

WOULD I MAKE A GOOD PARALEGAL QUIZ

#	Personality Question	True	False
1	I enjoy helping people.		
2	When I am driving and someone cuts me off, I speed up so I can cut back in front of them and make an obscene gesture.		
3	I pay attention to details and try to follow instructions.		
4	When someone gives me driving directions, I listen for a few seconds and then drift off. I can always ask someone else later.		
5	I usually get my school work done on time.		
6	I am always late whenever I go anywhere.		
7	If you tell me a secret you can be sure I won't tell anyone.		
8	I am always the person people seek out when they want to hear the latest gossip.		
9	I think of myself as an honest person.		
10	If there is a long line at the checkout counter, I don't think there is anything wrong with taking a candy bar from a store and not paying for it		
11	If you looked at my handouts from class, you would see that I keep them very well organized in a binder.		
12	I often forget to bring a pen to class.		
13	I can handle taking two tests in different subjects on the same day at school.		
14	Having two homework assignments due on the same day stresses me out.		
15	I enjoy playing team sports.		
16	I never like working on group projects even if everyone is doing their share of the work.		
17	If a school project interests me, I might spend some extra time on it just for fun.		
18	I would never volunteer to be a group leader.		
19	I enjoy doing word puzzles or "What is the difference between these two pictures?" types of puzzles.		
20	I get frustrated and give up if I can't figure things out after a few minutes.		
21	I enjoy knowing the answer to a question in class and raising my hand to give the answer.		
22	I know I don't write papers well, but I still get good grades in school because I am good at guessing the answers to true/false questions.		
23	I like reading and learning about new things.		
24	I want to finish school, get a good job, and never have to learn anything new again.		

## GRADING THE PERSONALITY QUIZ

Questions 1,3,5,7,9,11,13,15,17,19,21,23:

Give yourself 1 point for every question that you answered TRUE; 0 points for every question that you answered FALSE.

Questions 2,4,6,8,10,12,14,16,18,20,22,24:

Give yourself 1 point for every question that you answered FALSE; 0 points for every question that you answered TRUE.

If you scored between:

0 – 11 Read the article called “Would I Make a Good Paralegal?” You should think seriously about whether or not this is the right job for you.

Talk to some paralegals or lawyers to see what they like about their jobs and what they dislike about their jobs. There are many different job opportunities for paralegals, but you will need to find the right one to make yourself happy.

12-24 You are an excellent candidate to become a paralegal. Read the article called “Would I Make a Good Paralegal?” to learn where you can improve your natural abilities. Take an Introduction to Law class or an American Government class to determine if you enjoy learning about the law and the court system.