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PART 1

Name _____
Last First Middle

Date of birth _____
Month Day Year

School _____

Teacher _____

Grade _____ Sex _____

DIRECTIONS

These questions about yourself, your family, and your plans for the future are not a test. There are no right or wrong answers. Please answer each question as it applies to you by checking the appropriate box or filling in the appropriate blank. Your answers will not make any difference in your grades in school. All answers are strictly in confidence.

1. How old were you when you started in the first grade?

_____ years old

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2. How many times have you changed schools since starting in the first grade? (Do not count promotions from one school to another.)

_____ times

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3. What is the greatest amount of education you expect to have during your lifetime?

- 1 I don't care whether I stay in school
- 2 High school only
- 3 Vocational school, business school, or junior college
- 4 A college degree
- 5 Professional or graduate school
- 0 I don't know
- 9

4. How much education do your parents or guardians want you to have?

- 1 They don't care whether I stay in school
- 2 High school only
- 3 Vocational school, business school, or junior college
- 4 A college degree
- 5 Professional or graduate degree
- 0 I don't know
- 9

5. How much education are most of your friends planning to obtain?

- 1 They are planning to quit high school
- 2 They are planning to complete only high school
- 3 They are planning to obtain vocational school, business school, or junior college training
- 4 A college degree
- 5 Professional or graduate training
- 0 I don't know
- 9

6. What is your father's occupation (or other male head of your household)?

Which ONE of the following comes CLOSEST to describing the work of your father? Mark only one answer. If he works at more than one job, mark the one on which he spends most of his time. If he is now out of work, or if he is retired, mark the one that he did last.

- 01 Farm or ranch owner and/or manager
- 02 Farm or ranch foreman
- 03 Farm or ranch worker
- 04 Workman or laborer — such as factory or mine worker, fisherman, filling station attendant, longshoreman, etc.
- 05 Private household worker — such as servant, butler, etc.
- 06 Protective worker — such as policeman, detective, sheriff, fireman, etc.
- 07 Service worker — such as barber, beautician, waiter, etc.
- 08 Semi-skilled worker — such as factory machine operator, bus or cab driver, meat cutter, etc.
- 09 Skilled worker or foreman — such as baker, carpenter, electrician, enlisted man in the armed forces, mechanic, plumber, plasterer, tailor, foreman in a factory or mine (but not on a farm), etc.
- 10 Clerical worker — such as bank teller, bookkeeper, sales clerk, office clerk, mail carrier, messenger, etc.
- 11 Salesman — such as real estate or insurance salesman, factory representative, etc.
- 12 Manager — such as sales manager, store manager, office manager, business manager, factory supervisor, etc.
- 13 Official — such as manufacturer, officer in a large company, banker, government official or inspector, etc.
- 14 Proprietor or owner — such as owner of a small business, wholesaler, retailer, contractor, restaurant owner, etc.
- 15 Professional — such as actor, accountant, artist, clergyman, dentist, engineer, lawyer, librarian, scientist, etc.
- 16 Technical — such as draftsman, surveyor, medical or dental technician, etc.
- 00 I don't know
- 99

7. How much schooling does your father have?

Mark the ONE answer indicating the HIGHEST level of education your father reached. Mark the one best answer even if you are not sure.

- 01 None, or some grade school
- 02 Completed grade school only
- 03 Some high school, but did not graduate
- 04 Graduated from high school
- 05 Vocational or business school after high school
- 06 Some junior or regular college, but did not graduate
- 07 Graduated from a regular 4-year college
- 08 Master's degree
- 09 Some work toward doctorate or professional degree
- 10 Completed doctorate or professional degree
- 00 I don't know
- 99

8. Is your mother working?

- 1 Yes
- 0 No
- 9

9. How much schooling does your mother have?

Mark the ONE answer indicating the HIGHEST level of education your mother reached. Mark the one best answer even if you are not sure.

