

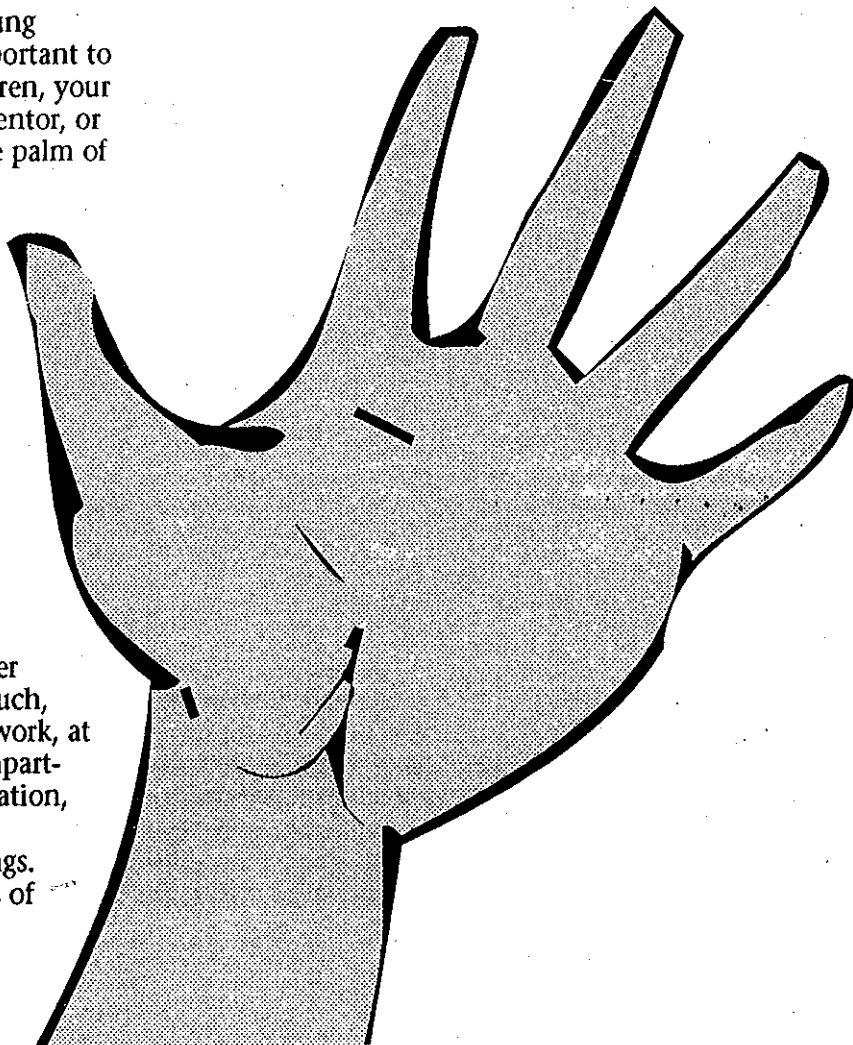
Looking Around

The Young People You Touch

This page helps you think about the young people in your life.

1. Think about one to three young people who are particularly important to you—special friends, your children, your grandchildren, someone you mentor, or others. Write their names in the palm of the hand.

2. Then think of five to ten other young people whose life you touch, even tangentially. It may be at work, at school, on your block, in your apartment complex, in your congregation, where you shop, through your volunteer efforts, or other settings. Write their names in the fingers of the hand.



Looking Inside

How You Already Build Assets

Asset building isn't something totally new that you have to start. If you think about it, you'll find many ways you're already building assets—even if you don't call it asset building. Think about specific ways you already build assets in as many of the asset categories as possible.

EXTERNAL ASSET CATEGORIES

Support

Empowerment

Boundaries and Expectations

Constructive Use of Time

INTERNAL ASSET CATEGORIES

Commitment to Learning

Positive Values

Social Competencies

Positive Identity