**Work Preferences Quiz**

1. You like to work at the same thing for a long time.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like to build things and/or repair them.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like to dig deeply into topics to solve problems.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like to finish one job before you start the next.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You enjoy directing people in their activities.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like to have a job where you work at a steady pace all day.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You enjoy activities which give you the opportunity to test and measure in some way.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like to be responsible for organizing an activity and planning something for

 everyone to do.

* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like to help your friends to solve their problems.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you very well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like to be responsible for a project or activity and have to look after many

 different details to complete it.

* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You enjoy books and programs on scientific subjects such as astronomy and biology.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You enjoy working with tools and machinery.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You enjoy working according to prescribed methods.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like to solve your own problems and do projects using your own ideas.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. When you do a project or other job, you do it carefully, one step at a time.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like a job where you can direct, control and plan the activities of other

 workers.

* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like to take charge of things and get them done.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You enjoy experimenting with different methods to accomplish something or to solve a

 problem.

* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like to have a job operating machinery all day.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like to have a job where you are able to keep equipment or machinery in

 working order.

* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like a job that is involved in community service.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like to have a job where you always know what is expected of you.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like a job where you had to deal with people all day.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like a job where you do mathematical calculations as part of some technical

 work.

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* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like a job that is involved with social betterment.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like working with your hands, doing things such as plumbing repairs, sewing, fixing

 cars or wallpapering.

* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely

1. You enjoy finding out from books and TV programs how things are made or how things

 work.

* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like a job where your work is closely checked and inspected.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like to assist people when they are sick or in trouble.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You find it easy to work with people and to cooperate with them.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You enjoy working with materials such as wood, stone, clay, fabric or metal.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You enjoy having a lot of things to think about.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You have been the leader of a club, committee, team or organization.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You are able to help people who are worried or upset.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like to have established rules to work by.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You enjoy working with tools, equipment, or technical instruments.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like a job in which you work with machines or things rather than dealing with people.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You prefer being in control of a group rather than just a member.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You do volunteer work with organizations that help people.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like to work on research projects
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like a job where you can take responsibility for decisions.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You are usually successful in getting people to do what you want.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like to go through evidence to solve problems.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You enjoy looking after people.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You are able to take orders.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like a job interviewing people to get their opinions about things or events.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like a job where you are responsible for organizing your own activities the way

 you see fit.

* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You would like to work on projects that allow you to discover new facts or ideas.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe you very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You like to do the same task until it is finished.
* Doesn’t describe you at all
* Doesn’t describe very well
* Unsure
* Describes you fairly well
* Describes you completely
1. You enjoy hobbies you can do on your own, such as building models, gardening,

 refinishing old furniture or developing photographs.

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