- 01 None, or some grade school
- 02 Completed grade school only
- 03 Some high school, but did not graduate
- 04 Graduated from high school
- 05 Vocational or business school after high school
- 06 Some junior or regular college, but did not graduate
- 07 Graduated from a regular 4-year college
- 08 Master's degree
- 09 Some work toward doctorate or professional degree
- 10 Completed doctorate or professional degree
- 00 I don't know
- 99

10. How many years have you lived on a farm?

- 00 Never
- For _____ years
- 99

11. How many years ago did you live on a farm?

- 00 I have never lived on a farm
- _____ years ago
- 99

12. How many cars or trucks does your family own?

- _____ cars and/or trucks
- 9

13. List below what shop courses you have had prior to this semester.

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- 99

14. Have you ever adjusted or helped to adjust the carburetor of an automobile?

- 1 Yes
- 0 No
- 9

15. Have you ever repaired a bicycle?

- 1 Yes
- 0 No
- 9

16. Have you ever made repairs to a motorcycle, or helped someone else make them?

- 1 Yes
- 0 No
- 9

17. Have you ever used a power lawn mower?

- 1 Yes
- 0 No
- 9

18. Have you ever operated a tractor?

- 1 Yes
- 0 No
- 9

19. Have you ever attended an automobile race (including a drag race)?

- 1 Yes
- 0 No
- 9

20. How active have you been in the Boy Scouts or Girl Scouts?

- 3 Very active
- 2 Fairly active
- 1 A member, but not very active
- 0 Not a member
- 9

21. How active have you been in a boys' club or similar organization?

- 3 Very active
- 2 Fairly active
- 1 A member, but not very active
- 0 Not a member
- 9

22. How often have you built model airplanes, ships, trains, cars, etc.?

- 4 Very often
- 3 Often
- 2 Occasionally
- 1 Rarely
- 0 Never
- 9

23. How often have you worked with photographic equipment (not just taking snapshots)?

- 4 Very often
- 3 Often
- 2 Occasionally
- 1 Rarely
- 0 Never
- 9

24. How often have you made jewelry, pottery, leatherwork, etc.?

- 4 Very often
- 3 Often
- 2 Occasionally
- 1 Rarely
- 0 Never
- 9

25. How often have you made or repaired electrical or electronic equipment?

- 4 Very often
- 3 Often
- 2 Occasionally
- 1 Rarely
- 0 Never
- 9

26. How often have you done cabinetmaking or woodworking?

- 4 Very often
- 3 Often
- 2 Occasionally
- 1 Rarely
- 0 Never
- 9

27. How often have you done metal working?

- 4 Very often
- 3 Often
- 2 Occasionally
- 1 Rarely
- 0 Never

28. How often have you done mechanical or automobile repairs?

- 4 Very often
- 3 Often
- 2 Occasionally
- 1 Rarely
- 0 Never

29. How often have you worked with power tools?

- 4 Very often
- 3 Often
- 2 Occasionally
- 1 Rarely
- 0 Never

30. How often have you gone hunting or fishing?

- 4 Very often
- 3 Often
- 2 Occasionally
- 1 Rarely
- 0 Never

31. How often have you done drawing, painting, sculpturing, or decorating?

- 4 Very often
- 3 Often
- 2 Occasionally
- 1 Rarely
- 0 Never

32. Have you ever done something to earn money of your own?

- 1 Yes
- 0 No

33. What did you do to earn money?

34. What kinds of magazines do you like to read?

35. What kinds of books do you like to read?

36. Which of the occupations listed below do you EXPECT to make your career? Please mark only one.

- 01 Scientist, teacher, engineer, dentist, lawyer, mathematician, pharmacist, clergyman, political scientist, physician, economist, sociologist, psychologist, or social worker
- 02 Accountant
- 03 Officer in the armed forces
- 04 Artist or entertainer
- 05 Businessman
- 06 Engineering aide or scientific aide
- 07 Forester
- 08 Medical or dental technician
- 09 Nurse
- 10 Pilot, airplane
- 11 Policeman or fireman
- 12 Secretary, office worker, or typist
- 13 Writer
- 14 Barber or beautician
- 15 Enlisted man in the armed forces
- 16 Farmer
- 17 Housewife
- 18 Salesman or saleswoman
- 19 Skilled worker, such as electrician, machinist, plumber, printer, etc.
- 20 Structural worker, such as bricklayer, carpenter, painter, paperhanger, etc.
- 21 Some profession not listed above
- 22 Some trade not listed above
- 99

