

# Thoughts on Ambitions



What ambitions do you have for your future? What would you like to do, to be? Where would you like to go? What plans have you made? What hopes and dreams do you have for this month, this year, five years time, for ten years, twenty..?



## The Bible says

"I say this because I know what I have planned for you," says the Lord. "I have good plans for you. I don't plan to hurt you. I plan to give you hope and a good future." *Jeremiah 29:11*

'Ask the Lord to bless your plans, and you will be successful in carrying them out.' *Proverbs 16:3*

'We make our own plans, but the Lord decides where we will go.' *Proverbs 16:9*

'The Lord says, "I will make you wise. I will show you where to go. I will guide you and watch over you."' *Psalms 32:8*

## Fact

There is no special way to change verbs (action words) to talk about the future. Instead we add 'will' or 'going to' to verbs. Maybe that's because we can do things for our future now!

## Idea

Reach for the stars! Aim for the moon! Go above and beyond! It's good to have hopes and dreams, or ideas and plans, for our future. It gives us something to aim for. Even if you don't know what job you'd like to do, you will have ideas for how you would like to live your future life. How can you achieve your hopes and dreams? What steps do you need to take? Who can help you achieve them? Who will you share your plans with? Christians believe that God has a special plan for each one of us and He will help us achieve what is the best for us.

## Do

Draw a star. Fill it with your hopes and dreams for the future.



Thank you that we can have hopes and dreams for our future. Give us the strength, courage and patience to work through the steps to achieving them. Thank you for those people who help us on the way.

## Pray



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