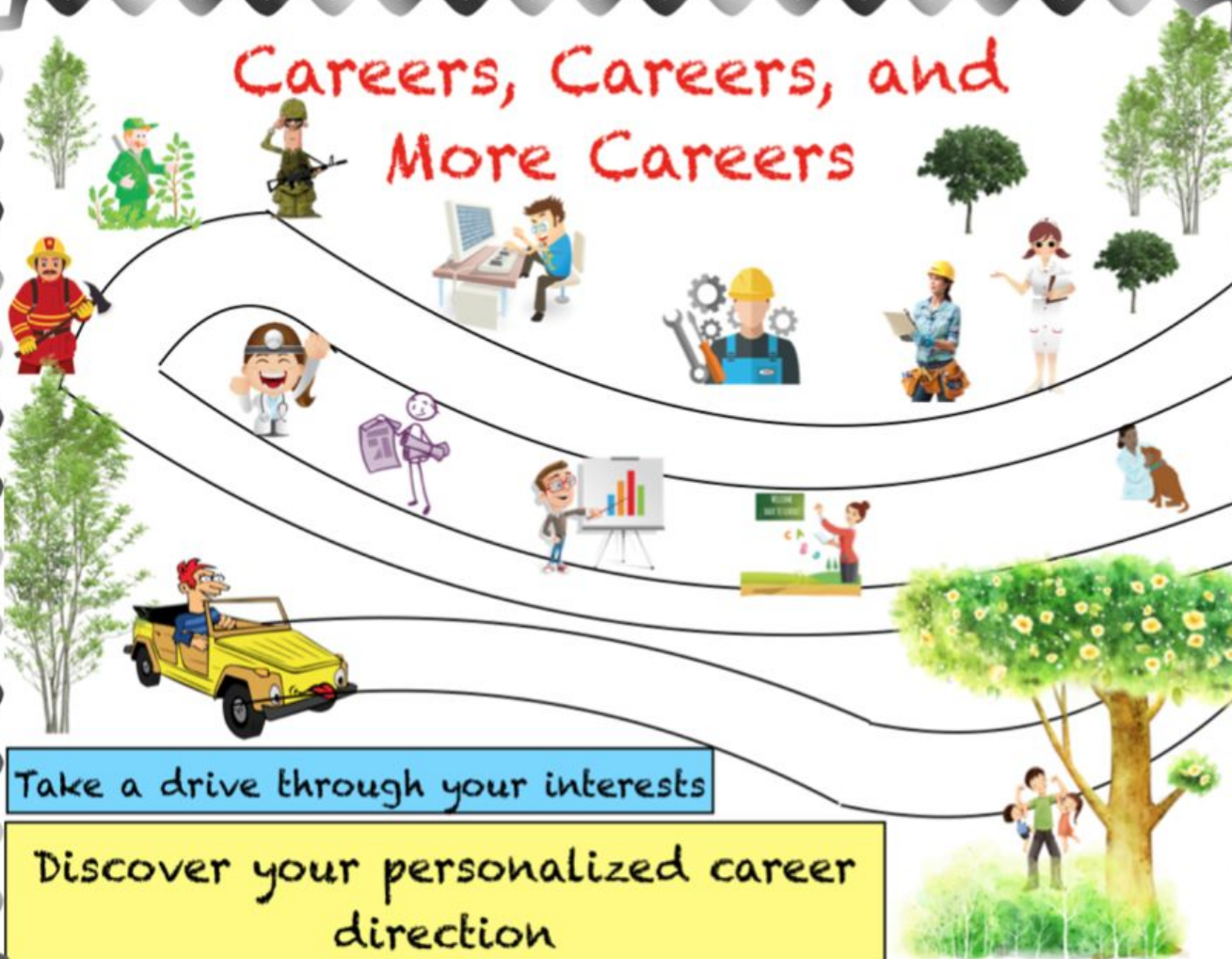


# Hard Skill STRENGTHS

## Careers, Careers, and More Careers



Take a drive through your interests

Discover your personalized career direction





# Welcome Teachers, Parents, and Students

I love creating tools to invite youth to experience:

\*self-advocacy to express their voice and choice for what they need, enjoy, and who they want to become.

\*self-awareness to guide their decision-making, cope, and socially adapt.

\*self-value to pursue their career goals and to know they matter greatly

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Wishing you Happiness and Joy,  
-Dr. Jackie



# What Is the Inspiration Behind Creating Careers., Careers, and More Careers?

All youth have strengths and interests that make them valuable to a particular job or a career.



Yet some youth with emotional or physical challenges have a steeper path to a job or a career that is a right fit.



Positive psychology and disability literature tells us we should prepare youth to:

- 1) develop a positive perspective of their capabilities,
- 2) know their needs and preferences, and
- 3) consider job/careers based upon their subjective life experiences.



The Answer Key offers

**286** jobs or careers

Student Findings Offered in a. college requirements, b. certifications, c. high school degree, d. part time, 3. volunteer and hobbies.

