

● Personality Insight

Let your doodles pinpoint your perfect job!

Like dreams, your doodles are symbols of your subconscious, says stress expert Debbie Mandel, M.A. Specifically, they reveal much about your hidden goals, making them particularly helpful at pointing to the types of jobs that would make you happiest! **If you doodle:**



● Faces or eyes: You're people smart!



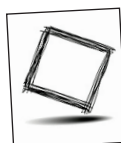
"Doodling the face or eyes suggests you're interested in the complexities of human nature," says handwriting expert Marc J. Seifer, Ph.D., author of *The Definitive Book of Handwriting Analysis*. So doodling a face or a pair of peepers signals you're intrigued by what others are thinking and feeling.

● Perfect jobs for you include:

special education teacher, psychologist, mediator, politician or campaign manager, physical therapist, guidance counselor, speech therapist, human resources director

Sketching stars?

"You're likely looking for love," says Mandel, noting that you're literally wishing upon a star!



Geometric shapes:

You're a focused dynamo!

"You tend to be a logical, left-brain thinker," notes Seifer. Indeed, the definitive angles and boundaries of squares, rectangles, triangles and even circles suggest you're smart and detail-oriented. Your organizational skills make you great at handling a flurry of tasks simultaneously, and you flourish in environments that require focus along with laser-sharp logic.

● **Perfect jobs for you:** dental hygienist, pharmacist, doctor, lawyer, paralegal, physician's assistant, bookkeeper, organizer



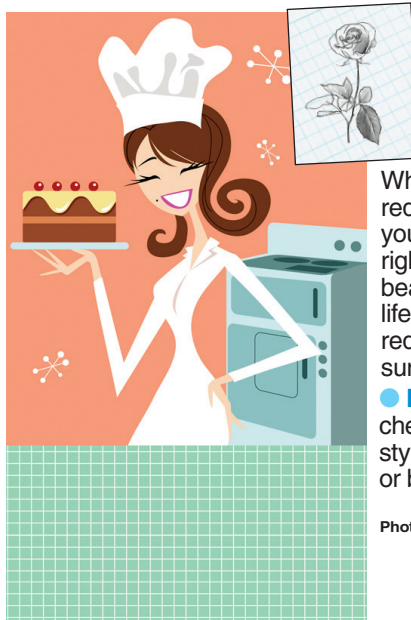
Hearts or animals:

You're a driven idealist!

Hearts and animals literally reveal how full you are of love—not just for your family, but for your community and the world at large. You're beyond dedicated, often taking your work home with you, especially if that work has an altruistic spin.

● Perfect jobs for you:

veterinarian, nonprofit organizer, animal trainer or behaviorist, elementary school teacher, social worker, museum or tour guide



Flowers or plants:

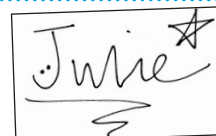
You're a sensitive artist!

"Flowers imply optimism and potential for great accomplishment," notes Mandel.

What kind of accomplishment? Anything that requires creativity! "You're a romantic and your florid doodles are indicative of inspired, right-brain thinking," adds Seifer. Blooming beauties and leafy gems, after all, epitomize life and growth. They're also delicate and require a bit of finesse to render just right. Not surprisingly, you're often called "ingenious!"

● **Perfect jobs for you:** baker or personal chef, photographer, interior designer, fashion stylist, hairdresser, cosmetologist, writer or blogger, art teacher

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Your name or initials:

You're an energetic leader!

If your name is the marquee doodle in your margins, it shows you're decisive and confident. "You're not only exploring your identity, you're trying to fortify it," shares Mandel. And you're unafraid to put your stamp on any of the diverse projects you take on.

● **Perfect jobs for you:** yoga or aerobics instructor, editor, life coach, entrepreneur, real-estate agent, teacher, marketing professional, boutique owner

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