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Why Entrepreneurship: Independent Learning Guide

The role models in the video "Why Entrepreneurship" discuss the freedom and excitement that can come from having a career as an entrepreneur. Listeners learned that entrepreneurs follow their passion and make change!

Watch the video "[Why Entrepreneurship](#)" at least once. Then read each statement below. Think carefully about each question before you answer it.

1. **At the beginning of the video, a role model told us, "I'm a change maker... I always tell myself, 'I can't be regular.'"**

Do you think you're a change maker? What changes have you helped make at home, school, work, or elsewhere? Why were these changes important?

2. **Entrepreneurs often have to "make a way out of no way". This means finding a way forward even when you're not sure how to keep going.**

Have you ever had to "make a way out of no way"? What challenges or roadblocks have you had in your life and how did you overcome them?

3. **One role model told us that, "We have so much power. We hold so much energy and... the world needs to see that."**

What do you think this role model meant? Does everyone have power and energy?

4. **Listeners learned that entrepreneurs get to build their own teams and create the type of company or business where they would want to work.**

What things might be important to think about when building a team? What types of people would you select to work on your team? Why?

5. **A role model told us that being an entrepreneur allows you to follow your passions. No matter what you are passionate about, being an entrepreneur means you can find a way to turn that passion into a business.**

Fill in the blanks below to explore the types of things that you are passionate about. The first one has been filled in for you!

I'm passionate about the environment and keeping my neighborhood clean !

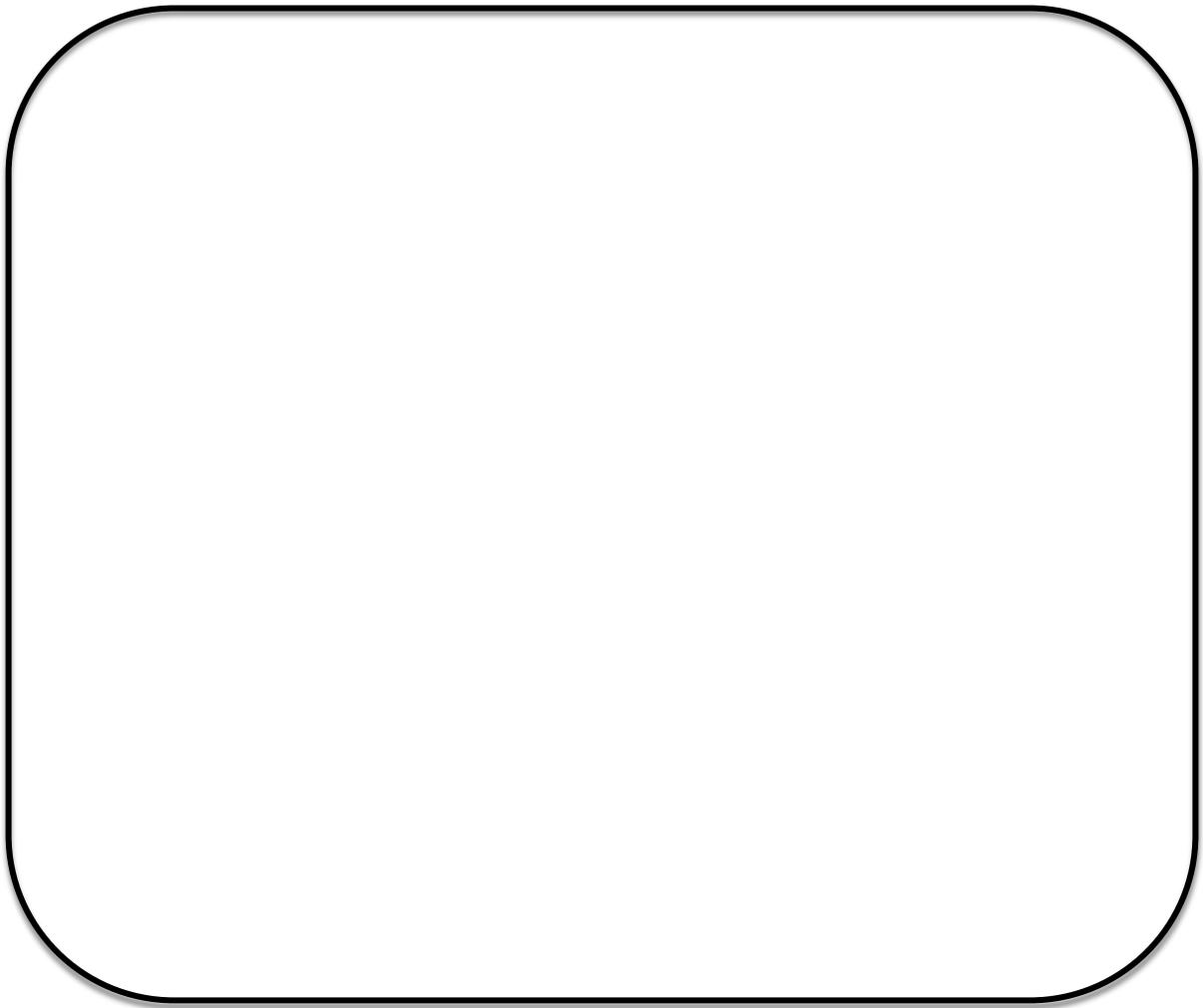
I'm passionate about _____ !

I'm passionate about _____ !

I'm passionate about _____ !

6. Think about your answers to the last question. Which one of these ideas are you most passionate about? _____

Draw a picture below showing how you might turn this passion into a business. For example, if you are passionate about keeping your neighborhood clean, you might find a way to make recycling easier or partner with local businesses to add extra trash cans on the sidewalks.



Describe your picture.
