

Strong Interest Inventory® Profile with College Profile

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HOW THE STRONG CAN HELP YOU

The Strong Interest Inventory® instrument is a powerful tool that can help you make satisfying decisions about your career and education. Whether you are just starting out in your career, thinking about a change, or considering education options for career preparation, you can benefit from the wealth of information reflected in your Strong results. Understanding your Strong Profile can help you identify a career focus and begin your career planning and exploration process.

Keep in mind that the *Strong* measures interests, not skills or abilities, and that the results can help guide you toward rewarding careers, work activities, education programs, and leisure activities—all based on your interests. As you review your Profile, remember that managing your career is not a one-time decision but a series of decisions made over your lifetime.

HOW YOU WILL BENEFIT

The *Strong* can be a valuable tool in helping you identify your interests, enabling you to

- · Achieve satisfaction in your work
- · Identify career options consistent with your interests
- Choose appropriate education and training relevant to your interests
- Maintain balance between your work and leisure activities
- Understand aspects of your personality most closely associated with your interests
- · Determine your preferred learning environments
- Learn about your preferences for leadership, risk taking, and teamwork
- · Use interests in shaping your career direction
- · Decide on a focus for the future
- Direct your own career exploration at various stages in your life

HOW YOUR RESULTS ARE ORGANIZED

Section 1. General Occupational Themes

Describes your interests, work activities, potential skills, and personal values in six broad areas: Realistic (R), Investigative (I), Artistic (A), Social (S), Enterprising (E), and Conventional (C).

Section 2. Basic Interest Scales

Identifies specific interest areas within the six General Occupational Themes, indicating areas likely to be most motivating and rewarding for you.

Section 3. Occupational Scales

Compares your likes and dislikes with those of people who are satisfied working in various occupations, indicating your likely compatibility of interests.

Section 4. Personal Style Scales

Describes preferences related to work style, learning, leadership, risk taking, and teamwork, providing insight into work and education environments most likely to fit you best.

Section 5. Profile Summary

Provides a graphic snapshot of Profile results for immediate, easy reference.

Section 6. Response Summary

Summarizes your responses within each category of *Strong* items, providing data useful to your career professional.

Note to professional: Check the Response Summary in section 6 of the Profile before beginning your interpretation.

The General Occupational Themes (GOTs) measure six broad interest patterns that can be used to describe your work personality. Most people's interests are reflected by two or three Themes, combined to form a cluster of interests. Work activities, potential skills, and values can also be classified into these six Themes. This provides a direct link between your interests and the career and education possibilities likely to be most meaningful to you.

Your *standard scores* are based on the average scores of a combined group of working adults. However, because research shows that men and women tend to respond differently in these areas, your *interest levels* (Very Little, Little, Moderate, High, Very High) were determined by comparing your scores against the average scores for your gender.

THEME DESCRIPTIONS

THEME	CODE	INTERESTS	WORK ACTIVITIES	POTENTIAL SKILLS	VALUES
Social	S	People, teamwork, helping, community service	Teaching, caring for people, counseling, training employees	People skills, verbal ability, listening, showing understanding	Cooperation, generosity, service to others
Artistic	А	Self-expression, art appreciation, communication, culture	Composing music, performing, writing, creating visual art	Creativity, musical ability, artistic expression	Beauty, originality, independence, imagination
Realistic	R	Machines, computer networks, athletics, working outdoors	Operating equipment, using tools, building, repairing, providing security	Mechanical ingenuity and dexterity, physical coordination	Tradition, practicality, common sense
Enterprising	E	Business, politics, leadership, entrepreneurship	Selling, managing, persuading, marketing	Verbal ability, ability to motivate and direct others	Risk taking, status, competition, influence
Investigative	1	Science, medicine, mathematics, research	Performing lab work, solving abstract problems, conducting research	Mathematical ability, researching, writing, analyzing	Independence, curiosity, learning
Conventional	С	Organization, data management, accounting, investing, information systems	Setting up procedures and systems, organizing, keeping records, developing computer applications	Ability to work with numbers, data analysis, finances, attention to detail	Accuracy, stability, efficiency

