



**Title:** Me On the Job

**Grade:** 1

**Career Development Model:**

Self-Awareness • Career Exploration

**Nebraska Career Readiness Standards:**

- Contributes to employer & community success
- Makes sense of problems & perseveres in solving them
- Models ethical leadership & effective management

**Objective:**

- Students will explore different jobs throughout the community.

**Materials and Supplies Needed:**

- Berenstain Bears On The Job by Stan & Jan Berenstain (can also find the video on Youtube)
- Nebraska Career Education Elementary Field Model
- Crayons
- Career Interest Survey sheet

**Class Instructions:**

1. Read the book, Berenstain Bears on the Job by Stan & Jan Berenstain.
2. After reading, make a list of the many jobs mentioned in the book.
3. Review the Nebraska Career Education Model.
4. Match the jobs they saw in the book to the career model.
5. Have students fill in the Career Interest Survey sheet.
6. When students are finished filling in the survey, have them write at the bottom, which color has the most filled in smiley faces.

7. Have students pick a job from the book or a job from the Nebraska Career Education Model that would match their color.

**Credits/Sources:**

Nebraska Career Guidance Handbook (out of print)

# Career Interest Survey

Color in the smiley face for the things that are interesting to you.

## YELLOW

- ☺ Math
- ☺ Using money
- ☺ Using a computer
- ☺ Selling things
- ☺ Being a leader

## GREEN

- ☺ Plants
- ☺ Gardening
- ☺ Learning about the earth
- ☺ Being outside in nature
- ☺ Animals

## PURPLE

- ☺ Art
- ☺ Music
- ☺ Performing
- ☺ Writing stories
- ☺ Being creative

## BLUE

- ☺ Reading/writing
- ☺ Helping people
- ☺ Working with others
- ☺ Teaching
- ☺ Serving others

## RED

- ☺ Science
- ☺ Helping people
- ☺ Solving problems
- ☺ Being healthy
- ☺ The human body

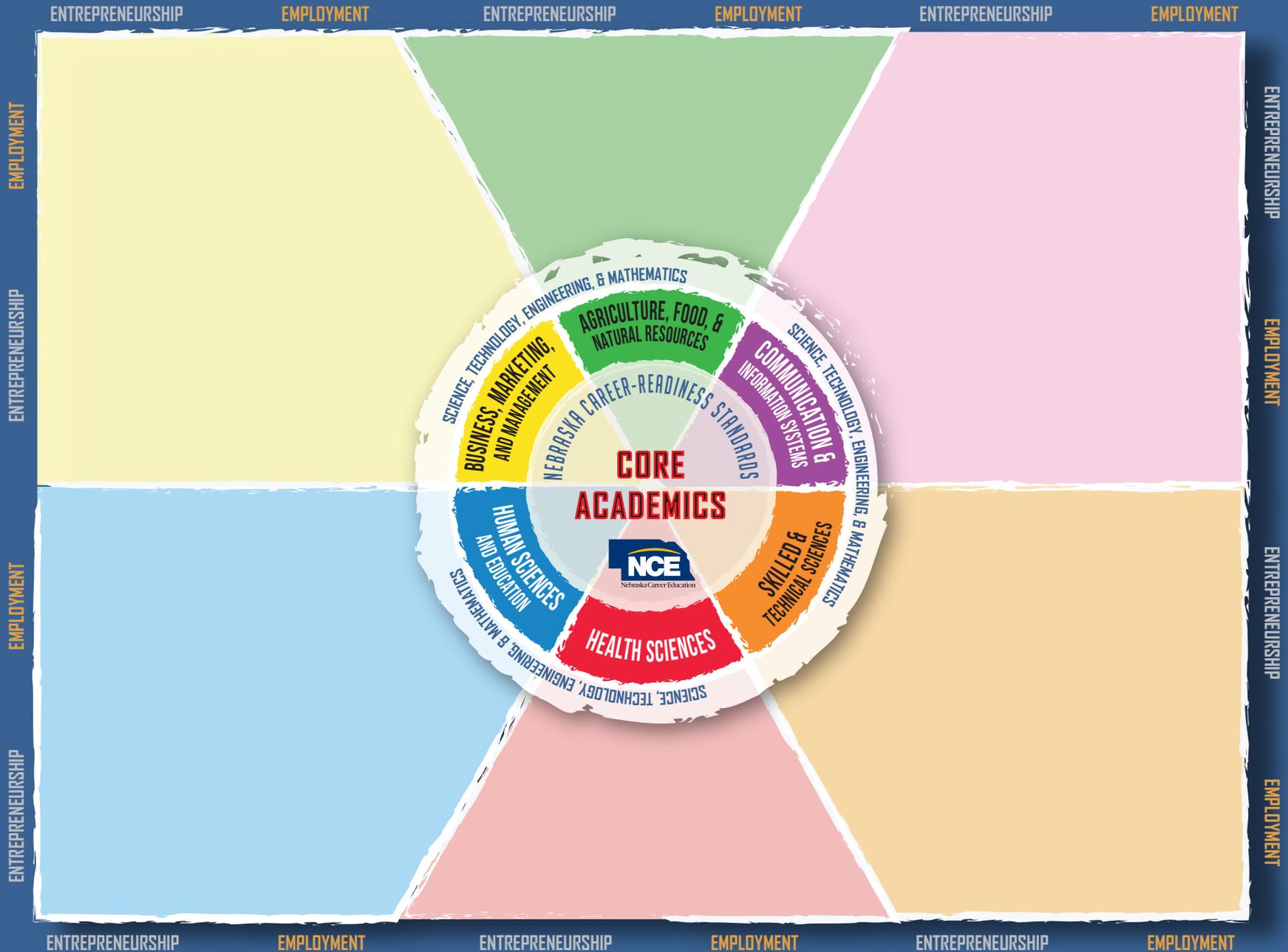
## ORANGE

- ☺ Math
- ☺ Fixing things
- ☺ Working with your hands
- ☺ Building things
- ☺ Solving problems

Which group has the most colored smiley faces?

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