

The Great Discovery

Think of a person who made a positive difference in your life. What qualities does that person have that you would like to develop?

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Start here!





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Imagine yourself in 20 years. You are surrounded by the most important people in your life. Who are they and what are you doing?

If a steel beam (six inches wide) were placed across two skyscrapers, for what would you be willing to cross? A thousand dollars? A million? Your pet? Your brother? Fame? Think carefully.

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Describe a time when you were deeply inspired.



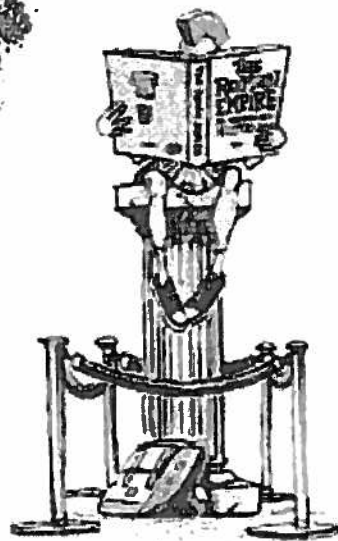
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List 10 things you love to do. It could be singing, dancing, looking at magazines, drawing, reading, daydreaming—anything you absolutely love to do.



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If you could spend one day in a great library studying anything you wanted, what would you study?





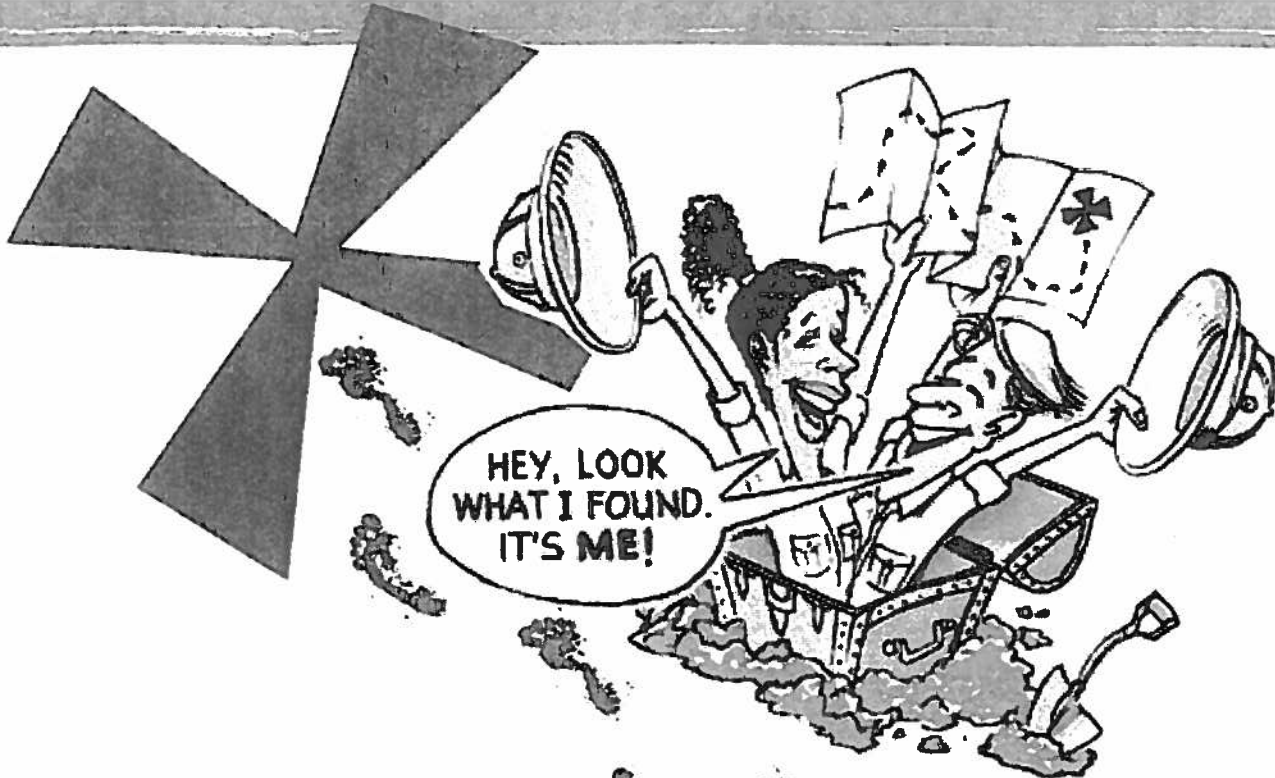
7 Five years from now, your local paper does a story about you and they want to interview three people—a parent, a brother or sister, and a friend. What would you want them to say about you?