37. Which of the occupations listed below would you LIKE to make your career? Please mark only one.

- 01 Scientist, teacher, engineer, dentist, lawyer, mathematician, pharmacist, clergyman, political scientist, physician, economist, sociologist, psychologist, or social worker
- 02 Accountant
- 03 Officer in the armed forces
- 04 Artist or entertainer
- 05 Businessman
- 06 Engineering aide or scientific aide
- 07 Forester
- 08 Medical or dental technician
- 09 Nurse
- 10 Airplane pilot
- 11 Policeman or fireman
- 12 Secretary, office worker, or typist
- 13 Writer
- 14 Barber or beautician
- 15 Enlisted man in the armed forces
- 16 Farmer
- 17 Housewife
- 18 Salesman or saleswoman
- 19 Skilled worker, such as electrician, machinist, plumber, printer, etc.
- 20 Structural worker, such as bricklayer, painter, paperhanger, etc.
- 21 Some profession not listed above
- 22 Some trade not listed above
- 99

38. With whom are you now living—that is, who are the heads of the house?

- 01 Mother and father
- 02 Mother only
- 03 Father only
- 04 Sometimes with my mother, sometimes with my father
- 05 Mother and stepfather
- 06 Father and stepmother
- 07 Grandparents, aunt, uncle, or cousins
- 08 Brother or sister
- 09 Foster parents (not relatives)
- 10 Someone not listed above
- 99

39. How many children are living in your family including yourself?

_____ children including myself

99

40. How old do you think you will be when you get married?

_____ years old

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41. How many children do you expect to have?

_____ children

99

42. How much money per year would you EXPECT to earn in 20 years from now? (Assume that your plans go as you want them to.)

\$_____ per year

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43. What is the LEAST amount of money per year that you would be satisfied with 20 years from now?

\$_____ per year

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44. What do you EXPECT to do about military service?

- 01 Never serve because I am a girl
- 02 Quit high school and enlist
- 03 Enlist right after high school
- 04 Work for a commission through a college ROTC program, attend military school, or go to one of the service academies
- 05 Enlist after I have completed some college training
- 06 Enlist after I have graduated from college
- 07 Enlist after I have worked for several years
- 08 Enlist in the reserves or National Guard
- 09 Wait until I am drafted
- 10 Never serve because I do not think I can pass the physical examination
- 11 Never serve for some other reason
- 12 I have no idea what I will do about military service
- 99

45. In which branch of the service do you expect to serve?

- 01 I do not expect to serve, for physical reasons
- 02 I do not expect to serve, for reasons other than physical
- 03 Army
- 04 Air Force
- 05 Navy
- 06 Marine Corps
- 07 Coast Guard
- 08 Enlist in the reserves or National Guard
- 09 Enlist in the Air Force Reserves or Air National Guard
- 10 Enlist in the Navy Reserves
- 11 Enlist in the Marine Corps Reserves
- 12 Enlist in the Coast Guard Reserves
- 99

46. What job would you LIKE most to have 20 years from now? Why?

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PART 2

How well would you like to take the following vocational training programs? PLEASE ANSWER EACH ONE.

1. Air Conditioning and Refrigeration

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

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2. Appliance Repair

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

3. Auto Mechanic

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

4. Auto Body and Fender Repair

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

5. Airplane Mechanic

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

6. Baking

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

7. Bricklaying

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

8. Building Custodial

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

9. Carpentry

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

10. Commercial Art

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

11. Cooking

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

12. Diesel Mechanic

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

13. Drafting

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

14. Dry Cleaning

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

15. Electrical Trades

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

16. Electronics Technician

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

17. Furniture, Upholstery, and Repair

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

18. Hospital Aide

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

19. Heavy Equipment Operator

- 3 Very well
- 2 Fairly well
- 1 Not very well
- 0 Not at all

9

- 20. Heavy Equipment Repair**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 21. Landscaping**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 22. Laundry**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 23. Machine Shop**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 24. Meat Cutting**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 25. Office Occupations**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 26. Painting**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 27. Photography**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 28. Plant Maintenance**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 29. Plumbing**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 30. Printing**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 31. Radio and TV Service**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 32. Retailing**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 33. Sanitation and Utilities**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 34. Service Station Attendant**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 35. Sheet Metal Working**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 36. Small Gas Engine Repair**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 37. Tailoring**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
 9

- 38. Welding**
- 3 Very well
 2 Fairly well
 1 Not very well
 0 Not at all
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So that we may keep in touch with you, please give us your name and address below:

Name _____

Street _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

Father's Name _____