Students will feel empowered by matching their interests from their Answer Sheet to the Answer Key of jobs/careers

Careers, Careers, and More Careers is an inventory of 35 scenarios to encourage student to read and self-reflect upon likes and dislikes.



# Careers, Careers, and More Careers

An Engaging informal student self-assessment



Empowers and motivates youth to get curious and interested in exploring a career.



Believe  
IN  
yourself

Walks youth work through 35 scenarios. Part A.



Is for all persons 14 and over, and to include students who struggle socially and emotionally, such as, disabilities and autism spectrum.(i.e., when necessary, provide aide to students who have a greater need for supports)





# Sample front page of Answer Sheet and Answer Key

## Section A – Cognitive and Academic Interests (Answer Sheet)



Read each item. Next, consider if the item applies to you. Check 'applies to me' if the item applies to you. Don't worry if you only check a few items. You are not supposed to have an interest or ability in all of these items. The items you check may indicate a career to explore.

A1 You have an interest in showing someone how to do something. Some examples could be how to drive a car, how to fix something that is broken, or how to update your computer.

Applies to me

A2 You have a good sense of direction, for example, you can read maps, or use navigational tools.

Applies to me

A3 You can read and interpret diagrams about machinery.

Applies to me

A4 You can make simple repairs in the home. Some examples may include: unstop a sink, repair a leak in the refrigerator, or repair a toilet that is running water.

Applies to me

A5 You can easily install home stereo or computer equipment.

Applies to me

A6 You have an interest in studying the systems and organs of the body.

Applies to me

A7 You have an interest in taking science college level science courses for a degree or career.

Applies to me

## Section A Findings: Careers in Cognitive and Academic Interests (Answer Key)



**Congratulations!** This is a snapshot of where you are now. Look at your checked items from your *Answer Sheet*, Section A - Cognitive and Academic Interests. Find the same numbered items on this *Answer Key* and circle the items that match. The items you circle may indicate an interest or career to explore.

### A1

You show an interest in teaching or training others. Look in areas where you have certain interests or technical skills and consider ways to teach or train others. This is an enhancement to a career of your choice.

### A2

You show an interest in a job with logistics. Consider and explore these options.

#### College Degree

A navigation officer on a ship.

Airline Pilot

Air-Traffic Controller

Freight Traffic Consultant

#### High School

Shipping and Receiving Clerk

Package handler and helpers (UPS)

Drivers (UPS)

Couriers and Messengers (UPS and FedEx)



