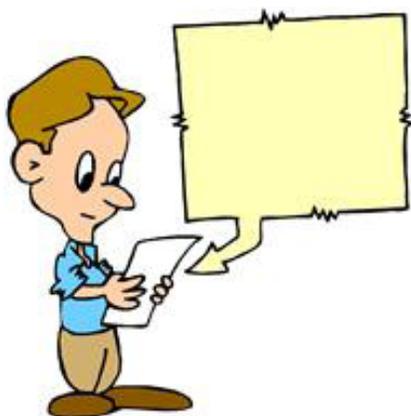


Futuristic



You are inspired by the future and what could be.
You inspire others with your vision of the future.
Your talent is valuable because your vision raises others' sights and focuses their energies.

General Academic Life

Take risks to gain new insights, even if they are out of your comfort zone. Set academic goals to project yourself into a successful future.

Challenge professors with your “What if?” thinking. Encourage them to project beyond to what “might be” in 10, 15, or 20 years.

Know what is expected in each of your classes so you will be able to plan your college years. Visit your academic counselor regularly to keep stretching your thoughts.

Associate with others who enjoy philosophizing about the future.



Study Techniques

Try to truly understand what you're studying; don't just memorize. Always relate what you're studying to where you see yourself in the future.

Write a description of your desired future, and post it where you will notice it frequently. Look at it often, and connect what you are learning to where you want to go.

Take exams seriously and prepare thoroughly. Treat them as steps toward your future.

Join a group in which you can lead others to create new visions of the future.

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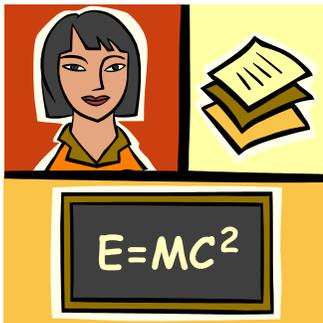
Relationships

Talk about your goals and dreams with your friends, family, and professors. Their awareness of your objective will be a motivator.

Surround yourself with people who will be instrumental in attaining your aspirations. Form strong relationships that can last a long time.

Encourage younger people who are interested in the same things you enjoy.

Don't let other people's negative comments about your dreams dissuade you from reaching toward them.



Class Selection

Pinpoint professors who are futuristic in their thinking, not those who merely maintain the status quo.

Choose classes that will apply to your career goals.

Risk taking a class that will push you to the edge in your thinking.

Extracurricular Activities

Keept others in your committee or group focused on what can be, frequently sharing the vision that you see.

Join a committee that has a forward-thinking leader who can stretch you beyond day-to-day events.

Look for internships that will challenge your thinking and help you reach beyond your current level.

Join a group that believes that it can have a positive effect on the future.