YOUR HIGHEST THEMES
Social, Artistic, Realistic
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THEME	CODE	STANDARD SCORE & INTEREST LEVEL						
		30	40	50	60	70	STD SCORE	
Social	S					VERY HIGH	70	
Artistic	A					VERY HIGH	69	
Realistic	R					VERY HIGH	69	
Enterprising	E				HIGH		63	
Investigative					HIGH		62	
Conventional	C				HIGH		61	

The charts above display your GOT results in descending order, from your highest to least level of interest. Referring to the Theme descriptions provided, determine how well your results fit for you. Do your highest Themes ring true? Look at your next highest level of interest and ask yourself the same question. You may wish to highlight the Theme descriptions above that seem to fit you best.

BASIC INTEREST SCALES

SECTION 2

The Basic Interest Scales represent specific interest areas that often point to work activities, projects, course work, and leisure activities that are personally motivating and rewarding. As with the General Occupational Themes, your interest levels (Very Little, Little, Moderate, High, Very High) were determined by comparing your scores against the average scores for your gender.

As you review your results in the charts below, note your top interest areas and your areas of least interest, and think about how they relate to your work, educational, and leisure activities. Take time to consider any top interest areas that are not currently part of your work or lifestyle and think about how you might be able to incorporate them into your plans.

YOUR TOP FIVE INTEREST AREAS

- 1. Social Sciences (S)
- 2. Nature & Agriculture (R)
- 3. Counseling & Helping (S)
- 4. Visual Arts & Design (A)
- 5. Research (I)

Areas of Least Interest

Finance & Investing (C)

Management (E)

Mathematics (I)

SOCIAL — Very High

BASIC INTEREST SCALE	ST	D SCORE	& INTE 50	REST LEV	'EL 70	STD SCORE
Social Sciences					VH	72
Counseling & Helping					VH	70
Teaching & Education				VI		67
Human Resources & Training				VH		64
Religion & Spirituality				Н		64
Healthcare Services				Н		61

ARTISTIC — Very High

BASIC INTEREST SCALE	ST 30	D SCORE	& INTE 50	REST LE	VEL 70	STD SCORE
Visual Arts & Design					VH	69
Performing Arts				V	н	67
Culinary Arts				Н		61
Writing & Mass Communication				Н		60

REALISTIC — Very High

BASIC INTEREST SCALE	ST	STD				
	30	40	50	60	70	SCORE
Nature & Agriculture					VH	72
Mechanics & Construction				Н		66
Protective Services				Н		64
Computer Hardware & Electronics				Н		63
Athletics				M		59
Military			M			55

ENTERPRISING — High

BASIC INTEREST SCALE	S	TD SCORE	& INTE 50	REST LEV	'EL 70	STD SCORE
Marketing & Advertising				VH		66
Entrepreneurship				Н		60
Sales				М		58
Politics & Public Speaking			Ī	М		58
Law			М			56
Management			M			51

INVESTIGATIVE — High

BASIC INTEREST SCALE	3	STD 0	SCORE 40	& INTER	EST LEV	/EL 70	STD SCORE
Research					,	VH	69
Science					М		59
Medical Science				М			54
Mathematics				M			54

CONVENTIONAL — High

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BASIC INTEREST SCALE	ST 30	D SCORE	& INTER 50	EST LEV 60	'EL 70	STD SCORE
Office Management				VH		63
Programming & Information Systems			M			55
Taxes & Accounting			M			54
Finance & Investing			M			51

OCCUPATIONAL SCALES

SECTION 3

This section highlights your Profile results on the Occupational Scales of the *Strong*. On the following pages you will find your scores for 130 occupations. The 10 occupations most closely aligned with your interests are listed in the summary chart below. Keep in mind that the occupations listed in your Profile results are just *some* of the many occupations linked to your interests that you might want to consider. They do not indicate those you "should" pursue. It is helpful to think of each occupation as a single example of a much larger group of occupational titles to consider.

