

Name _____ Date _____

BUSINESS COMMUNITY DESCRIPTIONS

A SMALL-TOWN OR SUBURBAN MAIN STREET

The main street has many businesses, from a bank on one end to an old hotel with a restaurant on the ground floor on the other. In between are some of the other town businesses: a grocery store, a drugstore, a barbershop, a toy store, and a hardware store, to name a few. The old, two-story brick buildings have interesting designs at the top along the roof-line. There are also newer buildings that are made of gray stone blocks. Big, old trees, which were planted a long, long time ago, line the street. Cars and trucks are parked along this busy street as people go about their daily business.

A SHOPPING MALL

The indoor shopping mall has many businesses, including a bank, a department store, a grocery store, a drugstore, and several restaurants. The shopping mall has been here for many years. There is a fountain in the center of the mall with lots of green plants, flowers, and trees. Vendors sell coffee, soft drinks, and ice cream cones, and shoppers stop at benches throughout the mall to rest their feet and take a break. Sometimes people visit the mall just to meet people and look in the shops. The mall is a busy place with lots of people shopping.

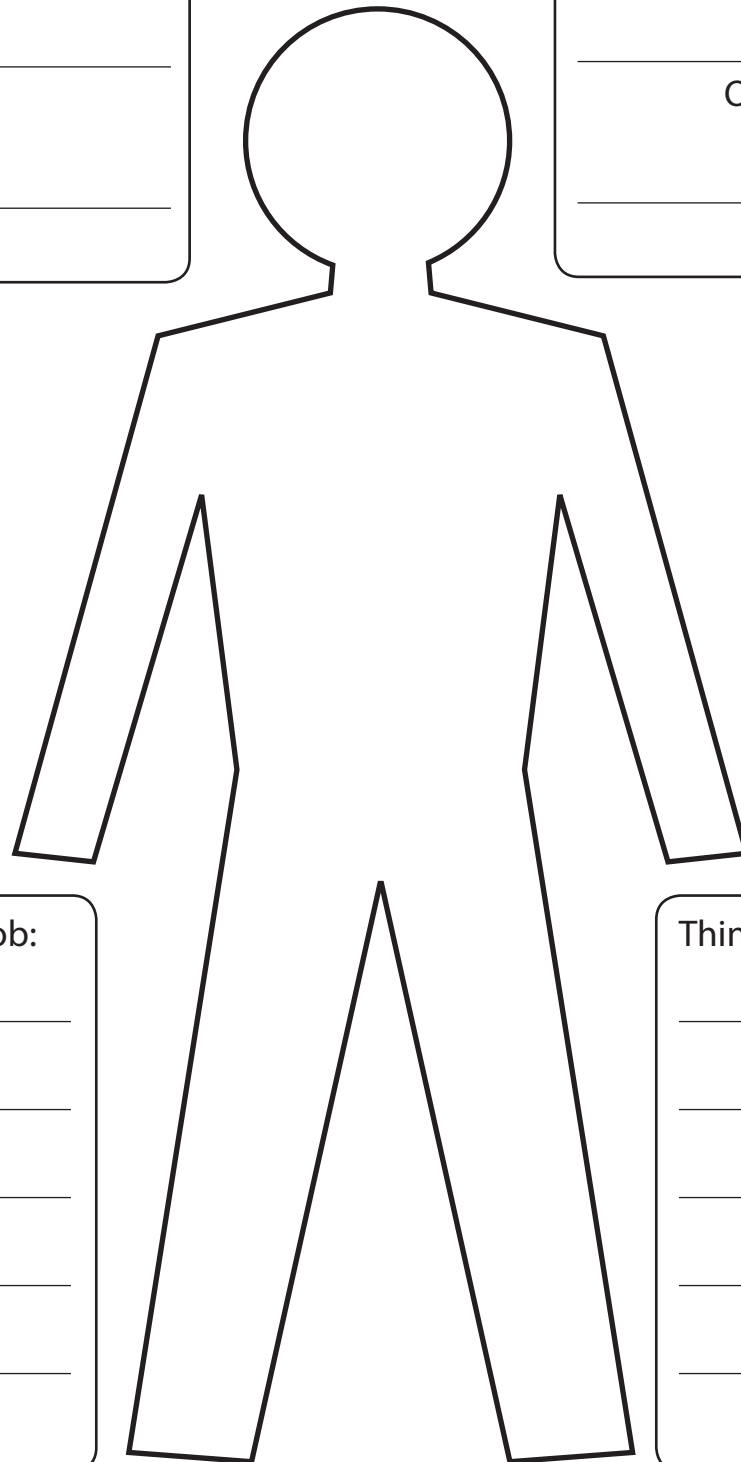
OPTION 1: FIGURE AND CALLOUTS

My name

My age

Our business

My job



Skills I use to do my job:

Things I use in my job:

Assessment: Figure is dressed realistically for job role, details added to reflect understanding of character role, care demonstrated in making the figure. Callouts reflect discussion and are realistic to the job role.

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JOB APPLICATION

(first name) (last name)

Job: _____

Education: _____

Work experience: _____

Skills: _____

Skills working with others: _____

Workers you depend on to do your job: _____

BASIC QUESTIONS FOR ALL BUSINESSES

- ✓ What goods and/or services should my business provide?
- ✓ How should my business make the goods or provide the services?
- ✓ How many goods or services should I offer?
- ✓ Who will buy my goods or use my services?

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CHART FOR PURCHASES

I bought

How much did it cost?

How much did I spend altogether? _____

LETTER OF CONCERN

Dear Community Businesses,

Over the last several years, fewer customers have been coming to our shopping district. I am concerned that some of our businesses may have to close because they do not have enough customers.

I would like to have a community meeting to talk about this problem. What can we do to bring more customers into our shopping district? If we all work together, I am sure we can solve this problem.

Sincerely,
















Name of business owner

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SELF-ASSESSMENT: SOCIAL SKILLS

EPISODE _____

WHAT ARE MY PARTNER AND I WORKING ON RIGHT NOW?

	Not often/Never	Sometimes	Always
1. I listened to other people's ideas.			
2. I did my fair share of the work.			
3. I helped others.			
4. I did careful work.			
5. I worked with others to solve problems.			
6. One thing my partner and I were good at when we worked together was:	_____		
7. One thing that was hard when my partner and I worked together was:	_____		

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COMMUNITY NEWS FLASH

The Main Street shopping area/

_____ Mall is find-
(insert name if appropriate)
ing that teenagers are gathering to visit and
that this generally causes problems. Mr./
Ms. _____ says, “This
(insert name)
loitering is causing a big problem!”

Some businesses are complaining
that the teenagers are too noisy and
sometimes leave candy wrappers,
soda cans, and other litter around.

Mr. Peterson, a regular customer of
_____, says
(insert store name)
he is bothered by all the kids just hanging
around. Ms. _____ says she’s
(insert worker’s name)
afraid that people will stop coming here to
shop. More details to follow . . .