8 Think of something that represents you—a rose, a song, an animal. Why does it represent you?





9 If you could spend an hour with any person who ever lived, who would it be? Why that person? What would you ask?



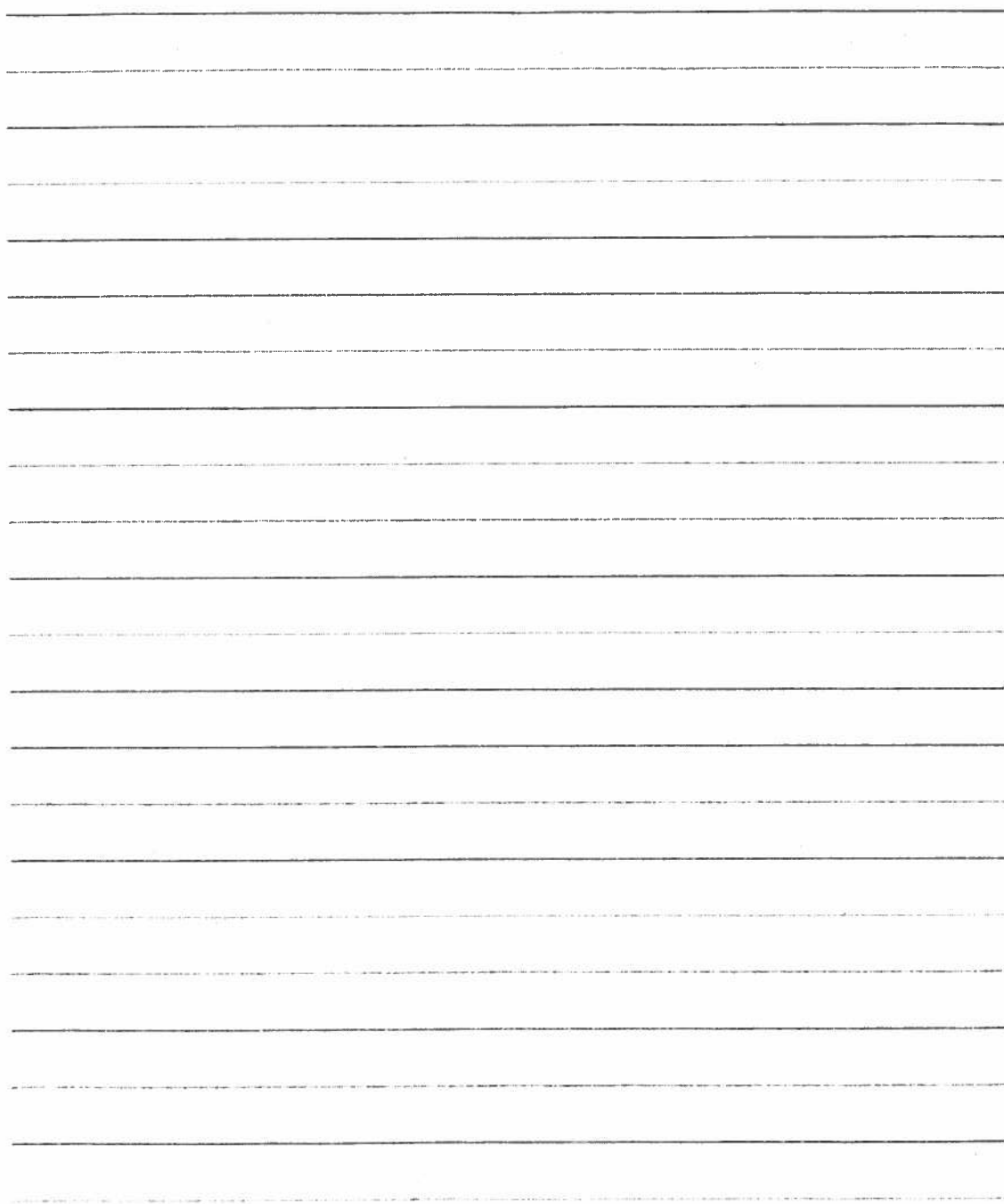
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| Numbers | Working with people | |
| Words | Memorizing things | Dancing |
| Creative thinking | Decision making | Listening |
| Athletics | Building things | Singing |
| Making things happen | Predicting what will happen | Humorous |
| Sensing needs | Accepting others | Sharing |
| Mechanical | Speaking | Music |
| Artistic | Writing | Trivia |

10 Everyone has one or more talents. What are your talents? Use the ones listed above or write your own.

How Can I Apply This Concept to My Life?

Using the space provided, create a first draft of your personal mission statement by referring to The Great Discovery activity you completed.

Personal Mission Statement Draft

A large rectangular box with a thick black border and rounded corners. Inside the box, there are 20 horizontal lines, alternating between solid and dashed lines, providing a template for writing a personal mission statement draft. The lines are evenly spaced and fill most of the box's interior.