Your score on an Occupational Scale shows how similar your interests are to those of people of your gender who have been working in, and are satisfied with, that occupation. The higher your score, the more likes and dislikes you share with those individuals. The Theme codes associated with each occupation indicate the GOTs most commonly found among people employed in that occupation. You can review your top occupations to see what Theme codes recur and then explore additional occupational titles not included on the *Strong* that have one or more of these Theme letters in common.

YOUR TOP TEN STRONG OCCUPATIONS

- 1. Nursing Home Administrator (CES)
- 2. Administrative Assistant (CSR)
- 3. Special Education Teacher (SEA)
- 4. Arts/Entertainment Manager (A)
- 5. Customer Service Representative (CR)
- 6. Occupational Therapist (SA)
- 7. Art Teacher (AS)
- 8. Community Service Director (S)
- 9. Instructional Coordinator (S)
- 10. Secondary School Teacher (S)

Occupations of Dissimilar Interest

Mathematician (ICA)

Physicist (IRA)

Athletic Trainer (SIR)

Actuary (CI)

Mathematics Teacher (CIS)

As you read through your Occupational Scales results on this and the following pages, note the names of those occupations for which you scored "Similar." Those are the occupations you might want to explore first. Also consider exploring occupations on which you scored in the midrange, since you have some likes and dislikes in common with people in those occupations. You might also consider occupations of least interest or for which you scored "Dissimilar"; however, keep in mind that you are likely to have little in common with people in these types of work and probably would contribute to such occupations in a unique way. Your career professional can guide you further in the career exploration process.

Click the name of any of the occupations in your top ten list above to visit the O*NET™ database (http://www.onetonline.org) and see a summary description of that occupation. Learn about occupations by visiting reputable Web sites such as O*NET. You can also find career information in a public library, in the career library of a college or university near you, or in a professional career center or state or local government job agency. Supplement your research by talking to people who are working in the occupations you are considering. These people can describe their day-to-day work and tell you what they like and dislike about the occupation.

SOCIAL — Helping, Instructing, Caregiving

THEME CODE	OCCUPATIONAL SCALE	DISSIMILAR 10 15 20	MIDRANGE 30 40	SIMILAR 50 55 60	STD SCORE
SEA	Special Education Teacher				64
SA	Occupational Therapist				62
S	Community Service Director				60
S	Instructional Coordinator				59
S	Secondary School Teacher				59
SAI	Registered Nurse				57
SRA	Rehabilitation Counselor				57
SE	School Counselor				57
S	Elementary School Teacher				56
S	Middle School Teacher				55
SA	Speech Pathologist				55
S	Career Counselor				54
SAR	Recreation Therapist				53
SAE	Training & Development Specialist				53
S	Religious/Spiritual Leader				50
SA	University Administrator				50
SIR	Physical Therapist				49
SEC	Dietitian				48
SEC	School Administrator				48
SE	Parks & Recreation Manager				47
SER	Human Resources Manager				46
SA	Social Worker				44
S	Mental Health Counselor				41
SIR	Athletic Trainer				9

${\sf ARTISTIC-Creating\ or\ Enjoying\ Art,\ Drama,\ Music,\ Writing}$

THEME CODE	OCCUPATIONAL SCALE	DISSIMILAR 10 15 20	MIDRANGE 30 40	SIMILAR 50 55 60	STD SCORE
Α	Arts/Entertainment Manager				63
AS	Art Teacher				61
Α	Editor				55
ARE	Photographer				54
Al	Urban & Regional Planner				51
ASE	English Teacher				49
AE	Advertising Account Manager				47
Α	Graphic Designer				46
ASE	Public Administrator				46
AIR	Medical Illustrator				43
ARI	Architect				42
ASI	ESL Instructor				42
Al	Sociologist				42
Al	Technical Writer				41
ARE	Attorney				40
AE	Broadcast Journalist				40
AE	Interior Designer				39
Α	Librarian				38
AE	Public Relations Director				37
Α	Reporter				36
Α	Musician				35
Al	Translator				32
Α	Artist				25

Similar results (40 and above)

You share interests with men in that occupation and probably would enjoy the work.

