



Instructions

Complete three alternative five-year plans (Odyssey Plans), one for each of the following prompts:

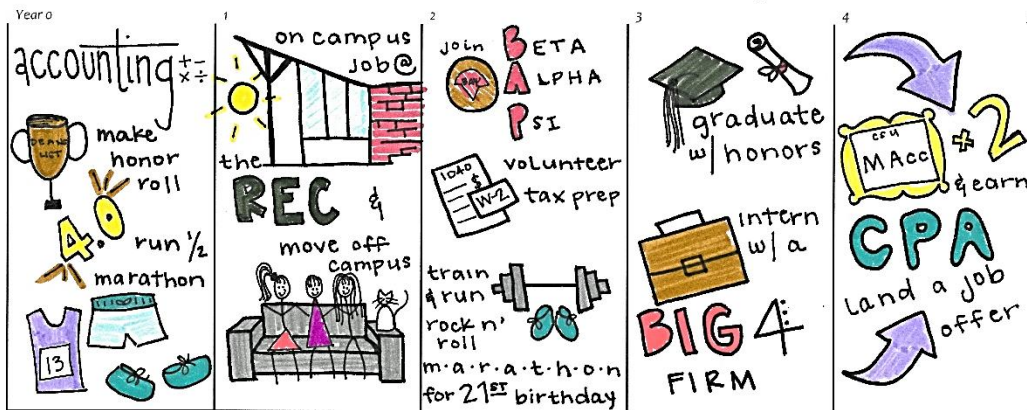
- Life One:** Your current life or the idea you've been nursing for some time.
- Life Two:** That thing you'd do if thing one were suddenly gone.
- Life Three:** The thing you'd do or life you'd live if money or image were no object.

An Odyssey Plan should include the following elements:

- A visual/graphic time line of a five-year career plan that includes non-career bucket list events as well.
- A short headline describing the Odyssey Plan.
- Two to three questions the life alternative addresses. These are not questions about the plan but curiosities that might be satisfied by living this way for five years.
- A dashboard that gauges:
 - Resources: Do you have the time, money, skill, and contacts you need to pull off this plan?
 - Likeability: How do you feel about this plan?
 - Confidence: How confident are you about pulling this off?
 - Coherence: Is the plan consistent with your Workview and Lifeview?

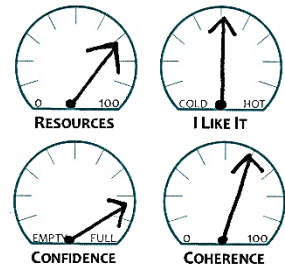
LIFE ONE: Your current life or the idea you've been nursing for some time.

6-Word Plan Title: All About Numbers: Grades, Miles & Money



Dashboard:

How does this plan address the following gauges?



Questions this plan addresses:

What curiosities might be satisfied by living this way for five years?

- Can I juggle multiple difficult things? (e.g., courses + marathon training)
- do I want lots of structure or more flexibility & freedom?
- can I be happy committing to one company for a while?

LIFE TWO: That thing you'd do if thing one were suddenly gone.

6-Word Plan Title: Getting Creative & Analytical in Big Tech



LIFE THREE: The thing you'd do or life you'd live if money were no object.

6-Word Plan Title: Coffee-Fueled Adventures in the Great Outdoors!

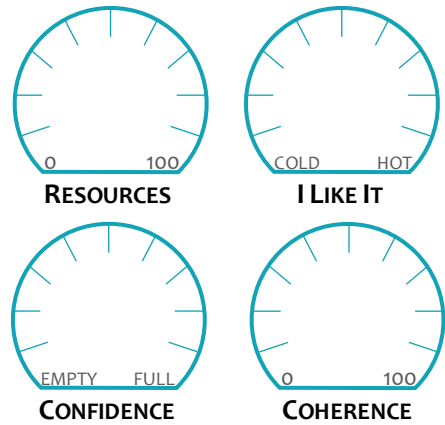


LIFE ONE: Your current life or the idea you've been nursing for some time.

6-Word Plan Title: _____

Year 0	1	2	3	4	5

Dashboard:
How does this plan address the following gauges?



Questions this plan addresses:
What curiosities might be satisfied by living this way for five years?

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____

LIFE TWO: That thing you'd do if thing one were suddenly gone.

6-Word Plan Title: _____

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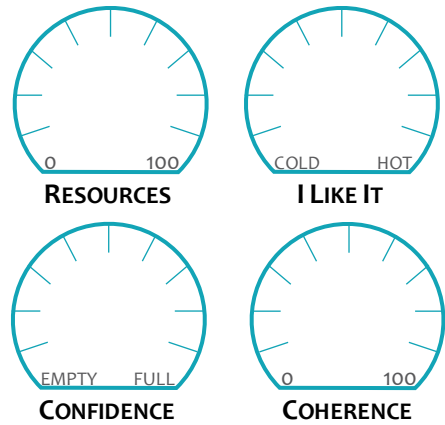
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LIFE THREE: The thing you'd do or life you'd live if money or image were no object.

6-Word Plan Title: _____

Year 0	1	2	3	4	5

Dashboard:
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Reflect On Your Plans

The best way to interact with your alternatives is to share them aloud with a group of friends. You want to choose people who will ask good questions but not offer critique or unwanted advice. Use these pages to keep track of notes and questions that come up when you present your three Odyssey Plans. Here are some questions to reflect on:

Which plan excites you the most?

Which plan feels draining?

Which plan plays it safe? Which is risky?

What do you notice as you reflect on and compare your dashboards? Are any preference criteria becoming clear to you?

What questions do you have about taking any of these paths?

How might you prototype or test out one of these experiences to understand it better?
