

A Snapshot of My Future

	Total Points Earned
17	Total Points Possible
	Percentage

Name _____

Date _____

Class _____

Directions: Log on to the Jump\$tart website at <http://www.jumpstart.org/reality-check.html>. Read the introductory paragraph and click on Enter. Answer each question by clicking on the button to the left of the desired item. When finished, click on Reality Check to get your results. Print the results page and answer the questions below. Attach the results page to this sheet.

- Briefly summarize how you want your future to look when you live on your own, by describing your wants in the following areas: (5 points)

Expenditure area	Wants
Housing	
Transportation	
Food	
Clothing	
Entertainment	

- Were there more expenses than you imagined? Why or why not? (2 points)
- What is one expense that you might be able to eliminate or decrease? Why? (2 points)

4. What is one expense you would **not** be willing to give up? Why? (2 points)

5. How much money you would need to make per hour? (1 point) _____
per month? (1 point) _____

6. List one occupation and its salary that falls into this pay scale? (1 point)

7. What level of education will you need to obtain this occupation? (1 point)

8. Why does education level impact your salary? (1 point)

9. Identify one step you can take at this point in your life to help you reach your desired income level and occupation. (1 point)