Midrange results (30-39)

You share some interests with men in that occupation and probably would enjoy some of the work.

Dissimilar results (29 and below)

You share few interests with men in that occupation and probably would not enjoy the work.

For more information about any of these occupations, visit 0*NET™ online at http://www.onetonline.org

REALISTIC — Building, Repairing, Working Outdoors

THEME CODE	OCCUPATIONAL SCALE	11	SIMILAR 5 20	MIDRANGE 30 40	SIMILAR 50 55 60	STD SCORE
RI	Engineer					51
RC	Computer & IS Manager					50
REI	Horticulturist					50
REC	Management Analyst					50
RCI	Technical Support Specialist					50
RCI	Computer Systems Analyst					47
RIC	Computer/Mathematics Manager					45
RIC	Software Developer					45
RIC	Computer Programmer					44
RIC	Network Administrator					44
RCE	Production Worker				I	43
RI	Firefighter					39
REC	Military Officer					38
RE	Landscape/Grounds Manager					37
R	Law Enforcement Officer					37
RI	Forester					32
RSE	Vocational Agriculture Teacher					31
RI	Radiologic Technologist					30
REA	Carpenter					28
RCE	Military Enlisted					28
RIC	Engineering Technician					27
RI	Emergency Medical Technician			I		26
RIC	Electrician					22
R	Automobile Mechanic					17
RC	Farmer/Rancher					16

ENTERPRISING — Selling, Managing, Persuading

THEME	OCCUPATIONAL SCALE	DISSIMILAR 10 15 20	MIDRANGE 30 40	SIMILAR 50 55 60	STD
ECS	Facilities Manager	10 10 20	50 10		57
EAS	Flight Attendant				56
EAR	Bartender				51
ECR	Purchasing Agent				51
EA	Cosmetologist				49
ESR	Human Resources Specialist				49
E	Wholesale Sales Representative				49
ER	Technical Sales Representative				48
E	Marketing Manager				46
ER	Chef				44
ER	Operations Manager				43
E	Top Executive, Business/Finance				43
EAC	Florist				41
E	Realtor				41
ESA	Elected Public Official				39
EC	Buyer				38
E	Loan Officer/Counselor				37
ER	Optician				36
ECR	Restaurant Manager				34
E	Sales Manager				33
E	Securities Sales Agent				32
E	Life Insurance Agent				31
E	Personal Financial Advisor				26

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INVESTIGATIVE — Researching, Analyzing, Inquiring

THEME CODE	OCCUPATIONAL SCALE	DISSIMILAR 10 15 20	MIDRANGE 30 40	SIMILAR 50 55 60	STD SCORE
ISA	Chiropractor				49
ICE	Pharmacist				47
IAS	Psychologist				42
ı	University Faculty Member				42
IRS	Respiratory Therapist				39
IR	Dentist				37
IA	Geographer				34
IRC	Medical Technologist				32
IR	Veterinarian				31
IRE	Medical Technician				29
IR	Optometrist				28
IAR	Physician				27
IRS	Science Teacher				27
IRC	R&D Manager		1		26
ICR	Computer Scientist				22
IA	Biologist				20
IRA	Geologist				20
IR	Chemist				18
IRA	Physicist				8
ICA	Mathematician				7

CONVENTIONAL — Accounting, Organizing, Processing Data

THEME CODE	OCCUPATIONAL SCALE	DISSIMILAR 10 15 20	MIDRANGE 30 40	SIMILAR 50 55 60	STD SCORE
CES	Nursing Home Administrator				66
CSR	Administrative Assistant				65
CR	Customer Service Representative				63
CA	Paralegal				53
CES	Food Service Manager				50
CRE	Business/Finance Supervisor				48
CE	Credit Manager				48
CRE	Accountant				47
С	Health Information Specialist				47
С	Auditor				44
CRE	Financial Analyst				43
CES	Business Education Teacher				41
CRE	Financial Manager				32
CIS	Mathematics Teacher				16
CI	Actuary				15

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PERSONAL STYLE SCALES

SECTION 4

The Personal Style Scales describe different ways of approaching people, learning, and leading, as well as your interest in taking risks and participating in teams. Personal Style Scales help you think about your preferences for factors that can be important in your career, enabling you to narrow your choices more effectively and examine your opportunities. Each scale includes descriptions at both ends of the continuum, and the score indicates your preference for one style versus the other.

