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The Giver
Job Assignment
Activity

Directions: From the perspective of the Committee of Elders, you will think about the most appropriate “Assignment” to give to the student whose name you draw. You will think about the most appropriate Assignment based primarily on strengths you have observed, but also any challenges. You will select an Assignment from the attached list. Keep in mind that this will be a lifelong assignment, so choose wisely!

Base your decision on what you already know plus what you learn during your observations this week. Remember, the Assignment must remain secret until the Ceremony later this week.

Fill in the chart below with at least 3 characteristics, and at least one from each side of the chart. Be sure to answer the follow up questions below the chart.	
Strengths	Challenges

Student Name: _____

Selected Assignment: _____

Reasoning for Assignment: (Must include discussion of their strengths and challenges in paragraph format.)

The Giver Job Assignment Jobs List

These Assignments are listed in order of appearance in the story. Please check the page listed in parentheses if you need to find out more about the job.

- Pilot (1)
- Street Cleaners (2)
- Landscape Workers (2)
- Food Delivery Workers (2)
- Pilot-in-training (2)
- Instructor (3)
- Nurturer (7)
- Night Crew Nurturer (8)
- Receiver of Memory (14 & 60)
- Committee of Elders (15)
- Laborers (16)
- Doctor (16)
- Engineer (16)
- Speaker (22)
- Recreation Director (23)
- Rehabilitation Director (26)
- Caretaker (29)
- Planning Committee Member (32)
- Security Guard (34)
- Chief Elder (51)
- Fish Hatchery Attendant (52)
- Childcare Specialist (54)
- Assistant Director of Recreation (56)
- Law and Justice (56)
- Maintenance Crew (72)
- Department of Bicycle Repair (73)
- Gardening Crew (99)
- Delivery Crew (106)
- Storyteller (137)
- Path Maintenance Crew (158)

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http://mappingyourfuture.org/planyourcareer/careership/match_career.cfm

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