



The long-term vision

Jot down your thoughts on some or all of the following, depending on how relevant each is to you.

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Ten years from now, I see myself ...		
Aspect	Write your own vision of this aspect below	How important is this aspect to me?
Living in which part of the world?	i see myself back home Bulgaria	There is where i come from
Living in what kind of place (city, town, village, by the sea, etc.)?	i will be in my town where i born and where i raise my kids	There i feel the most happy
Solitary? Or surrounded by people?	definetly surrounded by people and my family	been lonly dosent bring happines
Considering the most important things in my life to be ...	been able to give all to my family and of corse be able to build my bussnes	thought's for my future
Working with colleagues who are ... Artistic? Intellectual? Kind? Caring? Down to earth? Thoughtful? Other?	always be a kind is more important	understanding is important
Working to stress levels that are ... Pressurised? Reasonable? Low?	working levels is reasonable and hard	faceing dificultcy help progressing
Enjoying ... Privacy? Public attention? Celebrity?	i always enjoy doesn't matter where	life is sort..
Working how many hours a week?	enough to be earning money and same time be home	must be responsible
Taking a lead? Being a good deputy? Happy to be part of a team? One of a large crowd?	really depends of what kind of job we do but see myself in good team	good team good job
Wanting to 'get by' unnoticed? With recognition for my work? In top management? World famous?	definitely will be happy more people to recognised my job and be in good position even if isn't on top	have to follow of our dreams
Based mostly in an office? On the road? In the field?	well everywhere	yeah..
Working for myself? A large company? A small company? A charity?	would be goo working for myself but not bad at all to be a big company too	some how same
Doing work which is very varied? Very routine? Predictable?	do a different kind of jobs	very varied

Aspect	Write your own vision of this aspect below	How important is this aspect to me?
Likely to stay in the same job for years? Changing job often?	prefer to not change the jobs	difficult all time to start new
Living with a large/small/minimal family. With strong/weak/some family connections?	i live in large family and we are all very strong	
Considering work to be central/important/not important to my life?	important because there is my income	very iportant
My contribution to my community or society will be through ...	never know	
My time outside work will be spent doing ...	enjoy my time with my family and my friends	
My friends will be the kinds of people who ...	who appreciate the me	
I will be the kind of person who ...	kind and reasonable	
My main achievements in life are likely to be ...	my goals at work and my good time with my family	those never can be forgotten
Other important aspects of my vision of the future are ...	will give all my best	
The main influences, inspirations and values on this vision of my future derive from ...		
Now do stage 2 of The Dream activity, page 37.		

Reflection



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- ★ What does this tell you about the kind of lifestyle and careers that would suit you?
- ★ How can you make use of the 'vision' or 'dream' that emerged through these activities to motivate you further?
- ★ In what ways do your current study and extracurricular activities help take you forward towards achieving this 'Vision' for your future life?