Your scores on the Personal Style Scales were determined by comparing your responses to those of a combined group of working men and women.

YOUR PERSONAL STYLE SCALES PREFERENCES

- 1. You likely prefer working with people.
- 2. You seem to prefer to learn through lectures and books.
- 3. You probably prefer to lead by taking charge.
- 4. You may like taking risks.
- 5. You probably enjoy participating in teams.

Clear Scores (Below 46 and above 54)

You indicated a clear preference for one style versus the other.

Midrange Scores (46-54)

You indicated that some of the descriptors on both sides apply to you.

PERSONAL STYLE SCALE		CLEAR 25 35	MIDRANGE 45 55	CLEAR 65 75		STD SCOR
Work Style	Prefers working alone; enjoys data, ideas, or things; reserved			•	Prefers working with people; enjoys helping others; outgoing	62
Learning Environment	Prefers practical learning environments; learns by doing; prefers short-term training to achieve a specific goal or skill		•		Prefers academic environments; learns through lectures and books; willing to spend many years in school; seeks knowledge for its own sake	56
Leadership Style	Is not comfortable taking charge of others; prefers to do the job rather than direct others; may lead by example rather than by giving directions		•		Is comfortable taking charge of and motivating others; prefers directing others to doing the job alone; enjoys initiating action; expresses opinions easily	60
Risk Taking	Dislikes risk taking; likes quiet activities; prefers to play it safe; makes careful decisions			•	Likes risk taking; appreciates original ideas; enjoys thrilling activities and taking chances; makes quick decisions	66
Team Orientation	Prefers accomplishing tasks independently; enjoys role as independent contributor; likes to solve problems on one's own			•	Prefers working on teams; enjoys collaborating on team goals; likes problem solving with others	64

PROFILE SUMMARY SECTION 5

YOUR HIGHEST THEMES

Social, Artistic, Realistic

YOUR THEME CODE

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YOUR TOP FIVE INTEREST AREAS

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- 4. Visual Arts & Design (A)
- 5. Research (I)

Areas of Least Interest

Finance & Investing (C)

Management (E)

Mathematics (I)

YOUR TOP TEN STRONG OCCUPATIONS

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- 7. Art Teacher (AS)
- 8. Community Service Director (S)
- 9. Instructional Coordinator (S)
- 10. Secondary School Teacher (S)

Occupations of **Dissimilar Interest**

Mathematician (ICA)

Physicist (IRA)

Athletic Trainer (SIR)

Actuary (CI)

Mathematics Teacher (CIS)

YOUR PERSONAL STYLE SCALES PREFERENCES

- 1. You likely prefer working with people.
- 3. You probably prefer to lead by taking charge.

2. You seem to prefer to learn through lectures and books.

4. You may like taking risks.

5. You probably enjoy participating in teams.

RESPONSE SUMMARY SECTION 6

This section provides a summary of your responses to the different sections of the inventory for use by your career professional.

ITEM RESPONSE PERCENTAGES **Section Title** Strongly Like Like Indifferent Dislike Strongly Dislike 31 16 26 **Occupations** 48 2 30 20 n Subject Areas Activities 39 35 15 9 1 Leisure Activities 32 39 21 7 0 81 13 0 People 6 0 44 0 44 0 Your Characteristics 11 18 **TOTAL PERCENTAGE** 39 13

Note: Due to rounding, total percentage may not add up to 100%.

