

Career Development Tips for Parents Middle School

Your child

- Desires more independence
- Expresses feelings easily
- Likes to explore, but is not ready for planning
- Is striving to develop an identity apart from his/her parents
- Has a tremendous need for approval

Career-related development you can support

- Start conversations about dreams and goals
- Encourage volunteerism in the community
- Allow your child to make economic choices
- Expose your child to many different career choices that you encounter every day

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