





When I Grow Up

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Overview: A quiet activity that allows children to reflect on their hopes for the future.

Time: 10 minutes

Equipment required: Paper and pencils for each child.

Benefits:

- Allows children to think about their future selves in a deeper, more considered way.
- Quick and easy to set up, but allows for plenty of personal development.

The Activity:

- 1. Ask each child to think about who they want to be as an adult.
- 2. Invite them to draw a picture of how they imagine themselves to look as an adult. Encourage them to include a few props to bring the drawing to life.
- 3. Now, get them to add labels themselves with words and phrases which indicate their job, family, friends, hobbies, home etc.
- 4. Ask some of the children to present their drawing and explain a little more about what they've drawn and why.
- 5. Display the pictures around the house.