Total possible responses: 291 Your response total: 291 Items omitted: 0 Typicality index: 23—Combination of item responses appears consistent.





USING YOUR THEMES

YOUR HIGHEST THEMES

YOUR THEME CODE

Social, Artistic, Realistic

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Your top three Themes are listed below in order of interest. Each Theme describes an important aspect of your interests and personality. Use all three Themes to identify college courses and academic majors that allow you to express what is important to you. The majors listed within each Theme are examples of some of the many related academic areas worth exploring.

CONSIDERING THEMES OF GREATEST INTEREST TO YOU

Social (S)

EMPATHIC HELPERS

Social students prefer to take a helping or altruistic approach involving teaching, developing, or caring for others.

TYPICAL COLLEGE MAJORS			
Child Development	Ethnic Studies	Nursing	Secondary Education
Counseling	Family Studies	Occupational Therapy	Social Work
Criminology	Health Education	Physical Education	Special Education
Dietetics/Nutrition	Hearing and Speech	Public Health	Substance Abuse Counseling
Elementary Education	Home Economics	Recreation	Urban Studies
ESL Teaching	Human Services	Religious Studies	Women's Studies

Artistic (A)

CREATIVE COMMUNICATORS

Artistic students prefer to take a self-expressive or creative approach involving art/design, music, or writing.

TYPICAL COLLEGE MAJORS						
Advertising	Classics	Fashion Merchandising	Mass Communication			
Architecture	Comparative Literature	Fine Arts	Medical Illustration			
Art Education	Creative Writing	Foreign Languages	Music Education			
Art History	Dance	Humanities	Philosophy			
Broadcasting	Design	Journalism	Photography			
Cinematography	English	Linguistics	Theater Arts			

Realistic (R) PRACTICAL DOERS

Realistic students prefer to take an active hands-on approach involving construction, mechanical, or outdoor activities.

TYPICAL COLLEGE MAJORS						
Agriculture	Electronics	Horticulture	Military Science			
Animal Science	Facilities Management	Industrial Arts Education	Natural Resources			
Automotive Services	Fire Science	Landscape Architecture	Physical Fitness and Training			
Civil Engineering	Fish and Wildlife Management	Law Enforcement	Plumbing			
Computer Technology	Forestry	Mechanical Engineering	Transportation			
Drafting	Heating, Air Conditioning, and	Medical Technology	Welding			
Earth Science	Refrigeration		-			

USING YOUR BASIC INTEREST SCALES

These scales indicate interests that are important to your overall lifestyle, both in school and out of school.

Use your strongest basic interests to explore college courses, extracurricular activities, internships, and part-time jobs. You show the greatest interest in the five areas outlined below (arranged in descending order of interest).

SOCIAL SCIENCES — Very High

Studying people, groups, society, and culture

CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS/ACTIVITIES	INTERNSHIPS/JOB SETTINGS	COLLEGE COURSES
Archeology Project	Consumer Research Firm	Anthropology
Community Service Group	Social Science Research Assistant	Ethnic Studies
Social Action Group	Study Abroad	Sociology

NATURE & AGRICULTURE — Very High

Appreciating nature and outdoors; working on a farm or ranch

CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS/ACTIVITIES	INTERNSHIPS/JOB SETTINGS	COLLEGE COURSES
Agricultural Club	Biological Field Research	Botany & Horticulture
Environmental Organization	Landscaping Service	Ecology
Outdoor Recreation Club	National Park Service	Life Sciences

COUNSELING & HELPING — Very High

Working with and helping people in humanistic and altruistic ways

CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS/ACTIVITIES	INTERNSHIPS/JOB SETTINGS	COLLEGE COURSES
Community Service Volunteer Work	Mental Health Clinic	Psychology
Peer Counseling	Nonprofit Organization	Social Work
Student Service Groups	Social Service Agency	Sociology