# SCI: Career Category Findings for Student

## A. Careers/jobs using Academic and Cognitive Strengths

College degree, certifications, high school diploma, self-employment, hobbies



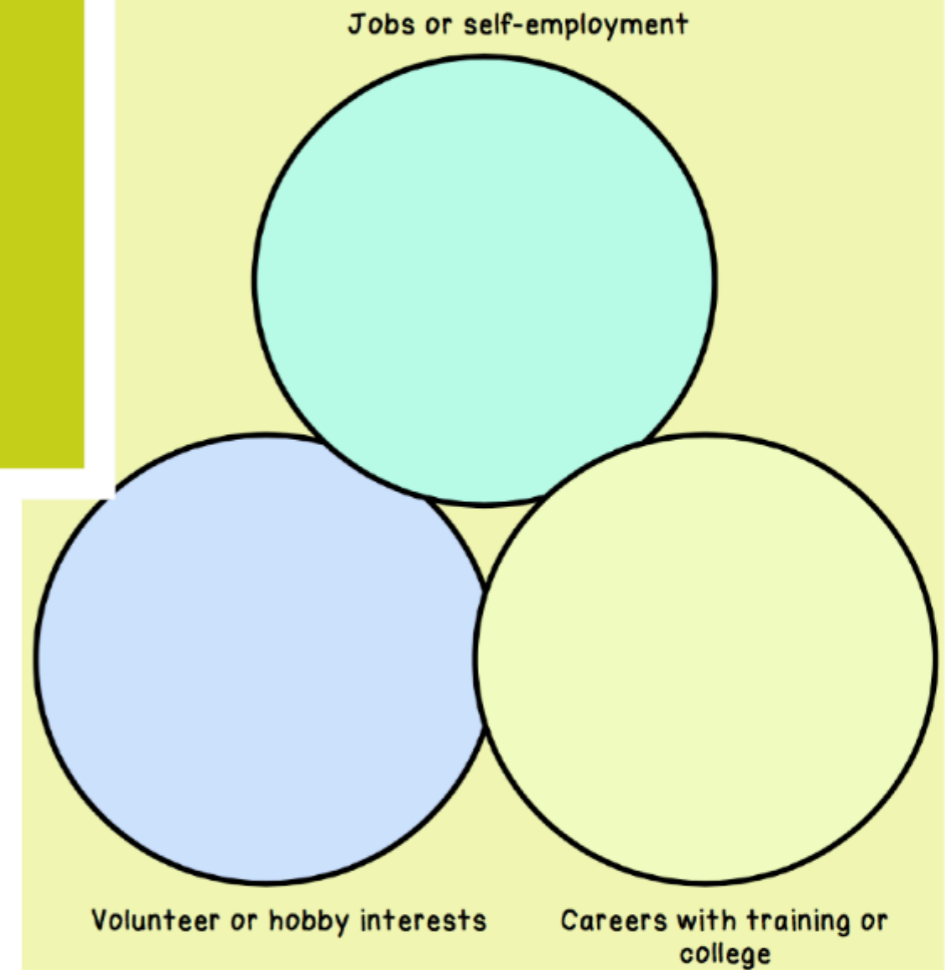


# ACTIVITIES

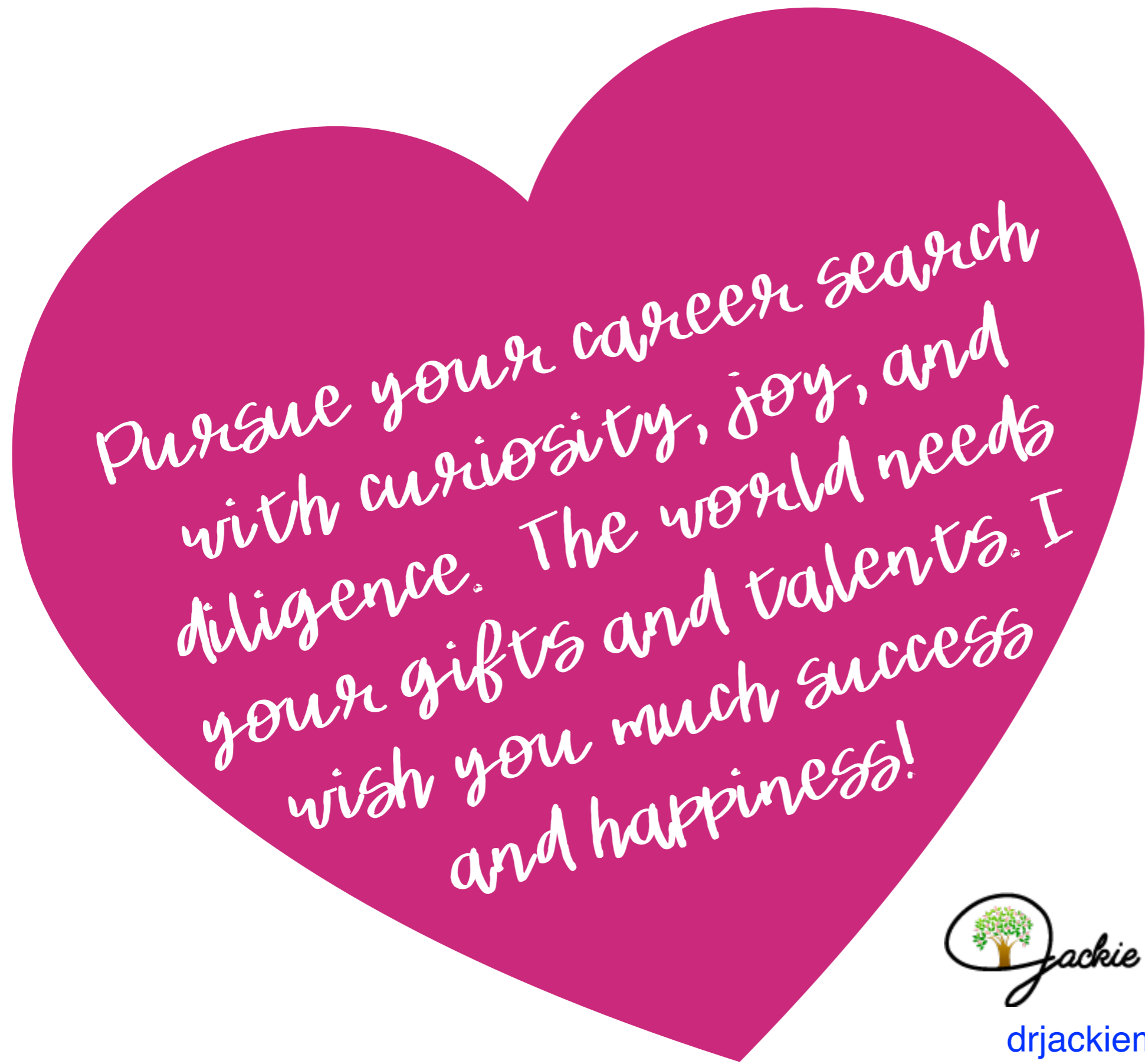
In the next slide write possible careers you want for yourself in the correct circle in the Venn Diagram.



Now you have completed your Answer Sheet and checked your matches with the Answer Key. Get ready to choose careers you want to explore.







Pursue your career search  
with curiosity, joy, and  
diligence. The world needs  
your gifts and talents. I  
wish you much success  
and happiness!



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