

The Big idea: *goal or objective of activity*
Positive Self-concept

What will students learn?

Core Standard

Language—public speaking
Math--addition

Life Skill?

Goal setting
Confidence
Motivation

Grade Level: 3rd-5th

Do Ahead:

Group discussion about what future is
Talk about the adults in their lives

Reflection Activity:

Discuss everyone is different
Discuss steps to get there

Follow up:

(where do we go from here)

Display art
This might be used as a goal setting activity to keep in mind and can be a portfolio entry

After School Activity Plan

Activity Title: Creating our future

Background: *(What do children or staff need to know prior to this activity?)*

None required

Supplies needed: *(be specific as to quantities, size, color, etc.)*

paper
crayons, markers, paint, etc.
deck of cards
Hackey sack

Equipment needed *(set per each group of 4 children)*

Time needed:

What to do:

Attach directions
Discuss future and adults in kid's life
Hand out cards—children add the ones given to them to add the total to determine the age they will be focused on—Where I'll be when I am 40 (may limit # of cards based on size of group)
Paint/draw self portrait of where they'll be at that age.
Use a hackey sack as a talking piece to take turns sharing their age and what needs to be done to get there

Questions?

Questions to further discussion and spur children to explore deeper
How do we know what the future holds?
What steps can we take to prepare for the future we want?