VISUAL ARTS & DESIGN — Very High

Working with visual creativity and spatial visualization

CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS/ACTIVITIES	INTERNSHIPS/JOB SETTINGS	COLLEGE COURSES
Interior Design Club	Advertising Department	Architecture
Photography	Architecture Firm	Art & Design
Student Architecture Club	Design Studio	Computer Graphics

RESEARCH — Very High

Designing and conducting studies to identify relationships or establish facts

CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS/ACTIVITIES	INTERNSHIPS/JOB SETTINGS	COLLEGE COURSES
Psychology Club	Government Research Project	Computer & Information Systems
Science Organization	Research Assistant	Research Methods
Student Survey Group	Scientific Research Company	Statistics

USING YOUR OCCUPATIONAL SCALES

These scales identify jobs held by people with whom you share common interests, arranged in order of similarity of interests. Some occupations require specific training; however, many do not require a particular college major. Explore classes relevant to these occupations and consider related careers as well.

YOUR TOP STRONG OCCUPATIONS

OCCUPATIONAL SCALE	THEME CODE	EDUCATIONAL PREPARATION	COLLEGE COURSES	RELATED CAREERS
Nursing Home Administrator	CES	MA in health services administration preferred	Health Administration Business Administration Healthcare Professions	Health Services Manager Community Services Manager Insurance Underwriter
Administrative Assistant	CSR	High school diploma, vocational/technical certificate, or AA	Software Applications Writing Communication	Legal Secretary Medical Assistant Court Reporter
Special Education Teacher	SEA	BA or MA, plus teaching certificate	Education Child Development Psychology	Child Counselor Recreation Therapist Occupational Therapist
Arts/Entertainment Manager	Α	AA or BA in liberal arts, fine arts, or business	Communication Design Management	Art Director Producer Talent Manager
Customer Service Representative	CR	High school diploma or equivalent	Business Communication Marketing Interpersonal Relations	Retail Salesperson Reservations Agent Medical Assistant
Occupational Therapist	SA	BA or MA in occupational therapy	Physical Sciences Biological Sciences Behavioral Sciences	Industrial Therapist Recreation Therapist Rehabilitation Counselor
Art Teacher	AS	BA or MA in art, plus teaching certificate	Painting Sculpture Education	Design Instructor Art Therapist Crafts Instructor
Community Service Director	S	BA or MA in liberal arts or business	Communication Business Management Political Science	Camp Director Residence Hall Director Convention Manager
Instructional Coordinator	S	MA in education, plus licensure	Education Instructional Technology Research Methods	Teacher Human Resources Trainer Educational Administrator
Secondary School Teacher	S	BA or MA, plus teaching certificate or licensure	Education Communication Classes in subject area to be taught	Guidance Counselor Educational Administrator College Instructor

USING YOUR PERSONAL STYLE SCALES

Next, use your Personal Style Scales to identify the specific ways you prefer to approach whatever academic courses, majors, or jobs you undertake.

PERSONAL STYLE SCALE	PREFERENCES/ACTIVITIES
Work Style	 Your score suggests a preference for working closely or frequently with people rather than working alone. You may prefer academic activities that focus on interpersonal interactions, such as study groups, group assignments, and helping others, rather than studying and researching on your own.
Learning Environment	 Your score suggests you enjoy the traditional student role and learning for the sake of learning. You may prefer classroom lectures, theoretical readings, and library research to practical hands-on training or work-study programs.
Leadership Style	 Your score suggests a preference for taking charge through meeting, persuading, and directing others. You may enjoy leading a student organization, coordinating campus events, or facilitating classroom discussions.
Risk Taking	 Your score suggests a preference for exploring new adventures, trying new things, and being spontaneous. You may enjoy outdoor adventure activities, sports, or independent travel as well as academic courses that encourage risk taking and self-reliance.
Team Orientation	 Your score suggests a preference for team-based activities and for collaborating with others to solve problems. You may enjoy group projects, interactive seminars, and getting involved in campus groups and committees.

See Applying Your Strong Results to College Majors at https://www.skillsone.com/Pdfs/Strong_College_Majors.pdf for guidance about researching and deciding on an academic major.