Includer

People who are especially talented in the Includer theme are accepting of others. They show awareness of those who feel left out, and make an effort to include them.



General Academic Life Tips

- In small groups in class, try to get each student to participate. Ask him or her for opinions.
- Ask shy people to walk to class with you.
- Research people of different cultures in your community. Invite some of these people to attend a community or university event with you.
- Attend lectures or speeches by guest speakers of different nationalities. Introduce yourself to others attending the session, drawing them into a conversation with you.



Extracurricular Activities

- Your ability to help others feel like part of the group will make you a valuable member of student organizations and service groups.
- Help tutor those who do not have the social or economic privileges you have. Develop or participate in programs that promote diversity.
- Volunteer to help with a cause such as Special Olympics.



Career Development Tips

- Make the most of your willingness to include outside sources by talking to a career counselor about your interests and what you are passionate about. Talking things through with a knowledgeable counselor can give you confidence in exploring the possibilities.
- Environments where you can play a welcoming role, such as in orienting new employees or recruiting minority staff, can allow your Includer talents to flourish.
- Working with a group that is not always included by others, such as physically or mentally challenged children, will allow you to use your talents to help others feel better about themselves.
- Environments that encourage teamwork and foster social interaction and integration and will bring out your best.
- Talk to youth workers, occupational therapists, social workers, special education teachers, and missionaries to learn what they find most rewarding about their work.



